

S. 86-78

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

Motion failed
S.M. 3/11/86

MEMORANDUM

To: Senate

From: Senate Committee
on Agenda and Rules

Subject: Notice of Motion -
Senate, October 6, 1986

Date: October 20, 1986

At the meeting of Senate held on October 6, 1986, the following
Notice of Motion was duly presented:

Motion: "that Senate consider as policy the position
that there can be no two successive cancellations of
Senate's monthly meetings".

The effect of this motion, if passed, would be a change to the Rules of
Senate. Current Section V., A., 3. of the *Rules of Senate* addresses
the question of cancellation of a Regular Meeting of Senate, setting
out the following:

3. If in the opinion of the Chairman, there is
insufficient business to justify a regular meeting, he
may cancel the meeting and instruct the Secretary
to so inform the members.

Under the *Rules of Senate*, an affirmative vote by two-thirds of the
voting members present is required to carry a motion that would
change those *Rules*.