

MINUTES OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE OF QUEENS COLLEGE - April 25, 1974
Academic II - Room 170

1. The Holder of the Chair, Stephen Schwerner, called the meeting to order at 4:15 p.m.
2. Chair read statement passed by Executive Committee today, regarding Eugene Flynn's position on the Elections Committee.
3. MOTION: Duly made (Neurath), seconded and failed:

"To suspend rules to bring before the Senate issue regarding Senate Secretary's seat."

4. MOTION: Duly made (Rothbard), seconded and passed:

"To move the orders of the day."

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

"Whereas: One of the worst disasters in living memory has afflicted Africa, and daily millions of people face the threat of starvation;

Whereas: The African Students Association of Queens College is coordinating a fund raising program on Thursday, May 16, 1974, entitled, "Fast to Save a People";

Whereas: The success of this program is contingent upon the varied and unified support it receives, and that the Academic Senate has in the past taken a stand on international crisis;

Be it resolved: That the Academic Senate of Queens College -

1. Endorses the "Fast to Save a People" fund raising program on Thursday, May 16, 1974.
2. Urges every member of the campus community to attend the educational and cultural events scheduled between 2:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 16, 1974, so they may learn about the immediacy and severity of the drought and famine in Africa.
3. Requests that every member of the campus community, to the best of his or her ability, contribute financial aid to this humanitarian cause."

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

"To accept Livote's resolution by unanimous consent."

Livote's resolution accepted by unanimous consent.

6. Continuing with Grading Proposal -

a) MOTION: Duly made (Wettan), seconded and passed:

"To accept Article I, paragraph f, as amended at Senate meeting of April 18, 1974."

ACADEMIC SENATE - MINUTES - April 25, 1974

6. Grading Proposal (continued)

- b) Substitute amendment (Mandelbaum) - "To replace everything in Article I, paragraph f, after the first sentence in its present form, with the following statement:

"Neither the grade P nor the grade NC will be computed in a student's index. A grade of P shall be given only to work of C-minus quality or better."

MOTION: Duly made (Miles), seconded and failed:

"To close off debate on Mandelbaum's substitute amendment."

- c) Amendment (Fleshler) - "To add at end of Mandelbaum's substitute amendment the following:

"If a student receives a grade of D, he can get credit for the D grade or have the option of getting a NC grade and NC in the course."

MOTION: Duly made (S. Axelrad), seconded and passed:

"To close off debate on Fleshler's amendment."

Fleshler's amendment to Mandelbaum's substitute amendment - failed.

- d) MOTION: Duly made (Chingas), seconded and passed:

"To close off debate on Mandelbaum's substitute amendment."

Mandlebaum's substitute amendment for sentences two, three, and four, of paragraph f - failed.

7. Grading Proposal - Article II -

(Greener) request for quorum call. There was a quorum.

(Hirschberg) request for quorum call. There was no quorum.

Meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m. Next regular meeting on Thursday, May 9, 1974 at 3:00 p.m.