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by voice
vote 11/17/87

S.R. 20 Higher GPA for Liberal Arts

WHEREAS: It is a common goal to make the University an institution of the first class and

WHEREAS: The College of Liberal Arts has no minimum GPA requirement and

WHEREAS: Other colleges at the University have such restrictions and

WHEREAS: This lack of control has led to the overcrowding of the College of Liberal Arts which lowers its overall quality and

WHEREAS: Dean King has submitted a proposal for the implementation of a minimum GPA requirement for Liberal Arts and

WHEREAS: Students entering the University in the College of Liberal Arts in 1987 were admitted with no such restriction in place: therefore:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE STUDENT SENATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS that we endorse efforts by Dean King and the liberal arts faculty to impose a minimum 2.25 GPA for the College of Liberal Arts; furthermore:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE STUDENT SENATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS that in the interest of fairness and uniformity that when and if such a requirement is implemented it should apply only to those students entering the College of Liberal Arts after the spring semester of 1988; furthermore:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE STUDENT SENATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS that an addendum to the 1987-1989 Catalog of the College of Liberal Arts be published stating any new policy should such policies be approved.

Sponsors Senators Reed and Grossman

Secretary of the Senate Date Pass/Fail

Vice-President of the Students' Association
and President of the Senate