

MINUTES OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE OF QUEENS COLLEGE - September 20, 1973  
Academic II - room 170

SPECIAL LIMITED MEETING FOR THE ELECTION OF OMBUDSMAN

1. The Holder of the Chair, Stephen Schwerner, called the meeting to order at 3:25 p.m.
2. Dr. Samona Sheppard, chairperson of the ad hoc Ombudsman Effectiveness and Nominating Committee, gave report (as distributed). The following people were nominated for Ombudsman:

Dr. Irving DeKoff, Dr. Fraya Katz-Stoker, and Mrs. Harriet B. Reynolds

There were no nominations from the floor. Each candidate addressed the Senate.

3. MOTION: Duly made (Newman), seconded and passed: (4:05 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.)

"To discuss the candidates, without their presence, and to have discussion limited to ten minutes."

MOTION: Duly made (Newman), seconded and passed:

"To have discussion of candidates extended for an additional five minutes."

4. MOTION: Duly made (Newman), and seconded:

"To consider two top candidates for appointment to Ombudsman position."

Chair ruled Newman's motion out of order.

5. MOTION: Duly made (Newman), and seconded:

"To reopen a question and answer period with the candidates."

MOTION: Duly made (Gilbert), seconded and passed:

"To close off debate."

Newman motion - failed.

6. MOTION: Duly made (Newman), seconded and passed:

"To have candidates stay out of room during voting process."

7. MOTION: Duly made (Logsdon), and seconded:

"To have Senate submit names of candidates in order of their choice."

Chair ruled Logsdon's motion out of order.

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8. Mrs. Harriet B. Reynolds elected Ombudsman.

There were a total of 78 ballots. Absolute majority would be 40 votes. Mrs. Reynolds received 48 votes.

9. MOTION: Duly made (Lederman), seconded and passed:

"That the Academic Senate express its appreciation to the ad hoc Ombudsman Effectiveness and Nominating Committee; a Committee that has set a fine precedent for all others to follow."

10. Chair thanked the three candidates for attending, and also thanked the Student Association for making it possible.

Meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m. Regular meeting of the Academic Senate to be held on October 11, 1973, at 3:00 p.m. in A-170.