ASSOCIATED STUDENT GOVERNMENT
Meeting of March 7, 1978

Time of meeting

The Associated Student Governemnt of Western Kentucky University held its regular meeting March 7, 1978. President Moore called the meeting to order at 5:05 p.m.

Committee Reports
Activities

Dave Bass reported that Dr. Hunter Thompson, a writer for the Rolling Stone Magazine has been tentatively scheduled for 8:00 March 28 at Van Meter Auditorium. Admission is free.
Also a free concert is being planned for April 12. The concert committee has contacted The Average White Band. Prospective warm-up bands are Bob Welch, Little Feet, and Grover Washington, Jr.

Academic Affairs

Kevin Kinne announced that John Berry's Bottle Bill was killed in committee. Kinne also reported on the present position of House Bill #568, which is requesting that one student and one faculty member be given a seat on the C.H.E. Kinne reported that Bobby Gunnel, SGAK Vice President, said that no House or Senate leadership have spoken against the bill, but that many of them believed that an amendment calling for non-voting members should be attached to the bill. Gunnel felt this should be done, if we expect the bill to pass.
The House Education Committee will hold a hearing concerning Bill #568, March 1 or March 8.
Kinne explained that if the bill passes, the student representative would be elected in this manner: First, the President of each SGAK's student governments would select one nominee. Then the Governor would select the representative from these nominees.
Kinne announced that an Academic Council Caucus meeting will follow this meeting.

Rules and Elections

Gene Saunders announced those positions on Congress that presently have candidates. He said that no one has filed for many of the positions.
Saunders moved that campaign expenditures

be limited to $200.00 for executive office candidates which according to the By-Laws would limit all other candidates to $100.00. Steve Thornton seconded the motion. With no opposition, the motion carried.

Old Business

Administrative Vice President Murphy announced that the revised Constitution has been approved by the University. It will be on the General Election ballot. Murphy said the Constitution will be voted on as a whole and that 2/3 of the voters must vote in favor of the Constitution in order for it to pass.

New Business

Shawn Bryant reported on the Faculty Evaluation. Bryant said we will have 3 members on the Ad hoc Committee during the summer. President Moore explained that we're trying to conduct this evaluation in cooperation with the Faculty Senate, so it will be accepted with their approval.

Announcements

President Moore commented on the lack of students filing for positions on Congress. He announced that there are presently not enough candidates to hold a primary election. Moore asked everyone to please urge others to file.

Adjournment

David Young moved for adjournment. Steve Thornton seconded. With no further business to be discussed, President Moore adjourned the meeting at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon G. May, Secretary
Associated Student Government