**Motion to repeal the General Meeting Guillotine**

**Notes**

That at the Annual General Meeting 2014 a motion was passed which instated a two hour guillotine onto General Meetings

That during the Winter term 2014/15 academic year a new system of governance was passed which decreased the number of general meetings which occurred each academic year.

**Believes**

That owing to the fewer General Meetings in the SU’s new system of governance these meetings are going to require more time to deal with the accumulated level of motions.

That stopping to extend the guillotine lengthens and adds needless procedural manoeuvrings to a meeting.

That a strong chair should be able to move the meeting at an appropriate pace without the threat of time constraints hanging over their head.

**Resolves**

To remove the guillotine from General Meetings

**Mandates**

The Union Chair and Democracy Officer to implement this procedure for all subsequent general meetings.

Proposed: Hannah Strathern

Seconded: Alex Clarke