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 S. RES.

To endorse the adoption of an expansion of the Business major at CSU Channel Islands by creating Business Agriculture classes in the existing Business major for the purposes of expanding the popular Business major as well as increasing job opportunities for the students within the major, as well as students who are interested in the subject.

IN THE SENATE OF CSUCI STUDENT GOVERNMENT

April 5, 2017

 Senator Hunt (for himself) introduces the following legislation.

RESOLUTION

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Whereas The CSU Channel Islands mission is to facilitate learning within and across disciplines through integrative approaches; and

Whereas, One of the four pillars that facilitates the education at CSU Channel Islands is Community Engagement; and

Whereas, California State University Channel Islands has created classes in the past to educate students on major industries in the area, such as the Drug Discovery and Development class; and

Whereas, There is a Women in Farming advocacy group located in Ventura County that supports the expansion of women’s roles in the farming industry as well as handing out grants for women in higher education that are involved in farming programs; and

Whereas, A study conducted at California Lutheran rated the farming economy as a recovering industry in the economy, and.

Whereas, There are over 25,000 agriculture related the jobs in the county, not including the jobs at the agriculture commissioners office, and.

Whereas, A report from California Lutheran University conducted a study on the recovery of the Ventura County Economy the results were the Ventura County agriculture sector has been up overall, but the labor supply is holding the industry back; and

# Section 1. Resolution.

 *Resolved,* Student Government supports the adoption of a new Business Agriculture discipline, as well as an Agriculture Business class in the Business Major.

# Sec. 2. Short Title.

1. Short Title.—This Act may be cited as the

“#HuntDoctrineOfBusinessAgricultureOf2017”.

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