A Resolution
To Request the Installation of a Laser Printer in The Ronj

Whereas, few students enrolled at Bates College own their own printer; and

Whereas, students without their own printer must utilize networked laser printers located in areas such as Ladd Library and Pettengill Hall; and

Whereas, currently, there are no networked printers in areas convenient to the residents of Frye Street, and certain buildings on College Street and Campus Avenue; and

Whereas, while networked laser printers are located near several campus residential buildings, they are not convenient for students who live near the edges of campus especially during the majority of the Academic Calendar Year when the weather is generally inclement; and

Whereas, The Ronj is a popular location with convenient late-night hours created by the students and for the students of Bates College; and

Whereas, Bates College is now and always has been an egalitarian academic institution that strives to provide everyone with equal access to campus resources; now therefore, be it

Resolved,
That it is the strong opinion of the Representative Assembly that it would be beneficial to many students to have a laser printer installed somewhere in The Ronj, located in Ross House, and configured as part of the campus network of networked printers so that all students in the above-mentioned areas and therefore makes an official request to this effect.

Upon passage, the Chair of the Representative Assembly shall convey the desires of this body based on this legislation to the appropriate parties, including but not limited to the student and administrative leadership of The Ronj and the Director of Information Services, in a proactive but respectful manner.

The Chair shall report back to the Representative Assembly weekly during his Officer Report as to the status of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chair, Representative Assembly

LEGISLATIVE ACTION
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Originally proposed and passed.