

Senate Minutes, 9-14-2004

Meeting Called to Order

1.0 Adopt Agenda

Motion to add SB Press as item 11.5

Motion to adopt the agenda with said changes.

Passed by Acclimation

2.0 Attendance and E-mail List

3.0 Secretary Appointment

Jim Driscoll (Pres. of CSA) temporary secretary

4.0 Brief Welcome

4.1 Training update by Chair

4.2 Parliamentarian Update

5.0 Budget Presentation by Rajat Gupta, USG Treasurer

Moved to later in the meeting.

6.0 FSA Appointments

Explained by Esam

Senator Andrew Thompson and Sen. Kanika Jain as residential nominees

7.0 President Pro-Tempore Nominations

Nominees: Jon Lawson, Kfier Kuba, Jackey Wu, Mehruba Anwar

Motion to close nominations, 2nd by Jackey Wu

Passed by Acclimation

5.0 Budget Presentation by Rajat Gupta, USG Treasurer

Nomination of Chair Athletics Sub-Committee, Milap Patel

5 minute recess

Meeting called back to order at 7:45 PM

Rajat Gupta: Council Sub-committee Chairs nominations are as follows:

Nomination of Media Sub-Committee: Ebony Omede, V.P. of Communications

Nomination of Programs Sub-Committee: Rosario Minier, V.P. of Student Life

Nomination of Service Sub-Committee: Sean Bartlett, Junior Class Rep.

Nomination of Athletics Sub-Committee: Milap Patel, USG Senator

Nomination of Cultural/Advocacy: Latoya Duncan, Sophomore Rep.

Nomination of Academic Sub-Committee: Diana Acosta, VP of Academic Affairs

5 minute recess

8:50 PM, meeting called back to order

Motion to Table Nominations, moved by Sen. Jon Lawson, 2nd by Sen. Dyer

Passed by Acclamation

8.0 Ad hoc Committee for Religious Groups and Viewpoint Neutrality

Motion to create Senate *ad hoc* Committee for Religious Groups by Sen. Kfier Kuba, seconded by Sen. Reubin.

➔ Friendly Ammendment, "3 week deadline for Committee Report" by Sen. Lawson

➔ Accepted

Vote: 14 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstain, **Motion Passes**

9.0 Ad hoc Committee for USG Stipends and Compensation

Motion to create by Sen. Lawson, seconded by Sen. Dyer

14-0-0, Motion Passes.

10.0 Legislative Process

11.0 Committee Update

11.5 SB Press

Tabled to 9-21 with the consent of Stony Brook Press.

12.0 Open Forum

Motion to extend meeting 15 minutes by Sen. Kuba, seconded by Sen. Reubin

5-0-9 (In favor-Oppose-Abstain), Motion Passes.

Ad hoc Committee on Religious Groups and Viewpoint Neutrality:

Sen. Bauchman, Sen. Thompson, Sen. Dyer, Mr. Sayed, Sen. Kuba, Sen. Anwar, Pres.

Wong, VP Morgan, Junior Rep. Bartlett

Motion to make Mr. Syed *ad hoc* committee Chair, moved by Sen. Lawson, 2nd by Sen. Kuba.

Passed by Acclamation.

Motion to adjourn passes by acclamation.