

MINUTES OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE OF QUEENS COLLEGE - May 31, 1979
 Academic II - room 150

1. The first meeting of the tenth session of the Queens College Academic Senate was convened today at 3:40 p.m. by Dave Fields, Holder of the Chair pro-tempore.
2. Elections Committee Report given by Dave Fields, Chairman, and announced the following corrections to be made in the Academic Senate roster:

<u>Department</u>	<u>Delegate</u>	<u>Alternate</u>
<u>Art</u>	Jolyon Hofsted - 2 yr.	Herbert Aach - 2 yr.
<u>Comparative Literature</u>	Vincent Crapanzano - 2 yr.	Sara Bershtel - 2 yr.
<u>Earth & Environmental Sciences</u>	Delete Walter Newman from Alternate position.	
<u>English</u>	Thomas Frosch - 2 yr.	Susan Fox - 2 yr.

Student category: SEEK At Large - delete Alternate: Seth Peek

3. Dave Fields announced the following correction to be made in the agenda:
 Under item 2-d Nominating Committee, there are two vacant student seats (to 1980) SEEK and Graduate.
4. I. Dr. Larry Mansfield gave the following report to the Senate, for the Executive Committee, regarding a challenge to the May 1979 Academic Senate student elections:

"With regard to a challenge to the May 1979 Academic Senate elections by David Miller, Nunzio DelGreco, Gregory DiMattino, and Edith Gonsalves, all of the New Party:

a) The Committee heard from Ann Verdi regarding the administration of the Elections.

b) MOTION: Duly made (Teitelbaum), and seconded:

"That the Executive Committee constitute itself as the Bylaw designated Committee to investigate the Miller et al. challenge."

c) MOTION: Duly made (Fontinell), seconded and passed - with one abstention (Holden):

"To table the Teitelbaum motion until after interviewing David Miller, and Nunzio DelGreco."

d) The response of Dave Fields, Chairman of the Elections Committee, together with additional material regarding the challenge was discussed.

e) The Committee then discussed the challenges in an interview with David Miller and Nunzio DelGreco.

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4. I. Challenge to the May 1979 student Academic Senate elections (continued)

"f) Acting on the basis of the Teitelbaum motion (b above), the Executive Committee voted affirmatively with two abstentions (Holden and Mittman), to recommend to the Academic Senate that it reject the Miller et al. challenge on the following grounds:

- i. The supporting data provided to substantiate the charges was inadequate.
- ii. Supplementary supporting data claimed to be available by Miller during the interview was not provided despite a direct request by the Committee for the additional material."

II. The Chair asked if there was any debate or objections to the Elections Committee Report. Seeing no objections, the Report was adopted - unanimously. (Day student senators under challenge were not permitted to vote.)

5. Nominations for Holder of the Chair: David Alsop

Seeing no further nominations, David Alsop was elected - unanimously.

6. The Holder of the Chair, David Alsop, appointed Dave Fields as Parliamentarian.

7. The Chair accepted nominations for Deputy Holder of the Chair. The following student was nominated: Jason Holden

Seeing no further nominations, the Chair asked the Secretary, "to cast one ballot for the nominee."

8. Nominations for Secretary: Barbara Greener

Seeing no further nominations, the Chair asked the Secretary, "To cast one ballot for the nominee."

9. a) The following faculty were nominated to the Executive Committee:

Joseph Hershenov, James Hogg, Charles Lloyd, Edward Fichtner, Mary Reuder, Drora Pershing, and Ruth Frisz.

Elect four. The following faculty were elected to the Executive Committee:

Joseph Hershenov, Edward Fichtner, Mary Reuder, and Ruth Frisz.

b) The following students were nominated to the Executive Committee:

Paul Kramer, Meryl Waxman, and Scott Schuler (withdrew).

Seeing no further nominations, the Chair asked the Secretary, "to cast one ballot for Paul Kramer and Meryl Waxman."

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10. The following were nominated to the Nominating Committee:

<u>Faculty</u>	<u>Students</u>
James Hogg - Sci. (to 1981)	Scott Schuler - Day (to 1981)
Jeanne Szalay - at large (to 1981)	Jacob Borenstein - SGS (to 1981)
	SEEK - OPEN (to 1980)
	Diego Naranjo - Grad. (to 1980)

Seeing no further nominations, the Chair asked the Secretary, "to cast one ballot for the nominees."

11. MOTION: Duly made (Mell), seconded and passed - unanimously:

"To thank all the officers of the Academic Senate for their past services."

Meeting adjourned at 4:12 p.m.

