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ACADEMIC SENATE

Pete Black
Student Affairs Committee

October 27, 1972

Dear Dr. Edwards,

Please accept this letter as notice of my resignation from Academic Senate and the chairmanship of the Student Affairs Committee. I feel that membership on this body is increasingly meaningless, and is therefore increasingly frustrating to me as a student. The time that I spend representing students is a burden that I no longer wish to carry, as it is obvious that this representation is constantly questioned, my motives are constantly questioned, and the results of that representation can be overruled on the whims of the administration.

I feel that I can better represent student interests by using my rights as a voting, tax paying citizen to take these questions outside of the university. This is in accord with the president's wish to have more and different input from more and different students. I will continue in Student Government as I feel that this body can be of more service to the student and the university than does the Senate, under the present circumstances.

To you, and my colleagues on the Senate, my thanks for your friendship and patience, and my sincere best wishes for the future of the Senate, and your roles in it.

sincerely,

Pete Black.