



Students' Senate (2014-15)
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To,
Prof. A.K. Ghosh,
Dean, Students Affairs &
Chief Counsellor, Students' Gymkhana
IIT Kanpur

Subject: Regarding the funding for the General Championship

Dear Sir,

As you may be aware, the Students' Gymkhana annually organizes an inter-pool General Championship consisting of events from all 5 Councils of the Gymkhana with the pools decided on the basis of Halls of Residence. A concern was raised in a meeting of the Council of Students for Hostel Affairs (COSHA), a standing council of the Students' Senate that the pools take the fund they need to participate in the events from the from the Establishment charges of their Hall, collected from each Hall resident. This leads to inequity among pools, since different Halls contribute different amounts to this fund.

The issue was discussed in the COSHA, and subsequently in the Senate. In the 2014-15/2nd Meeting of the Students' Senate held on 8th April, 2014, the Senate considered this issue, and agreed on the following proposal:

- The Gymkhana fees collected from each student be increased from Rs. 450 to Rs. 500, per year.
- The Establishment charges of Halls be commensurately decreased, as deemed appropriate by the appropriate authority.
- From the increase in the Gymkhana budget, Rs. 4,00,000 will be earmarked for the General Championship. Rs. 1,00,000 will be allocated to each pool (there are four pools) to spend as they wish for the General Championship events. The pools will not be allowed to spend any money over and above this.



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- A Pool Finance Committee shall be constituted by the Students' Senate for each pool, which shall serve the same oversee the expenditure of the pools and shall verify bills in a manner similar to the Finance Committee of the Students' Gymkhana.

The Senate further agreed that the above proposal should only be implemented if all Halls agree to the decrease in establishment charges.

The Senate directed me to forward this proposal to you. On behalf of the Students' Senate, I request you to itemize this proposal as an agenda item in the next meeting of the Hall Management Council (HMC).

Sincerely,

(Anurag Sahay)
Chairperson, Students' Senate

CC:

1. President, Students' Gymkhana (with a request to convene a meeting of the HMC)
2. General Body of the Students' Gymkhana (through the Students mailing list)