



Students' Senate (2014-15)
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To,
General Body of the Students' Gymkhana
(through students@lists.iitk.ac.in)

Subject: Resolution adopted by the Students' Senate on 14th January, 2015

Dear All,

The 2014-15/1st (Emergency) Meeting of the Students' Senate was held on 14th January, 2015. In the meeting, the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the Students' Senate by a show-of-hands:

“The Students' Senate believes that the situation created by the Institute administration that resulted in the resignation of Mr. Rohan Bansal as the Chief Election Officer is exemplary of a much deeper problem, which is the lack of trust by the Institute administration towards the representatives and Officebearers of the Students' Gymkhana, and the decisions taken by Students' Senate.

The Senate believes that the current administration is undermining the faith and respect that the Institute has accorded in the past both to the Students' Gymkhana in specific, and the student body in general. The Senate also notes that the Institute administration has made a practice of bypassing the Students' Senate and the Executives of the Students' Gymkhana in matters directly pertaining to their purview including student issues and welfare and further believes that the Chief Counsellor, Students' Gymkhana has refrained from taking responsibility for the Gymkhana at many crucial occasions, where his support was solicited.

Taking into account the above, the Students' Senate, in its 2014-15/1st (Emergency) Meeting, resolves that this situation has created an environment which has often resulted in a lack of support to the Officebearers of the Students' Gymkhana and their initiatives, and believes that this situation cannot be allowed to continue. The Students' Senate respectfully requests that the Institute administration take appropriate steps to resolve this lack of faith and trust, to ensure that the Students' Gymkhana and the Institute may continue to work in a harmonious and enabling manner.”



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We are forwarding this resolution to you for your information.

Sincerely,

(Anurag Sahay)
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