

TWENTY-SEVENTH SENATE
UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON
STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Eighteenth Meeting of the 27th Senate
Monday, November 19, 1990
Dallas/El Paso Room, University Center 7:00 PM

1. **Call to Order by the Presiding Officer:** Mark Burge, Speaker of the Senate
2. **Opening Call of the Roll by the Secretary:** Nandita Venkateswaran, Senate Secretary
3. **Reading and Approval of the Senate Journal from the Previous Meeting:**
4. **Special Reports:**
5. **Two Minute Speeches by the Members:**
6. **Report of the President:** Paul Hogleund
7. **Report of the Vice President:** Lee Flemming
8. **Report of the Speaker:** Mark Burge
9. **Reports of the Standing Committees:**
 - a) Academic Affairs: Jan Burns, Chair
 - b) Internal Affairs: Tiffany Russell, Chair
 - c) Student Life: Joel Richards, Chair
 - d) University Administration & Finance: John Berggren, Chair
10. **Reports of the Select Committees:** None
11. **Special Orders:** None
12. **Introduction and First Reading of New Legislation:**
 - a) Legislation Turned In to the Speaker Prior to Publication of the Agenda:
 - **SAR 27018:** CALLING FOR THE MANDATORY ASSIGNMENT OF GRADUATE FACULTY ADVISORYS IN THE COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS
Introduced by: Dean Draper
 - **SAR 27019:** ADVOCATING FUTURE FINANCIAL RELIEF FOR AUXILIARY SERVICES
Introduced by: Michael Floreani
 - b) Legislation Introduced on the Senate Floor:
13. **Unfinished Business and General Orders:**
 - a) Presidential Nominations and Appointments:
 1. Committee on Academic Affairs:
 - **Glenda Johnson** - Academic Council
 2. Committee on Internal Affairs:
 - **Kaushik Dutta** - SSFPAC
 - **Kathryn Sherman** - SSFPAC
 - **Thomas Creel** - SSFPAC
 - **John Parker** - SSFPAC

- **Satish Kauta** - SA Senate (Business #1)
 - **Sandhya Sanghani** - SA Treasurer (FY 1991)
3. Committee on Student Life:
 - **Mark Burge** - Activities Funding Board
 - **Vidhi Sahae**-Handicapped Student Advisory Board
 4. Committee on University Administration & Finance:
 - **None**

b) Reconsideration of Presidential Vetoes and Other Legislative Business

1. Presidential Vetoes to be Reconsidered:
 - **None**
2. Committee on University Administration and Finance:
 - **SAB 27015**: ENUMERATING CONCERNS TO BE PURSUED IN THE 1991 SESSION OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE
Sponsor: Mark Burge
3. Committee on Academic Affairs:
 - **UB 27016**: CONCERNING CAMPUS SPONSORSHIP OF DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSES
Sponsor: Tiffany Russell
5. Committee on Internal Affairs:
 - **SAB 27005**: TO ADOPT TITLE 6 OF THE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION CODE, TO BE KNOWN AS THE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION ELECTION CODE; REPEALING BYLAWS REPLACED BY THE CODE
Sponsor: Law (SAB 27001)
4. Committee on Student Life:
 - **UB 27019**: ESTABLISHING ADEQUATE EXTERIOR LIGHTING ON THE I-45 SIDE OF THE ARCHITECTURE BUILDING
Sponsor: Chris Cortes
 - **SAB 27017**: CALLING FOR THE RESTORATION OF A LIVE MASCOT HOUSED ON CAMPUS
Sponsor: Cheryl Price

14. **New Business and General Orders:**

- a) Introduction of Presidential Nominations:
- b) Motions on Committee Bypass:
- c) Other New Business and General Orders:

15. **Closing Call of the Roll by the Secretary:** Nandita Venkateswaran, Senate Secretary

16. **Comments and Announcements:**

17. **Adjournment:**

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1. Call to Order by the Presiding Officer:

The meeting was called to order by the Speaker of the Senate Mark Burge at 7:05 PM.

2. Opening Call of the Roll by the Secretary:

Senate Secretary Nandita Venkateswaran called the roll and the following senators were present: Michael Banta, John Berggren, Michael Berry, Richard Corbello, Chris Cortes, Dean Draper, Scott Eastman, Eduardo Elizondo, Mathew Emal, D. Lee Grooms, Tuan Vu Nguyen, Michael Oholendt, Cheryl Price, Joel Richards, Michael Rosenberger, Tiffany Russell, Mohammed Ali Saeed, Farrel Sharp, Devi Sunderaj.

The following senators were excused: Damon Chargois, Michael Floreani, Majid Husain, Preeti Gandhi.

The following senators were absent: Alex Arenas, Jan Burns, Chris Cooley, Lloyd Jacobson, Zaigham Shah.

The following University officials were present: Consuelo Trevino, Director of Campus Activities and Willie Munson, Dean of Students.

3. Reading and Approval of the Senate Journal from the Previous Meeting:

The Senate Journal was approved as corrected by the members.

4. Special Reports:

Senator Sharp moved that representatives of Team Earth be allowed to give a report for five minutes on polystyrene. Speaking in support of the motion Senator Berggren said Dr. Magner responded to legislation on this matter last session and therefore it will be worthwhile to listen to the members of Team Earth. Senator Emal said McDonalds is going to phase out its use of polystyrene and therefore we should think of having ARA do the same. The motion passed with 16 votes in favor and 1 abstention.

During Special Reports, Amy Laine of Team Earth said we have recently become aware of the negative ramifications of the use of polystyrene. She said CFC's have been outlawed because of the damage they cause to the ozone layer. She said they have been replaced by HFC's which reduce the damage somewhat. She noted that polystyrene has an average life span of only five minutes. She said it is not recyclable. She said it can be recycled only as plastic lumber.

Speaking for Team Earth, Judy Harris said polystyrene is made of benzene, a carcinogenic material which can be absorbed by the human body.

During a question and answer session Senator Eastman noted that the administration has argued

against a total ban because packaging material is made out of polystyrene.

Ms. Harris said they are trying to get polystyrene out of the eating areas on campus. She said they will be meeting with ARA later this week to discuss this matter. Alison Evans, a member of Team Earth said they are focusing on ARA at present. Senator Richards asked them what a good substitute will be. Ms. Evans suggested using cardboard instead. She said they would like to have SA support on this matter. Senator Elizondo said it costs more to use paper products and asked if this increase in cost will have an effect on the cost of food. Ms. Harris replied that big chains like Wendy's and Whataburger are already using paper products. Ms. Evans said ARA is in a similar situation and could follow suit. Senator Rosenberger asked if they were looking for legislation from SA in support of this issue. Ms. Evans replied at this point they are not seeking legislation but are only seeking support for the petition to present to ARA. She said they will be looking for legislation in the future from SA.

5. Two Minute Speeches by the Members:

Senator Grooms said the TSSA conference was held at UH-Downtown this past weekend. He said they passed legislation concerning several important subjects and got statewide support for some issues on which SA has already taken a stand.

Senator Eastman said he spoke last year in favor of the Pro-Cougar side. He has had a change of heart since then and now supports the other side. He asked everyone to think about this issue.

Senator Emal thanked everyone who voted for a straight Democratic ticket in the recent elections.

6. Report of the President:

President Hogle said he thanked the Senate for their feedback on the Teacher Evaluation issue. He said several units of the Division of Student Affairs gave a presentation at the Student Affairs retreat last Thursday. He distributed the library donation cards and said he hopes every senator will give at least \$2 to the library along with their priority fee bills. He said SA would like to publish the allocations made by SSFPAC. He said they are planning to mail out a breakdown of allocations with registration. He said he would also like to see SSFPAC create unit reserves so that units are rewarded for their efficiency and not penalized. He said a shadow regent would give SA more power and suggested placing someone in the position. President Hogle said the Orientation Team is now taking applications in the Dean of Students' Office.

Senator Richards asked when the computers in the SA office are going to be fixed. President Hogle said the new ones will be here soon. Senator Berry said the next meeting of the Board of Regents is in February. Senator Richards asked if everything is settled with AAUS accounts. President Hogle said the funds have been transferred back and the itemization is present in the SA office for anyone who wants to take a look at it. President Hogle transferred the floor to the Director of External Affairs, Freddie Saucedo.

Freddie Saucedo, gave a report on the TSSA conference. He said Clyde Temple, President of TSSA is here in the audience. Mr. Saucedo said one of the issues discussed at TSSA was the proposed student regent bill. He said this issue has been in the legislature for a while now. He said the Student Service Fee issue was also discussed. Mr. Saucedo said the administration is trying to raise the \$90 cap to \$150. The rationale is that it is an easy way for the administration to raise money. He said if this money is raised with dedicated fees students will know where their money is going, unlike a general Student Service Fee. He said the state is prone to cutting higher education spending. Mr. Saucedo said we students have to organize ourselves on our individual campuses. He said each student should take his issues to his legislator. Freddie said the role of SA should be to make this situation easier. He said SA is planning to have a table with postcards, publicity etc. to try and convince people to get organized and do so. He said that he and Speaker Burge went to Austin to discuss the issue of students as constituents and said that people at the state legislature are very interested in this issue. He said one job of SA is to

be as loud as possible.

7. Report of the Vice President:

Vice President Flemming said the UC policy board addressed the concerns of smokers at its past meeting and ARA has decided to open the back of the cafeteria to smokers as the present room is too small. He said the UC policy board is also meeting with ARA to discuss the use of polystyrene.

8. Report of the Speaker:

Speaker Burge said he, with Freddie Saucedo, met with the staffs of Representatives Deborah Danburg, Sylvester Turner and Senator Rodney Ellis. He said Rodney Ellis agreed to carry the Higher Education Code amendment outlined in SAR 27004. Sylvester Turner said he will carry the student regent bill. He said there still has been no word on legislation from the administration since the middle of August, a silence of over four months. He said Dr. Roland Smith is optimistic that things will move much faster after Dr. Barnett is finished restructuring the administration. Speaker Burge said he will have the schedule of Senate meetings for spring at the next meeting. He asked if the Senate had any objection to scheduling Kamran Riaz, Assistant Dean of Students to speak at the next meeting. None was raised. Speaker Burge said Representative Sylvester Turner said he would like to speak at the next meeting if his schedule permits. He said Senators Husain, Price, Jacobson, Khan, and Arenas need to meet with him to indicate their preference for committee assignments.

9. Reports of the Standing Committees:

a) Academic Affairs:

Senator Berry said Academic Affairs did not achieve quorum and did not meet.

b) Internal Affairs:

Senator Russell, Chair of Internal Affairs said the following nominations are still in committee:

Kaushik Dutta-SSFPAC

Kathryn Sherman-SSFPAC

Thomas Creel-SSFPAC

John Parker-SSFPAC

She said they were reporting out favorably on the following nominations:

Sarish Kauta-SA Senate (Business#1)

Sandhya Sanghani-SA Treasurer (FY 1991)

Senator Russell said the nomination of Sandhya Sanghani was passed by a slim majority. She said SAB 27005: TO ADOPT TITLE 6 OF THE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION CODE, TO BE KNOWN AS THE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION ELECTION CODE; REPEALING BYLAWS REPLACED BY THE CODE is still in committee.

c) Student Life:

Senator Richards, Chair of Student Life said his committee is reporting out favorably on the following nominations:

Mark Burge-Activities Funding Board

Vidhi Sahae-Handicapped Student Advisory Board

He said UB 27019: ESTABLISHING ADEQUATE LIGHTING ON THE 1-45 SIDE OF THE ARCHITECTURE BUILDING is still in committee. Senator Richards said he would like to discharge

SAR 27017: CALLING FOR THE RESTORATION OF A LIVE MASCOT HOUSED ON CAMPUS with no recommendation.

d) University Administration and Finance:

Senator Berggren said UAF did not have a formal meeting. He said they had informally looked at SAR 27015: ENUMERATING CONCERNS TO BE PURSUED IN THE 1991 SESSION OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE and thus recommended that it be bypassed.

10. Reports of the Select Committees:

None.

11. Special Orders:

None.

12. Introduction and First Reading of New Legislation:

a) Legislation Turned in to the Speaker Prior to the Publication of the Agenda:

SAR 27018: CALLING FOR THE MANDATORY ASSIGNMENT OF GRADUATE FACULTY ADVISORS IN THE COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS, introduced by Dean Draper;

SAR 27019: ADVOCATING FUTURE FINANCIAL RELIEF FOR AUXILIARY SERVICES, introduced by Michael Floreani.

b) Legislation Introduced on the Senate Floor:

Senator Grooms introduced SAR 27020: ADVOCATING THE USE OF DEDICATED FEES TO SUPPORT STUDENT SERVICE UNITS.

Senator Emal introduced SAB 27016: TO CREATE TITLE 10 OF THE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION CODE, TO BE KNOWN AS THE STUDENT REGENT.

Senator Eastman introduced UB 27021: PERMANENTLY PROHIBITING THE ACQUISITION OF A LIVE COUGAR MASCOT.

Senator Berry introduced SAR 27021: SUPPORTING MANDATORY PUBLICATION OF UNIVERSITY CRIME STATISTICS.

Senator Banta introduced UB 27020: ELIMINATING DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATIONS IN THE UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON COLLEGE OF EDUCATION.

13. Unfinished Business and General Orders:

a) Presidential Nominations and Appointments:

All university standing committee appointments were reported on earlier.

The nomination of Satish Kauta for Business #1 was put to vote and approved by 16 votes in favor, 2 opposing and 2 abstentions. Senator Kauta was sworn in by President Paul Hoglund.

Senator Emal spoke in favor of the nomination of Sandhya Sanghani for SA Treasurer. He said it is time we appoint a Treasurer and that her nomination received only one negative vote in committee. Senator Russell spoke against the nomination. She said that the fact that we have a candidate does

not mean she is qualified. She said the candidate did not know what the term encumbrance meant upon being questioned by the committee. Senator Russell said the last organization the candidate was with came in with a negative balance of \$6000. She said we will be doing a disservice by appointing her Treasurer. She said the President should have asked these questions of the candidate and not left it up to Internal Affairs to do so.

During general debate, Senator Berry commended Senator Russell on doing her job and delving into the candidate's qualifications. He said, however, sometimes SA can be a learning experience and can teach these things to a person if she is willing and enthusiastic. He said he would much rather have someone who shows up to the office.

Senataor Banta moved that the candidate be allowed to defend herself. Senator Elizondo spoke in favor of the motion and said the charges seem rather harsh and therefore we should give the candidate a chance to speak.

Senator Russell spoke against the motion and said the candidate spoke at the Internal Affairs meeting. Senator Grooms said according to the minutes of the last meeting this motion did not get a majority. He said the Senate recommended then that the nomination go to Internal Affairs. He said it seems rather ironic that the Senate wanted nothing to do with questioning the nominee at that time but it does now. Senator Richards asked Senator Grooms to keep into account the fact that at the last meeting this information was not at hand. He said the nominee should have a chance to give a rebuttal to the charges brought against her. The motion passed with 15 votes in favor, 5 opposing and 1 abstentions. Senator Richards requested that the air be turned down a little.

Taking the floor Ms. Sanghani said she was not aware that there were such requirements for this position. She said she heard only through Doris Ayyubi, Administrative Secretary what her duties would be. Ms. Sanghani said she is an MBA student and is usually working on her course work. If she had known that she was expected to know the details she would have done so. She said she possesses ample enthusiasm and is willing to have the standard procedures of SA explained to her by Doris and Tiffany. Concerning the negative balance of the India Students Associaton she said it was because of a miscommunication with Cullen Auditorium. She said the ISA is more of a social organization which does not have any set rules like SA. She said they were first told that they were being charged \$850 by Cullen for the use of the auditorium. This figure later went up to \$2150. She said she spoke to the concerned authorities at Cullen who accepted a settlement. Senator Banta asked what her major is.

Ms. Sanghani said she has a bachelor's degree in accounting. Senator Elizondo asked what the amount of the negative balance was. Ms Sanghani said it is \$ 5100. Senator Richards asked if she has had any experience with a budget of the magnitude of SA. She said she does not know what the magnitude is. President Hogleund said he took a lot of time over this nomination. He said each candidate was interviewed by Vice President Flemming , Director of Personnel, Yahya Saeed and himself. He said the executive cabinet is behind this nomination. President Hogleund said Sandhya Sanghani is familiar with accounting principles. He said we ourselves are not familiar with minor details.

Senator Richards asked the President to tell the Senate what stood out in this applicant that distinguished her from the others. President Hogleund, when no senators objected, yielded the floor to members of his executive cabinet to answer the question.

Freddie Saucedo, Director of External Affairs said direct experience is not related. He said SA needs someone who is willing to learn at the job. He took himself as an example. He said when a person is hired by a firm he or she is expected to learn the job. He said Ms. Sanghani can be easily hired by any firm in Houston and they would not ask her minor details like what the 'L' means on a form.

Vice President Flemming said he was most impressed by her willingness to work with people. He said she has had experience with CEO, ISA and the Yearbook. Vice President Flemming said she handled a \$ 100,000 account at the Yearbook. He said her willingness to work with the executive cabinet was far above the other candidates. Vice President Flemming said she also has a GPA of 3.8. He said she can learn all the minor details once she is hired.

Senator Russell said the Sandhya Sanghani entered ISA without knowing the facts and left the organization with a negative balance. Senator Shah said this has nothing to do with her ability. Senator Nguyen said we cannot ignore the fact that Internal Affairs voted 4 votes in favor, 1 against

and 1 abstention. He said if we ignore this we have done away with the Internal Affairs Committee. He suggested getting rid of Internal Affairs if her nomination is rejected. Senator Russell said the vote was 3 votes in favor, 1 against and 1 abstention. Senator Berggren moved the previous question. Senator Richards called for a division of the assembly. Senator Nguyen pointed out that the vote in committee was 4 votes in favor, 1 abstention and 1 against. He gave names of the members and how they voted. The call for previous question failed for lack of a two thirds majority and general debate continued. Senator Berry said when we were elected it was not a prerequisite that senators had to know how to write legislation. Senator Grooms said his vote was the abstention in the Internal Affairs meeting. He said Senator Berry's comment is an inadequate analogy. He said the executive positions are jobs and not meant to be a representative body. He said Vice President Flemming said Sandhya's exuberance to work with the cabinet impressed him the most. He said that Ms. Sanghani, however, said that Doris Ayyubi was the only one who offered her help. Senator Rosenberger commended Senator Russell on doing a good job but said the will and desire to succeed are more important. He said CLEAN had this desire in the last election. Senator Rosenberger said new people are trained for the job. President Hoglund said the reason Ms. Ayyubi is the only person who helped Sandhya is because she is the only one on the Executive Cabinet who knows the budget. Senator Emal said more important than the negative balance is the fact that it was mentioned in the books at all for the first time. He said she has handled budgets greater than \$ 100,000 at the Yearbook. He said Ms. Sanghani did not know what questions to expect and therefore had to ask Ms. Ayyubi. Senator Richards said the Treasurer's position requires exact knowledge of the position. He asked why she did not go in to the SA office and get a good working knowledge of the budget instead of waiting till the IA meeting. He said this position is a job and said no one goes for an interview without preparing beforehand. Senator Saeed asked if Senator Richards was implying that Ms. Sanghani had no knowledge at all. Senator Richards said he is saying only what she told him. Senator Eastman said entering into a contract for ISA and then getting burned is not good financial policy. He said the same thing happened in the past with SA and the copy center. Vice President Flemming said he is the Treasurer for another organization and he does not set policy regarding how the money is to be spent. He yielded the floor to Director of Personnel Yahya Saeed. Mr. Saeed said he recommended Sandhya Sanghani highly and said she is one of the few applicants who is inquisitive and has a knowledge about accounting. In response to Senator Richards comment he said he has recommended over 100 candidates for SA positions and the practice has been to provide them with information afterwards. He said Sandhya Sanghani was the most efficient member in ISA. Senator Russell said the other 100 candidates did not have deal with a \$118,00 budget. Senator Draper said the fact that a negative balance was reported speaks in favor of her. He said she is not accountable for this. Senator Price said she is the President of the Residence Halls Association and has just appointed a new Treasurer for the organization. She said he is extremely efficient even though he has never held another office. She said it all boils down to the willingness of a person to work. Senator Berggren moved the previous question, which passed by a two-thirds majority. Senator Grooms called for a roll call vote on the nomination itself. The roll call vote was as follows:

Senator Arenas	Favor	Senator Grooms	Abstained
Senator Banta	Favor	Senator Husain	Absent
Senator Berggren	Favor	Senator Jacobson	Favor
Senator Berry	Favor	Senator Khan	Absent
Senator Burns	Absent	Senator Nguyen	Favor
Senator Chargois	Absent	Senator Oholendt	Favor
Senator Corbello	Favor	Senator Price	Abstained
Senator Cooley	Absent	Senator Richards	Against
Senator Cortes	Abstained	Senator Rosenberger	Favor
Senator Draper	Favor	Senator Russell	Against
Senator Eastman	Against	Senator Saeed	Favor
Senator Elizondo	Favor	Senator Sharp	Favor
Senator Emal	Favor	Senator Shah	Favor

Senator Florenai	Absent	Senator Sunderaj	Absent
Senator Gandhi	Absent	Senator Kauta	Favor

The nomination passed with a 2/3 majority of members present and voting.

b) Reconsideration of Presidential Vetoes and Other Legislative Business.

Senator Berggren moved to bypass SAR 27015: ENUMERATING CONCERNS TO BE PURSUED IN THE 1991 SESSION OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE. Senator Grooms spoke in favor of the resolution and said that many of the measures are supported by students all over the state of Texas. Senator Berggren proposed an amendment to shift the second resolved clause to read as the first. The other amendments proposed were to have the second concern in the first RESOLVED clause to read 'Achieve the representation with full membership of college and University students.....' and the third concern in the same clause to read 'Return control over graduate tuition to the state legislature, inasmuch as tuition costs have violently increased under university governing boards control.' He spoke in favor of the amendments and said they were just superficial changes. The amendments were put to a direct vote and passed with one abstention. Senator Richards moved the previous question. The resolution passed upon being put to a direct vote.

Senator Grooms moved to table SAR 27017: CALLING FOR THE RESTORATION OF A LIVE MASCOT HOUSED ON CAMPUS. The motion to table the resolution passed with 1 vote against and 1 abstention.

14. New Business and General Orders:

a) Introduction of Presidential Nominations:

President Hogle introduced the following nominations and they were referred as follows:

- Daniel W. Lurvey --Undergraduate Council--Academic Affairs
- Ashish Kulkarni --Bookstore Advisory Committee--Academic Affairs
- Richard Goldfarb--Police Parking and Transportation Advisory Board--Student Life
- Patricia M. Falbo --Child Care Center Advisory Board--Student Life
- Tahira Bhatti--Organizations Board--Student Life
- Shabnum Masood--Organizations Board--Student Life
- Aafia Siddiqui --Religion Center Policy Board--Student Life
- Shaik M. Ahmed--Safety Committee--University Administration and Finance

b) Motions on Committee Bypass:

Speaker Burge suggested tabling SAR 27017 CALLING FOR THE RESTORATION OF A LIVE MASCOT ON CAMPUS. Senator Richards said its being in Student Life is not going to change anyones decision. Senator Berry said he sees a problem with Chairs putting on the floor swwhatever they wish. The motion to bypass failed with 9 votes in favor, 8 against and 1 abstention. President Hogle requested that the nominations to SSFPAC be bypassed. Senator Richards said these people had failed to come to the meeting of Internal Affairs.

15. Closing Call of the Roll by the Secretary:

Senate Secretary Nandita Venkateswaran called the roll and the following senators were present: Alex Arenas, Michael Banta, John Berggren, Michael Berry, Richard Corbello, Chris Cortes, Dean Draper, Scott Eastman, Eduardo Elizondo, Mathew Emal, D. Lee Grooms, Llyod Jacobson, Satish Kauta, Tuan Vu Nguyen, Michael S. Oholendt, Cheryl Price, Joel Richards, Michael Rosenberger, Tiffany E. Russell, Mohammed Ali Saeed, Farrel Sharp.

The following senators were excused: Damon Chargois, Michael Floreani, Majid Husain, Preeti Gandhi.

The following senators were absent: Jan Burns, Chris Cooley, Mohammed Khan, Zaigham Shah, Devi Sunderaj.

16. Comments and Announcements:

Senator Banta asked senators to read UB 27020 carefully. He said he will appreciate constructive criticism.

Senator Grooms asked senators to read over the dedicated fees bill carefully.

Senator Nguyen said we shouldthe Senate should offer its help to Sandhya.

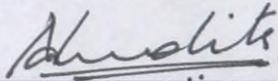
Senator Eastman we should think about the Cougar issue before the next meeting.

Senator Richards encouraged senators to find out how their constituents feel about this issue. He commended Senator Russell on doing her job.

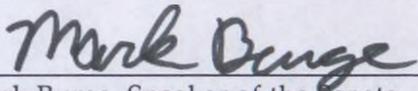
17. Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned by general consent at 9:10 pm.

APPROVED AS AMENDED BY THE TWENTY SEVENTH SENATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF
HOUSTON STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION ON DECEMBER 3,1990



Nandita Venkateswaran, Senate Secretary



Mark Burge, Speaker of the Senate