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Dear Sir,

I have to apologise for not corresponding with you earlier. The reason is that since I am new in this field, everything has been on a dead slow move.

My main aim is to draw your attention to the resolution passed by the above-mentioned organisation's conference held at (Alan Taylor Residence), University of Natal on the 4th - 10th July, 1970.

The resolution is as follows:

RES. 10/70:-

That this G.S.C.:

- (i) in accordance with its belief that the emancipation of the black peoples in this country depends entirely on the role the black peoples themselves are prepared to play.
- (ii) realising that the only form of meaningful thinking that should prevail at black student level is one which takes into consideration the position of the black students in the community.
- (iii) aware that in the principles and make up of NUSAS the students can never find expression for the aspirations foremost in their minds.
- (iv) believing that NUSAS as presently constituted is neither representative nor a true National Union despite the openness of its membership.
- (v) noting that committment of the white students to the principles of NUSAS is limited to a few individuals

THEREFORE:

- (a) withdraws SASO's recognition of NUSAS as a true National Union.
- (b) instructs the Executive to continue studying the relevance of the organisation to the black student

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community and to maintain such contact as is compatible with the aims of SASO.

Yours faithfully,

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SECRETARY