

TWENTY-NINTH SENATE
UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON
STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Second Meeting of the 29th Senate
Monday, April 27, 1992
Regents Room, University Center, 7:00 PM

1. Call to Order by the Presiding Officer: Charles Gaviola, Vice President of the 29th Senate
2. Call of the Roll by the Secretary: Quynh Thai, Senate Secretary
3. Reading and Approval of the Senate Journal
4. Special Reports: Mitchell Rhodes, Student Regent
5. Two Minute Speeches by the Members
6. Report of the President
7. Report of the Vice President: Charles Gaviola
8. Report of the Speaker
The Speaker and Speaker Pro-Tempore of the 29th Students' Association Senate are to be elected at this time.
9. Reports of the Standing Committees
 - a) Academic Affairs
 - b) Internal Affairs
 - c) Student Life
 - d) University Administration and Finance
10. Report of the Select Committees
11. Special Orders
12. Introduction and First Reading of New Legislation
 - a) Legislation Turned in to the Speaker Prior to Publication of the Agenda
 - **SAB29002:** A STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION BILL TO AMEND SECTION 5.0.9 OF TITLE 6 (ELECTION CODE) OF THE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION CODE
Sponsor: John Bard
 - **SAB29003:** A STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION BILL TO CHANGE TITLE 3 OF THE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION CODE ON POLICIES OF TERMINATING EMPLOYMENT OF EXECUTIVE CABINET MEMBERS
Sponsors: shane patrick boyle, Carlos Morales, Michelle Palmer
 - **SR29001:** A STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION RESOLUTION THANKING PRESIDENT JAMES PICKERING FOR SIGNATURE OF THE LIBRARY FEE AND FOR INTEREST IN STUDENT ISSUES
Sponsors: shane patrick boyle, Carlos Morales, Michelle Palmer
 - **UB29001:** A UNIVERSITY BILL REQUIRING STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION APPOINTMENTS TO ALL STANDING AND AD HOC UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES
Sponsors: shane patrick boyle, Carlos Morales, Michelle Palmer
 - **UB29002:** A UNIVERSITY BILL MAKING ELEVATORS IN THE UNIVERSITY CENTER MORE WHEELCHAIR -ACCESSIBLE
Sponsors: shane patrick boyle, Carlos Morales, Michelle Palmer

b) Legislation Introduced on the Senate Floor

13. Unfinished Business and General Orders

a) Presidential Nominations and Appointments

b) Reconsideration of Presidential Vetoes and Other Legislative Business

• **SAB29001**: A STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION BILL TO REVISE SECTION 5.0.4 OF THE TITLE 6 (ELECTION CODE)

Sponsor: Michelle Palmer

14. New Business and General Orders

a) Introduction of Presidential Nominations

b) Motions on Committee Bypass

c) Other New Business and General Orders

15. Comments and Announcements

16. Closing Call of the Roll by the Secretary: Quynh Thai, Senate Secretary

17. Adjournment

TWENTY-NINTH SENATE
UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON
STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

ORDER OF BUSINESS
Second Meeting of the 29th Senate
Monday, April 27, 1992
Regents Room, University Center, 7:00 PM

1. Call to Order by the Presiding Officer:

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Charles Gaviola at 7:05 p.m.

2. Call of the Roll by the Secretary:

Senate Secretary Quynh Thai called the roll and the following senators were present: Dina Abramson, John Bard, Bobbie Bowen, shane patrick boyle, Ralph Coatsworth, Henry Gaw, Stephanie Hawkins, Megan McGovern, Dylan Moore, Carlos Morales, Michelle Palmer, Amy Parks, Reshma Patel, Gregory Propes, Louis Puente, Tony Rodriguez, Sadiq Sayani, David Shine, Jennifer Zuber.

The following senators were late: Brad Smith.

The following senators were absent: Mark Anderson, Kate Birenbaum, Sameer Butt, Noel Carden, Aijaz Chaudry, Jason Godfrey, Aashish Malhotra, Arun Natraj, Rupal Patel, Adnan Qureshi, Jerome Ronquillo.

The following senators were excused: Jennifer Garner.

The following Executive Cabinet members were present: Charles Gaviola.

The following university officials were present: Consuelo Trevino, Director of Campus Activities.

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:

Student Regent, Mitchell Rhodes handed out to the senators his report of the University of Houston Board of Regents meeting held on April 22, 1992. He informed the Senate that Dr. James Pickering has been named Interim President of UH for a term of two years, expiring on August 31, 1994.

He informed the senators that Mr. Daniel Lurvey, the Chairman of SFAC did appear in front of the Board, to speak on SFAC's opposition to President Pickering's proposal to raise Student Service Fees an additional \$2.00 to \$96.00 instead of the \$94.00 recommended by the committee. Mr. Rhodes said that in the end the Board did approve the \$96.00 Student Service Fees. He said that this would mean that the average student taking 15 hours in the Fall would pay \$78.00 more per semester if residents and \$528.00 more per semester if non-residents. Mr. Rhodes encouraged the Senate to work its ways to levy the cost for student attending UH.

Mr. Rhodes said that the Board approved the implementation of a \$15.00 per semester Library Fee and that there were many applause after the Board voted to approve it.

5. Two Minute Speeches by the Members

None.

6. Report of the President:

None.

7. Report of the Vice President:

8. Report of the Speaker:

None.

9. Reports of the Standing Committees:

The Standing Committees had no business to report.

10. Reports of the Select Committees:

The Select Committees had no business to report.

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

None.

b) Legislation Introduced on the Senate Floor

None.

13. Unfinished Business and General Orders

None.

14. New Business and General Orders:

a) Introduction of Presidential Nominations

None.

b) Motions on Committee Bypass

None.

c) Other New Business and General Orders

There was no other New Business.

15. Comments and Announcements

None.

16. Closing Call of the Roll by the Secretary

Senate Secretary Quynh Thai called the closing call of the roll and the following senators were present: Dina Abramson, John Bard, Bobbie Bowen, shane patrick boyle, Ralph Coatsworth, Henry Gaw, Stephanie Hawkins, Megan McGovern, Dylan Moore, Carlos Morales, Michelle Palmer, Amy Parks, Reshma Patel, Gregory Propes, Louis Puente, Tony Rodriguez, Sadiq Sayani, David Shine, Jennifer Zuber.

The following senators were absent: Mark Anderson, Kate Birenbaum, Sameer Butt, Noel Carden, Aijaz Chaudry, Jason Godfrey, Aashish Malhotra, Arun Natraj, Rupal Patel, Adnan Qureshi, Jerome Ronquillo.

The following senators were excused: Jennifer Garner.

17. Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned by general consent at 8:30 p.m.

APPROVED AS AMENDED BY THE TWENTY-NINTH SENATE OF
THE UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION ON MAY 4, 1992

Quynh Thai, Senate Secretary

John Bard, Speaker of the Senate