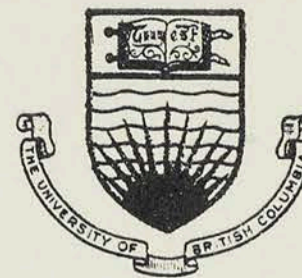


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9th March 1977

Dear Sir, Madame:

As I am sure you are well aware, the university community is presently experiencing a financial crisis. The campus has received an inadequate amount of funding for the coming year. Consequently there is the danger of cutbacks in faculty, staff and other essential items and services, as well as increases in fees.

In concern over this state of affairs the university Board of Governors has requested that the Universities Council of British Columbia urge the provincial government to provide additional operating funds for U.B.C. The Alma Mater Society endorses this board decision. Moreover, we urge you to endorse this action as well. We hope that you will take a few minutes of your time to write a letter to the UCBC outlining the impact of cutbacks in your department, union or organization and your opposition to fee hikes. We feel that a strong letter campaign with your backing can go a long ways to alleviating the present financial crisis.

We appreciate your concern and would like to thank you, in advance, for your efforts. The UCBC is located at 805 West Broadway.

Sincerely

Moe Sihota
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