The Boston Council voted Monday at its third meeting held at MIT in favor of recommending that the Massachusetts sales tax be extended to all educational institutions.

Current students' purchases of required textbooks are tax-free. However, the purchaser must complete a form indicating his name, school, and the name and author of the book.

This decision of the Boston Council, which is an assembly of representatives from most colleges in the Boston area, was reached after considerable debate. Since the financial burden to the student is practically insignificant, and since the revenue from the tax is allocated for educational purposes, it was decided to support the extension of the tax.

Delegates from nine schools in the Boston area attended the meeting: Boston College, Boston University, Harvard, Lesley, MIT, Newton College of the Sacred Heart, Northeastern, Radcliffe, and Wheelock.

MIT's representatives were P. F. Frank March '67 and Bob Hewitt '66.

In addition to the sales tax problem, a number of other problems were discussed. An inter-collegiate calendar of events will be regularly prepared and distributed by Wheelock College. This will allow students to know what events are occurring on other campuses.

Suggestions were made as to the structure of the Boston Council itself. There will be a Chair-

jom, a Secretary, and a three man rotating executive committee. Currently the Acting Chair-

man is Frank March '67 and the Acting Secretary is Bob Hewitt '66, both from MIT. However, it was agreed that as two of the five elected officers should be from the same school, Elections for these offices will be held next month.

Two voting delegates will represent each school. All member colleges will pay a $5 fee to help pay for refreshments and mailings. Meetings will be held monthly on Sunday evenings in the InnCoen Meeting Room here at MIT. The Executive Committee will meet one additional time each month.

The Alumni Council of the Inter-

terfraternity Conference held a special meeting at Theta Delta Chi November 9. This group, made up of the presidents of each of the house corporations of the fraternities as well as the Execu-

tive Committee, was able to both discuss business and to acquaint itself with the new leadership of Theta Del-

ta Chi, which moved into Dean Farnell's house this year.

Dr. Gray, a graduate of the university, speaking to the members of the group dined at the house, where the featured speaker was President Howard Johnson. Johnson, besides speak-

ing briefly on the fraternity sys-

rem at MIT, also addressed him-

self to the topic of MIT and its relations with Cambridge, saying that he felt residents along the Inner Belt route had a right to remain in Cambridge, and that MIT might be obligated to help them in their move to some other location in the city.

Justice in armed forces
topic of forum program

The Harvard Law School For-

rum will present a program today entitled "The Justice in the Armed Forces." The program will begin at this evening in Low-

ell Lecture Hall.

The panel discussion, to be moderated by Colonel Robert H. Pell, will include Rear Admiral Wilford Heem, Brigadier General Kenneth Hodson, and Mr. Warren Perry.

Admiral Heem is the Judge Ad-

vocate-General of the Navy, and is thus head of the Navy's judicial machinery. Brigadier General Hodson is Assistant Judge Advo-

cate General of the Army, and is author of the American Criminal Law Quarterly. Mr. Perry is a member of the firm of Ropes, Gray, and helped prepare cases at the Nuremberg war crimes trials.

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