

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS of the tenth ordinary meeting of the

Executive Committee

of the

Imperial College Union in the 2007-2008 Session

The meeting of the Executive Committee was held in meeting room 7 of the Union Building on Thursday 15th May at 12.15pm.

Present:

President	Stephen Brown	
Deputy President (Clubs & Societies)	Alistair Cott	
Deputy President (Education & Welfare)	Kirsty Patterson	
Deputy President (Finance & Services)	Chris Larvin	
ICSMSU President	Tim Wills	
RCSU President	Jennifer Morgan	
Clubs and Societies Board representative	Lily Topham (SCC Chair)	

Permanent Observers:

Deputy General Manager	Robin Pitt
Governance and Administration Co-ordinator – clerk	Rebecca Coxhead

Observers: A&E Chair Andy Mason, RCC Chair Eugene Chang, Head of Finance Yildiz Kaya-Forster (12.30pm)

Apologies: Representation and Welfare Board representative Hannah Theodorou (Welfare Campaigns Officer), Clubs and Societies Board representative Danny Hill (RSM Chair), General Manager Peter Haldane, Honorary Senior Treasurer Simon Archer

Not present: GSA Chair Kilian Frensch

1. CHAIRS BUSINESS - None

2. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – 17th March 2008

NOTED:

a) Point 7.2, d, should read £25k and not £25.

RESOLVED:

1) To accept the minutes.

3. MATTERS ARISING - none

4. MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTS

RECEIVED: The paper was presented by the Deputy President (Finance & Services)

NOTED:

- a) Catering bought the GP up but is slow in the increase.
- b) South Kensington Bars GP is down and this is being investigated.
- c) Shops GP was down but this is due to an increase in stock ordering due to Commemoration day and other events that require extra stock to be bought in.
- d) Currently looking at a review budget for the GP on Catering.
 - i. The catering evening service re-launch has been well received.



- ii. Concern was raised on the services times for food and clients being turned away due to there not being enough stock to meet their orders.
- iii. It was recognised that the take is good but the customer experience is poor.
- e) It was suggested by the Deputy President (Education & Welfare) that more crockery plates should be purchased for the evening catering service to bring this inline with the environmental policy.
 - i. Plates are being stolen and taken back to rooms in Beit where the cleaners are throwing them away.
 - ii. The Deputy General Manager stated that with College Conference using Union facilities for breakfast service, College will be purchasing new crockery.
 - iii. The Deputy President (Finance & Services) stated tat he had been trawling through the kitchens in Beit and had found a large amount of Union crockery of which he returned to the Union.
 - iv. It was suggested that the Deputy President (Finance & Services) speak to the Beit Warden.

ACTION:

- 1. The Deputy President (Finance & Services) to raise concern over crockery being taken back to Beit Halls and thrown away by cleaners.
 - f) Concern was raised with the shortage of staff in the Bar with the increase of final term assessment meaning that students are not available for shifts.
 - i. The Deputy General Manager stated that the Bar will be getting in part time non student staff to plug the gaps.
 - g) Executive Committee moved to vote to accept the report and it passed unanimously.

RESOLVED:

1) To accept the report.

5. COURT APPOINTMENT

RECEIVED: The report was presented by the President

NOTED:

- a) The President was strongly in support of this appointment as he has a good background and shows he is terribly capable.
- b) The committee was also asked to reappoint Alex Guite and Elly Jay until the end of the 2009 session.
- c) There were no objections and it was resolved.

RESOLVED:

- 1) To nominate Jarlath Molloy for appointment by Union Council to the Court for the remainder of this academic year and the entirety of the 2008/09 session.
- 2) To reappoint Alex Guite and Elly Jay until the end of the 2009 session.

The meeting moved in to close session at 12.30pm

Approved as a correct record at a r of the Executive Committee on	neeting
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	_ Chair of the Meeting

