LSC rejects A-V bid

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Lecture Series Committee

Monday night to continue using student projectionists to show films, despite administration requests that it use Audio-Visual projectionists. Use of the A-V projectionists would cost LSC $82 per night, whereas student projectionists were to be paid eight dollars per hour, under the administration's latest proposal.

Since September, student members of LSC have been showing films without pay, resulting in a net savings of over $1000 dollars for the organization.

LSC says that Assistant to the Vice-President for Operations, Lawrence Bishoff, persuaded it to turn to using Audio-Visual projectionists. It attributes the following quote to Bishoff: "We're not forcing you to use student projectionists; let's just say, we're asking you." MIT has a closed shop contract with a union which represents the projectionists, and apparently feels it may be bound to require that LSC, as an MIT activity, return to using union projectionists.

A motion was brought up at Monday night's meetings to the effect that LSC would return to using union projectionists on the condition that the Institute pay their salaries, but the motion was defeated, with several students vowing that LSC would shut down before returning to union projectionists.

MIT and the union are reported to be submitting the dispute to arbitration very shortly, at which time LSC will have to decide on whether to accept the arbiter's findings.

One of the reasons for LSC's switch to student projectionists was an increase in the price of A-V services. Most projectionist prices have been raised to fourteen dollars per hour, and this was the price originally quoted to LSC, but in an effort to come to understanding, LSC was given the lower figure.

Only two students voted against the motion to continue using LSC members to show films.

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