$10 million deficit projected

By Joe Kashi

MIT will face a projected deficit of over ten million dollars in the next three years, President Howard Johnson told the Faculty Wednesday.

A review of MIT's financial plight highlighted a report on the state of the Institute presented during Johnson's remarks before the first faculty meeting of the year. Even if we cut expenses and continue to receive income at the present rate, said Johnson, "the deficit will still exceed ten million dollars." "We cannot live with a deficit of this size, it would seriously hurt our educational program," he concluded.

Research endangered

Also endangered are research programs, including the Haystack Radio telescopes at Lincoln Laboratories and the National Magnetic Laboratories on Albany Street. The deficit over the three years is less than originally projected by about nine million dollars. Johnson also told the faculty that there might not be enough money to grant them the pay increases which had been relatively routine in the past.

Frisbees, mattresses overrun DuPont gym

By Lee Giguere

Midnight football games, glowing frisbees, and mattresses have replaced the foils and epees normally found in the fencing room.

For the last two weeks, Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity has been housed in the Armory, courtesy of the MIT athletic department.

PKA is now in the process of obtaining a license for a house they plan to buy in Cambridge. As soon as the city grants their request, they plan to complete the purchase and move into the house, which is across Brickyard Field from the armory.

Rick Brooks, the house's only former occupant, called at Lincoln Laboratory to report "extremely convenient transportation.

For the first two nights, the brothers had to sleep with the Armory's decent lights on in the fencing room. When they finally found the light switch, they discovered that the lights in DuPont and left them dimly illuminated. Several brothers, including the baby man elected to turn out the lights, were fanned to death through the dark labyrinth of DuPont.

Inflation and the drastic cut in government support for research and higher education are the primary reasons for the deficit. However, Johnson continued, "other private universities are suffering similar, of which are much greater than MIT's.'

Among the problems facing the Institute this year are, he commented, how to relate knowledge with an awareness of society, how to reconcile freedom of dissent with the threat of violence, how to relate scientific research, with an awareness of its effects upon society and technological development.

"Politicalization of the Institute is, he said, dangerous to the relationship between the university and society. "We must not take stands," Johnson continued, "at the name of MIT.

While the university may grow into a potent political force in society, in its resoluteness, he convinced that such a move would destroy public trust in the universities. The fate of this politicization are already seen in the public mind.

SMC draws little interest

By Dave Bernstein

The Student Mobilization Committee to End the War in Viet Nam held a midnight Wednesday with a turnout of 100 students.

This organization claims to be the largest student anti-war group in the country.

The immediate plans for the group center around a demonstration for an October 31st mass mobilization. This national mobilization is similar to those held last year, will attempt to force a decision of the nation upon the need for an immediate withdrawal of all American troops in Vietnam, and publicize the results.

Discipline decisions upheld

By Joe Kashi

A review of the cases of seven students expelled last year for their part in the occupation of President Johnson's office has resulted in faculty awareness of the fact that the disposition of the cases remain unchanged.

The cases were reviewed by the Judicial Advisory Board, instituted last year specifically to review the cases of students who have been recommended to the President for expulsion by the Faculty Discipline Committee.

The Board considered three major areas: the possible existence of the evidence, due process, and the appropriateness of disciplinary actions taken. In all three areas the Board recommended that no new actions be taken.

The Board reviewed, the records of last spring's hearings, including both audio and video tapes. They further considered statements from the students involved, persons who know them, and interested parties in the MIT administration.

"None of the points examined as potential new evidence could alter the recommendations for disciplinary action," said the Board.

"Increasingly Legalistic" said one of the students, "Who's the ugly guy in slogans?" said another. "It may be Joe Kashi," said a third. "I think it should be taken seriously." "Let's get tough," said the fourth. "None of the points examined as potential new evidence could alter the recommendations for disciplinary action," said the Board.

They also pointed out that delays in last year's proceedings "appeared" to be the result of the Committee's efforts to protect the rights of the individuals involved.

The Board also asserted in its report that imperfections in the existing judicial process do not imply that "the proceedings were not just, fair, or proper."

The Board also pointed out that the degree recommendations of the CAP and Committee were not taken into consideration in the Committee's decisions.

The SMC has as its goals the immediate and unconditional withdrawal of all US troops from Vietnam and Southeast Asia, an end to the draft, high school rights, free speech for GI's, an end to campus complicity with the war effort, and self-determination for the peoples of the Third World.

Former UMOC joins MIT admissions staff

Miss Cynthia Helgerson '70, chosen Uplike Man on Campus two years ago is the new Assistant Director of Admissions.

During her campaign, Cindy's slogan was "Who's the ugly guy with the funny looking chest?" She asserted that she was qualified for the job saying "who would want your son to look like me? (37-25-37)"

Miss Helgerson graduated last June, with a major in the Physical Sciences options of Course XII, and spent the summer working at the Center for International Studies. At the Admissions Office, she will specialize in admission and counseling studies, although she will also take part in the general inter-
The Presidency

President Howard Johnson's plans to move to the post of MIT Corporation chairman have provoked a spate of arguments over how well he did, who his successor should be, and how this next leader should be chosen.

There are certainly important issues, but too much of the current debate ignores a crucial question: how should the office itself be structured? Only after carefully defining the responsibilities of MIT's chief executive can we properly select Johnson's replacement.

What are the duties of a President? Clearly, he must provide effective leadership for the faculty and represent their interests within the Corporation Executive Committee. He should set general goals and trends for both long-range planning and educational policy. He should be highly visible to students—capable of achieving a coolness, a divergence of interests, between John- son and the faculty. The Tech urges that MIT's next president be someone oriented academically, rather than corporately. Certainly an administrative or management assistant will be needed, but the chief executive could better meet the task of communicating with faculty and students from a background of many years in academic life. Much of the groundwork for effective leadership would then be available.

As for the selection process itself, we find it no less tragic that the Corporation chose to de-emphasize the potential contribution that faculty and students could make both in restructuring the office and in picking a new president. No matter how liberal, the alumni sitting on the office and in picking a new president. No matter how liberal, the alumni sitting on the

Letters to The Tech

Presidential Selection

To the Editor:

Mr. Eddleman, in his recent letter to The Tech (September 15), proposes a rather elaborate scheme for choosing a President which reflects, I believe, a very different conception of the Institute from that cherished both by its founders and those who have devoted themselves to MIT over the decades. MIT is not a "community of scholars" in the sense that Harvard proclaims itself to be. It is an institution, chartered by the State of Massachusetts, for the purpose of instituting and maintaining a society of arts, a museum of arts, and a school of industrial science, and aiding generally, by its teaching, research, and extension, the advancement, development, and practical application of science in conjunction with arts, agriculture, manufactures, and commerce.

The Institute and its titular head, the President, are not accountable simply to the present but also to the Future; not to the present faculty, students, and staff, but to the larger society outside the Institute community. We are not a political, but a scholarly body, and those who claim to represent the student body have not been correctly elected to do so.

I strongly concur with the argument that despite recent trends to the contrary, the Corporation remains, from the outside at least, to represent a rather narrow fraction of that larger society. But this failing should be remedied by changes in the composition of the Corporation, not by its abandonment as a vehicle for outside judgment.

With respect to the newly formed Corporation Committee on the Presidency, I can only suggest that Mr. Eddleman ac- quaint himself with the men behind the names, Dr. Stratton's Science and the Educated Man is available, I can only suggest that Mr. Eddleman acquainted himself with the men behind the names, Dr. Stratton's Science and the Educated Man is available for free, and could have been better than to ask us to sit on an advisory committee to an advisory committee.

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**Announcements**

- Undergraduate Policy Seminar 9
  - Commodity Transport and Regional Development
  - Exploration of the role which the many diverse social, economic, legal, and technical elements play in an emerging country play in its development.
  - For information contact Prof. William Stedfast, Room 1311, x7142.

- A new course in natural ecology is being offered under the program of student-directed courses. One or two field trips are planned.
  - Seminar 54: Mondays and Wednesdays 12:00 – 1:30, Room 20E-017, contact Tracy McElhaney x203 or 714-0668. First meeting Thursday, September 19 at noon, Room 20E-017.

- CJAC will hold an open meeting in the Bush Room, 10-105, on Monday, September 21 at 8 pm.

- The Law School Admission Test will be given on Sunday, October 17, 1970. Closing date of registration for the Fall test is September 25, 1970. A bulletin of information on the Law School Admission Test and Registration Form is available in Room 652-4438.

- The MIT chapter of the New University Conference will present a series of six forums entitled "The Peace Games are Over: Electoral Politics and Reality" at MIT on Thursday evenings beginning September 24, at 8 pm, room to be announced. The series will include talks by Noam Chomsky, Carl Ogden, and Fr. Robert Dunlap.

- All activities chairmen (of activities registered or not) please report your address to the Activities Secretary (W20-451, x3766) to facilitate handling of mail, and so you can be contacted early in the year for meetings etc. UA Representatives please report to the UA Secretary (W20-401, x2696).

- Eight color schlieren photographs of air flow have been put on display in Strobe Alley, near Room 4-406. The photos were a feature display at the recent IX International High Speed Photography Congress.

- The Tech Policy Regarding Announcements:
  - Only those announcements which are of general interest to the MIT Community will be published. In general, advertisements must be from the MIT Community; advertisements of events for which there is no admission charge will not be included.
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well worth the reading by any MIT student. Those who heard Dr. Bush castigating GM at the open meeting of CJAC and the Corporation Executive Committee last May, or who have read any of his many books, have difficulty dismissing his capacity for evaluating leadership as off-handedly as Mr. Eddleman. Neither Dr. Thore of Peter Bent Brigham Hospital nor attorney Jephthia Wade seem to be part of the "Military-Industrial—University Complex," whatever that is. Finally, with respect to the fears I have heard expressed around campus that the Corporation might impose a Hayakawa-like figure on MIT, or some other person equally antipathetic to students and faculty, I would suggest that they overestimate the power of a president to more an institution without broad support from both students and faculty. A president without such support wouldn't last a month, and it is not likely that the Corporation woul.d be so foolish as to select someone who was not acceptable to the Institute community.

Mr. Eddleman seems to imply that picking a President is a process of winnowing one from the many. In these times, it is more a question of finding someone one who will even take the job. Anytime any of you have time not demanded by such "stupid activities" as running (defunct?) newspapers or "powerless" student government, we would like to have join you as defenders of MIT. And contrary to the opinion expressed by the Tech, we, both students and faculty, believe would be better off elsewhere.

Martin A. Sirbu, Jr. G

Introducing MIT?

(Ed. Note—Prof. Greeley sent this letter to Mr. Eddleman with a note asking him to publish it in The Tech, saying "... We would be happy to have our appeal go to that wide audience.")

Dear Wells (Eddleman):

I read with interest the parody on our leaflet "Introducing MIT," published over the name of you and two others in the August 4 issue of The Tech. I'm sure that, to some, it will appear to have a bright as well as a humorous quality. Nevertheless, it seems to me that persons who are presumed to be as responsible as you three should recognize the difference between "ex- cerpts" in quotes and parody or caricature or paraphrase, so presented. The fact that some of you took the time to work over Introducing MIT this way suggests that you may have had affirmative reasons, beyond just plain fun, for wanting to revise some of the statements in this leaflet. I wish this were the case, because we earnestly solicit constructive suggestions, from students and others interested in MIT. We do not accept the parody which you published as constructive; but we would like to have whoever has the kind of time required to prepare such a parody focus his efforts in constructive directions.

Remember, Introducing MIT is intended for those who want a quick, realistic picture of MIT, anticipating that they may wish to attend. Hence, we want it to attract, on the basis of honest statements, those whom you would like to have join you as students at MIT. And contrary, if it is going to warn some students at MIT. And contrary to the opinion expressed by the Tech, we, both students and faculty, believe would be better off elsewhere.

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