

# COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

## SCHOOL OF GENERAL STUDIES GENERAL STUDIES STUDENT COUNCIL

TUESDAY OCTOBER 19, 2004

**Present:** Abbey, Izak, Alissa, Fina, Akiva, Katia, Dalit, Josh, Kathryn, Matan, Jessica, Omri, Ariel, Stephen

**Also in Attendance (non-voting members of the GSSC):** Kasia, Doron

**Excused Absences:** Claudia, Liz, Marianna, Pavan

**Quorum is established.** (14/18)

### I – Agenda Item – Committee Updates

### II – Agenda Item – Old Business

#### A. National Tuition Endowment

Presentation by Matan on the Senate's proposed NTE plan.

**Motion:** Dalit moves to approve the Senate's proposed NTE plan.

**Second:** Abbey seconds

**Vote:** 7 In favor  
4 Against  
2 Abstention

**Motion:** Omri moves to table the Senate's proposed NTE plan until next Tuesday, October 26.

**Second:** Alissa

**Vote:** 8 In favor  
2 Against  
3 Abstentions

**The National Tuition Endowment is tabled until next week or until further information becomes available.**

#### B. Budgets

##### 1. Senior Class Budget - \$7100

##### 2. Parents Liaison Budget - \$1500

**Motion:** Akiva moves to approve both the Senior Class Budget for \$7100 and Parents Liaison Budget for \$1500.

**Second:** Alissa

**Vote:** 12 In favor  
1 Against – Please submit budgets to the council in the future.  
0 Abstentions

#### C. Co-sponsorship Policy

The E-board decided on a policy to present for the council's approval: That the GSSC would no longer grant allocations to governing board recognized groups except to co-sponsor events, buy ads, etc. The GSSC would, however, continue to grant allocations to newly organized groups looking for seed money.

**The Co-sponsorship policy is tabled until a constitutional amendment proposal next week.**

### III – Agenda Item – New Business

**A. Relay for Life** – Alissa will be contact person.

**B. Council Event** – Stay tuned for a GSSC night out after mid-terms.

**C. New Student Welcoming Program** – Josh will be chairperson.