Minutes from ASH meeting, March 12, 2010

1. Chair R. Perlis called the meeting to order at 4:10 PM. The following members were in attendance: A. Burns, R. Perlis, J. Ryon, M. Wang, and M. Walsh.

2. Also attending was L. La Madrid.

3. The minutes from the ASH meeting of February 26, 2010 were approved.

4. Old business: ASH voted unanimously to recommend a request from Agriculture to clarify its catalog statement concerning minors.

5. New business consisted of a discussion of whether to continue considering changing LSU’s current grading system to some form of +/- grading. It was determined that there is sufficient interest in the issue to continue discussion. Each member was asked to take an informal poll of students and colleagues in one or two departments in their respective colleges to see whether they were neutral, supported, or opposed changing the grading system.

6. The meeting ended at 4:47 PM.