

**SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY
OFFICE OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT, ACADEMIC
MEMORANDUM**

To: Senate

From: J.M. Munro, Chair
Senate Committee on Academic Planning

Subject: Limited Enrollment Programs and International Students

Date: February 17, 1994

The Senate Committee on Academic Planning considered the report of the Senate Committee on International Students in October 1993 and dealt with the majority of the report's recommendations, forwarding motions for approval to Senate. SCAP delayed consideration of one SCIS matter, a recommendation to restrict enrollment of international students in all limited enrollment programs to a maximum of 10%. SCAP referred the issues to the Faculties for response.

With the exception of Business Administration, none of the programs which currently have enrollment restrictions requested the imposition of a limit on international students at this time. Of the departments without enrollment limits, some supported the original SCIS suggestion and others opposed it. SCAP rejected the SCIS recommendation that there be a limit of 10% international students in all limited enrollment programs. Instead SCAP recommended the following actions for consideration by Senate:

Motion 1:

"that Senate approve and recommend approval to the Board of Governors that limited enrollment programs may request approval to limit enrollment of undergraduate international students to 10%"

Motion 2:

"that Senate approve and recommend to the Board of Governors that the restriction that enrollment of undergraduate international students in the Faculty of Business Administration be limited to 10% of total undergraduate enrollment be extended for a period of three years"

The language in motion 1 would allow other programs to bring forward recommendations to restrict the enrollment of international students in their undergraduate programs in the future if that was felt necessary.

J.M. Munro