

## INDEX TO EMERGENCY PROPOSALS

Rules of order governing AUCE Convention - with specific regard to consideration of Resolutions and Constitutional Amendments and Emergency Resolutions and Emergency Constitutional Amendments.

1. The final deadline for submission of all resolutions and constitutional amendments to the Provincial Executive is no later than \_\_\_\_\_ (28 days prior to Convention.) except Special Conventions in which case the time required may be less.
2. Any resolution or proposed Constitutional amendment to be accepted must be submitted by the executive committee or a body directly affiliated or chartered by this organization and signed by the presiding officer and secretary. A resolution shall not deal with more than one subject, shall refer to the action which is proposed, and shall contain not more than one hundred and fifty words.
3. Resolutions and Constitutional Amendments received or submitted contrary to the above shall be referred to the Provincial Executive who may refer such proposals or proposal to the Convention with the understanding that consideration is dependent upon two-thirds majority consent of the Convention.

### A. EMERGENCY RESOLUTIONS - yellow sheets

1. AUCE Local 1 May 21/81 letter re: per capita tax.
2. AUCE Local 1 May 21/81 letter re: policy binding on all locals.
3. AUCE Local 6 re: Nuclear Weapons research and development.
4. AUCE Local 6 re: Lobbying Committee
5. AUCE Local 6 (two to be considered together)  
re: Local 1 outstanding per capita tax  
and  
Local 5 affiliation to CCU with regard to disciplinary proceedings.

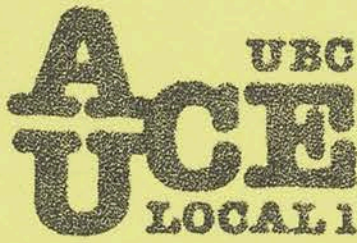
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### B. EMERGENCY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS - green sheets

1. AUCE Local 1 May 21/81 letter re: effective dates of per capita tax.
2. AUCE Local 6 re: Section 19: Disciplines; to add Section F., G., H., & I.

May be added to at Convention.



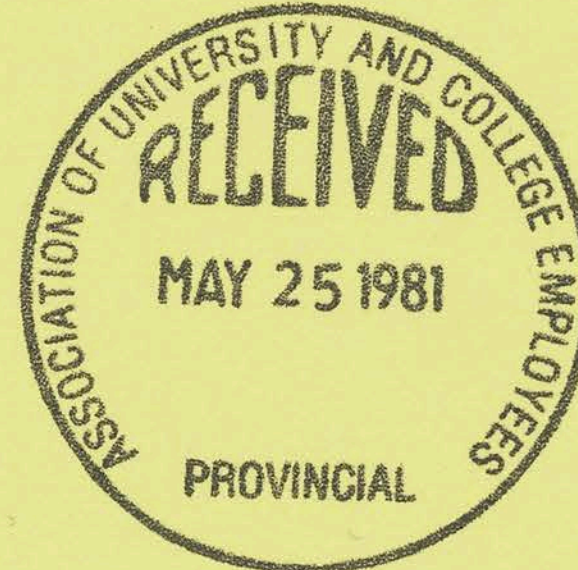


association of university and college employees

May 21, 1981

AUCE Provincial  
901 - 207 West Hastings Street  
Vancouver, B.C. V60 1J8

Attention: Sheila Perret



Dear Sheila:

The following resolutions and constitutional amendment were passed at our membership meeting of May 21, 1981. Please see they are in the convention dockets. We understand that we will still have to have 2/3 of the delegates in favour to consider them.

RESOLUTIONS

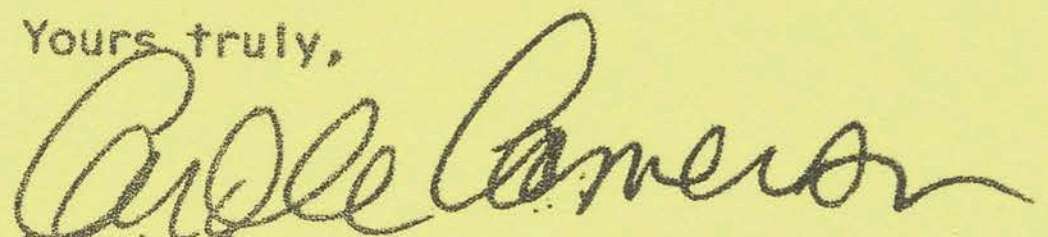
- #1 THAT AUCE Local 1 reiterates the position taken at our February 19, 1981 union meeting with respect to the payment of back per capita tax. The motion at that meeting read "THAT AUCE Local not pay to the Provincial Association the outstanding arrears in the per capita tax for the period August 1980 to December 1980.
- #2 WHEREAS the Provincial Convention has recommended that the Provincial Association attempt to affiliate to the CLC, and WHEREAS the Provincial Association has voted, through referendum ballot, to lobby to affiliate directly to the CLC, therefore be it resolved, THAT the convention take a stand that the policy decisions of the convention be binding on all locals and that decisions of individual locals must be in accord with the constitution and by-laws of AUCE, and THAT any Local of the Association of University and College Employees will cease to be a member of the Provincial Association when they affiliate to another labour body except where the entire Provincial Association votes to affiliate to another labour body.

Signed by:

Marcel Dionne, President

Wendy Lymer, Sec/Treasurer

Yours truly,

  
Carole Cameron  
Union Organiser  
AUCE Local 1



EMERGENCY PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY AUCE LOCAL 6

WHEREAS the Simon Fraser University Chemistry Department is considering requesting a nuclear research reactor, the Safe Low Power Kritical Experiment Reactor, known as SLOWPOKE, at a cost of between \$500,000.00 and \$1,000,000.00, and

WHEREAS any nuclear activity engages the nuclear fuel cycle, from the mining of uranium to the dumping of radioactive wastes, and

WHEREAS British Columbia has no disposal site for radioactive wastes, and

WHEREAS an earthquake fault line runs under the Simon Fraser campus on Burnaby Mountain, and earthquake activity could cause radioactive leakage, and

WHEREAS there is a danger of exposing students, workers, residents and children at the daycare centres at SFU to radioactive contamination, and

WHEREAS safe working conditions are a fundamental right, and

WHEREAS there is no reason to train nuclear scientists or develop nuclear technology if there is no nuclear industry in British Columbia, and

WHEREAS the 1980 AUCE Provincial Convention initiated a cross-local committee to investigate Discovery Park, and

WHEREAS the AUCE Provincial Association has participated in the Coalition for a Nuclear Free World in 1980 and 1981,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Provincial Association support the banning of all nuclear weapons research.

The Provincial Association support the establishment of Simon Fraser University, including Discovery Park, as a nuclear free zone.

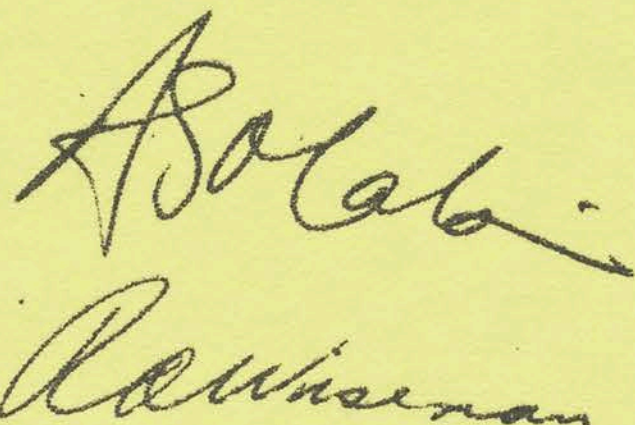
The Provincial Association send a brief [REDACTED] to the Universities Council of B.C., the SFU Board of Governors, the B.C. Research Council, the Department of Labour, the Department of Education, the Press and wherever else deemed suitable by the Provincial Executive, outlining our opposition to nuclear research development on our campuses.

AUCE locals be encouraged to distribute through the shop steward systems educational and organizing materials relating to the anti-nuclear movement.

The Provincial Association endorse and participate in all actions in accordance with the AUCE Constitution which have the intention of halting nuclear research and development in British Columbia.

Signed by: Alan Mabin, Acting President

Bob Wiseman, Co-ordinator

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EMERGENCY PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY AUCE LOCAL 6

WHEREAS the membership of AUCE has voted to lobby the Canadian Labour Congress to admit AUCE intact as an affiliate;

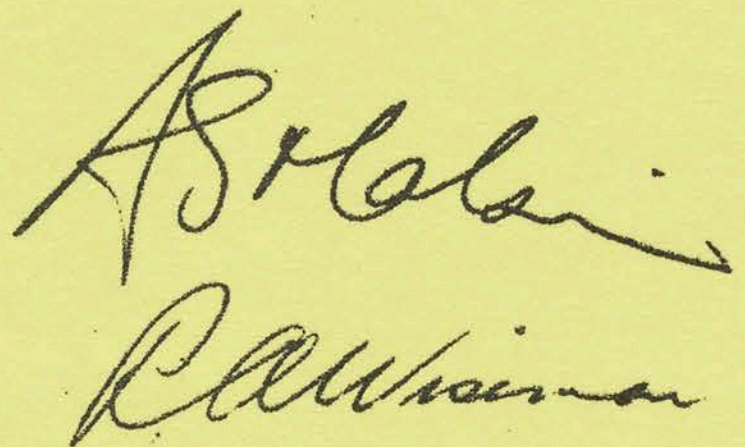
AND WHEREAS lobbying can succeed only with strong commitment from the Provincial Executive and all locals;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT a committee be struck from Convention delegates from each local to work with the Provincial Executive in lobbying the CLC and its affiliates;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the authority of this committee be restricted to informal contacts - and that only the Provincial Executive shall have the authority to enter formal meetings or negotiations regarding affiliation.

Signed by: Alan Mabin, Acting President

Bob Wiseman, Co-ordinator

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EMERGENCY PROPOSALS SUBMITTED BY AUCE LOCAL 6

WHEREAS THE 1980 AUCE Convention approved a percapita tax increase from \$2.00 to \$3.25 per member per month, and submitted the increase to a referendum of the membership of AUCE for approval;

AND WHEREAS the result of this referendum was that the per capita tax increase was approved by the membership;

AND WHEREAS the decision of the Provincial Executive to implement the increase effective August 1980 was made in consultation with ALL locals, and based on past practice;

AND WHEREAS the results of referenda are binding on all locals;

AND WHEREAS the decision of Local 1 not to pay the per capita tax increase for four (4) months is in direct violation of the decision by AUCE to increase the per capita tax;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT in order that Local 1 may continue to participate in AUCE Provincial, Convention urges Local 1 to make a commitment to pay the outstanding per capita tax to AUCE;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT should Local 1 continue to refuse to pay their outstanding per capita tax at any time, disciplinary proceedings be instituted against the local according to amendments proposed to Section 19 of the Provincial Constitution, two months after Convention.

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WHEREAS the 1980 Provincial Convention instructed the Provincial Executive to conduct referenda on affiliation;

AND WHEREAS the decisions of these referenda were to reject affiliation to the CCU and to lobby the CLC to admit AUCE intact as an affiliate;

AND WHEREAS the results of these referenda are binding on all AUCE locals;

AND WHEREAS the decision by Local 5 to affiliate to the CCU is in direct violation of the AUCE Provincial policy on affiliation;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT in order that Local 5 may continue to participate in AUCE Provincial that this Convention urges Local 5 to withdraw from the CCU;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT should Local 5 decide to remain affiliated to the CCU, disciplinary proceedings be instituted against the local according to amendments proposed to Section 19 of the Provincial Constitution, two months after Convention.

Signed by: Alan Mabin, Acting President

Bob Wiseman, Co-ordinator

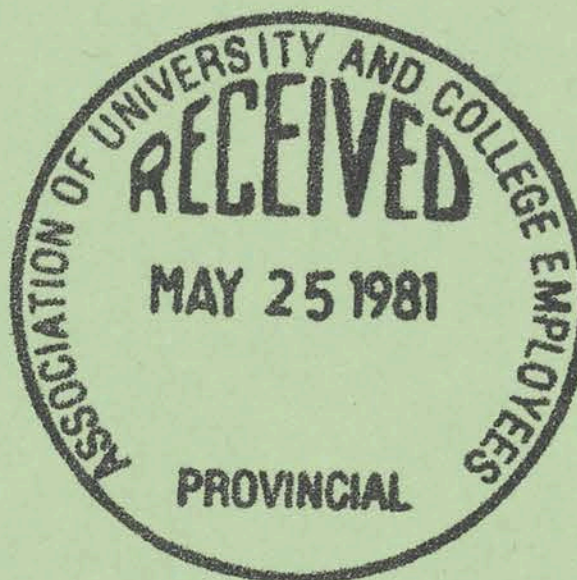
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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Section 15 (REVENUE AND FINANCES)

- A. The revenue of the Provincial Association shall be derived from a per capita tax of three dollars and twenty-five cents (3.25) per full/time member per month, excluding those members unemployed as dealt with in Sections 4G, 4H and 4I of this Provincial Constitution. Other than full/time members shall pay a per capita tax of twenty-five (25) per cent of the dues collected per month. The amount of per capita tax shall be changed only by a majority of ballots cast in a referendum of the Provincial Association.

Amendment: to be added

*An increase in per capita tax shall be effective the third month following the month in which the referendum was concluded to allow locals adequate time to obtain any local dues increases which may be necessary to accommodate the per capita tax increase.*

*Any local on strike or locked out shall not be required to pay the Provincial per capita tax requirements for the duration of the strike.*

*Per capita tax shall be waived when any member of the bargaining unit is on strike, locked out or affected by secondary picketing for more than two (2) weeks. At all times, the articles of the constitution dealing with strikes shall be adhered to. In all instances, the per capita tax is payable for members of the bargaining unit not affected by strike, lockout or secondary picketing.*

Signed by:

Marcel Dionne, President

Wendy Lymer, Sec/Treasurer

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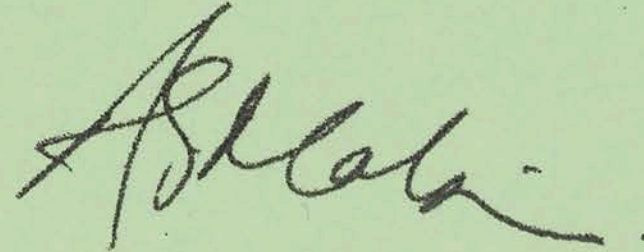


EMERGENCY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT - submitted by AUCE Local 6

ADD TO THE END OF SECTION 19 - DISCIPLINE

- F. The Provincial Association shall have the right to discipline any Local Association for a violation of the Provincial Constitution, Local Association By-Laws, or decisions of the Provincial Association at Convention or through referenda, only after a fair hearing and a majority vote at a Provincial Convention. A hearing shall be called by the Provincial Executive upon request by the membership, through a membership meeting, of at least two local associations. If a hearing is called for more than three (3) months before an annual Convention is due to meet, a Special Convention may be convened to hear the charges against the local association accused. The accused local association shall be presented with the charges in writing at least ten (10) days prior to the hearing and shall have the right to have counsel. The accused shall also be advised in writing at least ten (10) days prior to the hearing of their right to counsel and rights of appeal.
- G. The Provincial Convention, after such hearing, shall if the accused is found guilty, have the right to impose any or all of the following penalties:
1. Reprimand the local association;
  2. Suspend the local association from participating in any or all union activities for a period of time to be determined by the Convention;
  3. Revoke the Charter of the local association.
- H. The accused local association shall have the right to appeal the decision of the Convention to the membership of the Provincial Association. The appeal shall be conducted by referendum vote. The arguments of each party to the hearing shall be circulated to each member of the Provincial Association with a referendum ballot, ratifying or rejecting the decision of Convention.
- I. Any local association which has its Charter revoked under this discipline procedure shall retain its assets and records if it affiliates to another union, or becomes an independent body. If the local association should be dissolved within three (3) months of the Charter being revoked, the assets and records shall become the property of the Provincial Association.

Signed by: Alan Mabin, Acting President



Bob Wiseman, Co-ordinator

