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January 2, 2012

TO: Nathan McDaniel  
President, Associated Student Government

FROM: Dr. Joanne H. Smith,   
Vice President for Student Affairs

SUBJ: ASG Legislation – S.R.F. 2012-2013/5  
“A Resolution in Support of Concealed Carry on Campus”

I received this legislation that disagrees with the administration’s policy that concealed handguns on campus are and should remain prohibited and that the legislation be used as a means of creating a formal, representative statement on behalf of the majority of Texas State students only and not a means for creating a policy or implementing an action.

I also understand that your administration will not pursue any forceful implementation or awareness campaign on concealed carry due to more pressing issues of your administration based on your memorandum to your advisor and Dean of Students.

I understand the sentiment of the legislation and opinion of ASG; however, currently both Texas State and Regent’s Rules prohibit concealed carry on campus. Given the current policies based on your memorandum to your advisor and Dean of Students, the university will not be creating a formal statement in support of this legislation.

If you have questions, please contact me.

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xc: Dr. Margarita Arellano, Associate Vice President Student Affairs/Dean of Students  
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