

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY**Memorandum**

TO: Senate

FROM: W. R. Heath
Registrar and Secretary of Senate

DATE: April 29, 1992

SUBJECT: Senate Attendance

For the two Senate term years of June 1990-May 1991 and June 1991-May 1992, there were 12 instances where elected Senators had missed three or more consecutive meetings, and 4 instances where elected Senators had missed four or more consecutive meetings (includes those with three or more). It should be noted that, in some of these cases at least, absence was the result of illness or teaching schedules or class commitments over a semester.

Given that there were such few instances, the Senate Committee on Agenda and Rules was of the opinion that an additional rule for Senate with regard to meeting attendance was not necessary.