



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS' UNION OF NORWAY

RESOLUTION **International Students Union of Norway**

Increase of information in English from Lånekassen

On behalf of international students in Norway under the Quota scheme, ISU hereby commends Lanekassen on the increase of information that it provides in English.

Background:

A few years ago, only limited information from Lånekassen was available in English. This severely affected the 1100 international students who each year were accepted into the Quota Scheme. Quota Students are entitled to financial support *on the same terms and with the same requirements* as those Norwegian students.

ISU maintained that if Quota Students are indeed entitled to a loan on equal terms as Norwegian students, as is the Programme's intention; all vital information should be available both in English and Norwegian.

Current Situation:

Lanekassen has worked to improve the quantity and quality of the information that is sent out to their international student clients. There is more information in English on their website, and the information given out by email is also being given in English ?. The International Students Union of Norway notes this and accordingly wishes to commend Lanekassen.

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