WHEREAS The ASOSU as defined in Article II of the Constitution is every enrolled student at Oregon State University;

WHEREAS It is the duty of the House of Representatives and the Ways and Means Committee to approve expenditure changes to the ASOSU Budget, which shall be done by a bill or resolution as stated in Article III Letter I of the Constitution and approved by the Senate;

WHEREAS Article III, Letter C of the Constitution States that Congress shall establish and maintain the statutes of the ASOSU;

WHEREAS The Oregon Student Association (OSA), a statewide advocacy and organizing non-profit, was established in 1975 to represent, serve, and protect the collective interests of students in postsecondary education in Oregon (http://www.orstudents.org/osa/info/C4/);

WHEREAS OSA has focused on issues such as tuition, financial aid, recruitment and retention of students underrepresented on campus, and student rights. A cornerstone of the organization’s work includes educating students, other members of campuses, and the greater community on issues relevant to postsecondary education, developing and training student leaders, and organizing students around student issues. OSA also provides a collective voice for students in state government, the Oregon University System, and other state boards and commissions (http://www.orstudents.org/osa/info/C4/);

WHEREAS There has been an executive decision and statement released, that the ASOSU is no longer members of the Oregon Students Association;

WHEREAS Article III Letter J Section 1 of the Constitution gives the sole authority to the House of Representatives to bring Articles of Impeachment against an officer of ASOSU when they are not fulfilling their delineated duties;

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE 3rd ASOSU House of Representatives THAT:

In her conduct while President of the Associated Students of Oregon State University, M. Tonga Hopoi, in violation of her constitutional oath faithfully to execute the office of President of the Associated Student of Oregon State University and, to the best of her ability, uphold and execute the provision of the Constitution and such acts of the Associated Students of Oregon State University, and in violation of her constitutional duty to take care that the laws be faithfully executed, has willfully corrupted and manipulated the executive powers of her high office;

As of June 16, 2011, M. Tonga Hopoi has refused to send representation to the Oregon Student Association Board of Directors as delineated in her duty in the Statutes of the Associated Students of Oregon State University in Title III Section 3 Letter A Subsection 2 and Title III Section 3 Letter C. As of October 1, 2011 M. Tonga Hopoi will have missed three meetings of the Board of Directors for the Oregon Students Association;

(See attached attendance records)

On July 14, 2011, M. Tonga Hopoi as the leader for the executive branch issued a statement stating the ASOSU will no longer be members of the Oregon Students Association, in which this act has circumvented all legislative requirements as outlined in the provisions Constitution and such acts of the Associated Students of Oregon State University;

The actions and decision making by M. Tonga Hopoi has had the following effects:

1. Congress was not involved in the decision making in removing the ASOSU from the Oregon Students Association.
2. The ASOSU was not involved in the decision making in removing the ASOSU from the Oregon Students Association.
3. The ASOSU was not formally notified that they have been removed from the Oregon Students Association.
4. The ASOSU currently has no standing, permanent representation in the capital for the State of Oregon, a role fulfilled by the Oregon Student’s Association as a lobbying organization.
5. The ASOSU currently has no standing relationship with the United States Student Association formerly provided through the Oregon Students Association, additionally, damaging ASOSU’s representation at the federal level.
6. The relationship between the Associated Students of Oregon State University and the Oregon Student Association may have been damaged and require mending.
7. The ASOSU has been charged a fee of $1.15 per student per term for fall membership dues to the Oregon Student's Association totaling $75,745, duly approved by the Student Incidental Fees Committee and the ASOSU Congress, which, in violation of the budgetary authority of the House Ways and Means Committee has not been disbursed to the Oregon Student's Association nor re-allocated in a right and proper manner by the Ways and Means Committee. (See attached documents)

In doing this, M. Tonga Hopoi has undermined the integrity of her office, has brought disrepute to the Presidency, has betrayed her trust as President, and has acted in a manner subversive of the rule of law and justice, to the manifest injury of the people of the Associated Students of Oregon State University:

Wherefore, M. Tonga Hopoi, by such conduct, is hereby impeached.
BE IT FURTHER ENACTED BY THE House of Representatives THAT:

Upon final passage of the Article of Impeachment, the Speaker of the House shall request the impeached individual to report to the front of the House of Representatives and with the members of the House of Representative standing in respect, the Speaker shall read the above final charges against the individual.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED BY THE House of Representatives THAT:

In accordance with Title VI Section 6 Letter B the Speaker of the House shall notify the President, the Vice-President, the Judicial Council Chair, and the Executive Director of Finance of the impeachment. The President is hereby suspended of her duties and shall not receive a stipend for the duration of the suspension. The Vice-President shall serve as the Vice-President and the acting-President until an impeachment trial has been held.

ENACTED THIS DAY BY THE House of Representatives

 Authored By:

 Kevin Dunn, Undergraduate Representative
 Douglas Van Bossuyt, Graduate Representative
 Andrew Struthers, Undergraduate Representative
 Michael Robb, Undergraduate Representative

 Approved by:

 Drew Hatlen, Speaker of the House of Representatives

 Signature: __________________________ Date: __________