BY GENE KEMMEYER AND JOHN ANDERSON

MADISON: A liberalized version of the Student Conduct code for Wisconsin state universities was passed here at 2:13 p.m. Tuesday by a unanimous vote of the Board of Regents of State Universities.

As a result of a major change, it will no longer be a violation to simply carry business, placards or other material inside university buildings for purposes of protest. Section F was revised to read: "Picketing conducted beyond the limitations of national, state and local laws and ordinances, and in violation of university regulations," will not be permitted.

Regent John Cronk, in the final passage in the regent's meeting this afternoon at the state capital building, members of the education committee this morning heard testimony on the proposed code.

Dr. Roger E. Guiles, president of WSU-Oshkosh, speaking for the Council of Presidents, recommended passage "pending legal and editorial revision."

Dr. Guiles said he was concerned that "the presidents do not have a code for their own responsibilities in handling these cases." He said that the presidents believe that "double jeopardy" is involved as long as there are two different jurisdictions: the court and the academic community.

John Cronk, president of the Associated Students Wisconsin State University Faculties, cited what he termed a "few fallacies" in the code. He said he felt that

BY MAFFIA MURDOCK

An open forum was held in the Wisconsin Room on Wednesday, Nov. 29, to discuss the proposed Uniform Student Code. Students, faculty, and administration were invited to speak and present their opinions "as they wish within a five minute limit." James Kellerman, a senior, moderated the discussion.

Peter Johnson was the first speaker. He pointed out that although the present administration is not a threat to the student under the code future students could be severely affected by a reactionary code. Mr. Johnson also stated that different universities need different codes. The Board of Regents does not seem to listen to the students, which the code would affect, but rather taxpayers and the legislature.

If the code is passed, another open forum, petition and peaceful support in open opposition to the code will take place.

Paul Schilling, student senator, President, listed the basic cause for the code as fear on the part of the Board of Regents. At WSU, he said, is moving in the wrong direction, toward potential control. It is the universities' responsibility to deal with on-campus problems and off-campus abuses. The University is not a sanctuary, nor should it offer double punishment.

Richard Henry posed the question of why we should have laws for the intelligent? He also suggested that if we are forced to obey laws passed without our representation, as Britain imposed in 1765, perhaps a tea party in front of the Union is in order.

The necessity of the code was doubted by Jack Lindberg, Elementary and secondary education and special education, UW-Madison.

Application of knowledge gained is the next step. This application is accomplished through a test of the ability to critique conditions. A second question asked is "is it necessary?"

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Three new majors for WSU-Stevens Point were approved by the action of the Board of Regents of State Universities meeting today in Madison.

Approved were undergraduate majors in wildlife and in resource management and a Master of Science in Teaching Spanish.

These programs will now be subject to the approval of the state Coordinating Committee for Higher Education.

In other action the regents deferred undergraduate majors in water science and soil science. A M.T. program in French and in German.

the procedure for due process should be spelled out a little clearer, he commented. The president is charged with the responsibility of "unauthorized occupancy" and "accentuated responsibility for their ideas.

Mrs. Robert Williams, a member of the Board of Regents from Stevens Point requested an amendment during the morning session that "previous code conduct not be included as a requirement." This amendment was defeated. (During the hearing Mrs. Williams raised frequent questions concerning the code in an attempt to voice, in the opinion of the Pointer re-

porter, the sentiments of WSU-Stevens Point students and to express these opinions to the Board of Regents.)

The complete Student Conduct Code will be found on page 3 of this edition.

students at W S U - Superior, speaking in behalf of the Deans of Students at the state universities who drafted the code, said that "any disagreements on the code should be alleviated with dialogue." Dr. Meadow's said the Deans were "against lawful assembly as it moves from the campus to the community." It was Meadow's feeling that students and administration can "get together" for explanation and sand better understanding of the code.

Avram Segal, WIU student from Superior and president of the United Council, expressed his conviction that students in off-campus affairs should not be subject to university jurisdiction. He said, "let our own decision, how to govern our lives."

Regent, from Eau Claire, moved at the close of the hearing that the code be accepted by the education committee, subject to revision by special legal counsel selected by the Governor. This motion will be requested immediately.

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Open Forum Opposes Code
**JAMES KELLERMAN**

(Continued from page 1) possibility that "immaturity" will lead to students riot.

We need to plan action now in lieu of adoption concerned Mike Harper. He warned that an student is being trained to fit into a system.

Mr. Swistula commended the forum but stressed that the public "not a time for bigoted or emotional thinking." It is rather one for sound criticism and honest, deliberate, thinking. He also reported Mrs. Williams has modified her position. He concluded with "Think, Regent, Faculty member John Golub more "reality based." It is true that the Regents believe in our immaturity.

Mr. Williams also told us that WSSU-Stevens Point, two students from WSSU-Oshkosh, and Regent of Superior.

**WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITY**

**Students Must Demonstrate Dissatisfaction**

Dear Editor -

I could attack each part of the new conduct code but it is all the same. I am more concerned about the idea of a uniform code in general. So, I will attempt to explain why I think that the students here should be in their power to either have the new code repealed or to be considered.

The idea of a group like the Board of Regents favoring this type of thing upon the students (without seriously listening to the views of these students) should be enough to make every student here very indignant. When we are told by many people that we are adults, it is difficult to understand why the Board of Regents insists on treating us like children. But, think, that all of the student should realize that the cost is neither an isolated incident, but is part of a total trend in this country.

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**PETER JOHNSON**

**Drive Defensively**

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Student Conduct Code

Recommended statement on students rights and rules of conduct at Wisconsin State University:

Although the Wisconsin State University system is concerned with the full support of all constitutional rights of its student citizen including due process in student disciplinary matters, it has also the equal obligation to protect its educational purposes. Each university must, therefore, at all times, be concerned with the actions of individuals or groups that are in conflict with the welfare and integrity of the institution. Students are expected to share with the faculty and administrators the responsibilities of assisting the president in the fulfillment of the university's mission.

The State of Wisconsin extends the benefits of admission to its institutions of higher education to those persons who meet certain academic qualifications and standards. In order to assure that this admission to a university confers benefits beyond those available to all citizens, but commensurate with these are additional responsibilities.

When a student enters the Wisconsin State University system, it is assured that he has serious purpose and a sincere interest in his own social and intellectual development. He is expected to learn to cope with problems of intelligence and responsibility; to obey laws and ordinances of the same state and university, which he, as well as his university, is a part; and to work peaceably for the changes he may consider necessary. As he attains rights and freedoms for himself, he is expected to respect the rights and freedoms of others.

Students are subject to federal, state and local laws as well as university rules and regulations. A student is not entitled to immunities or privileges before the law. However, disciplinary action by the University may consider appropriate including expulsion for breach of federal, state or local laws and university rules and regulations, both on and off campus.

The university recognizes the right of the individual student or of student groups to disagree with national, state, local or administrative or faculty policies and positions. Students have a right, further, to constructively express their disagreement on issues which have captured their interest.

The following actions, among others, however, will not be permitted:

a. The support of action through unlawful means.

b. Interference with accepted functions or activities of the university as educative programs.

c. Unauthorized occupancy of university facilities or blocking access to or destruction of property.

d. Interference with approved traffic (pedestrian or motor vehicle).

e. An infringement of the rights of students, faculty, staff, other or authorized persons to gain access to any university facility for the purpose of attending classes, or participating in any university services or other university activities.

The university reserves the right to make rules beyond the limitations of national, state and local laws and ordinances in violation of university regulations.

A more common concern in the several universities in the Wisconsin State University system, there are also appreciable differences in tradition, mission, clientele and institutional character. It is important, therefore, that each institution establish student regulations consistent with policies approved by the Board of Regents of Wisconsin State Universities.

SDS is Organized

The organization SDS (Student Democratic Society, pre-existing SDS) has been organized on the WSU, Stevens Point campus. The group has not been held at, which the constitution was formulated and are thus playing a role.

The Stevens Point chapter of SDS is a legal affiliate of the Wisconsin State University National Chapter. Its primary objective is to promote democracy as a means and as a social goal. It is not a protest group or an educational organization.

Membership in students for a Democratic Society is open to all students, regardless of sex, race, age, color or creed.

Student Debates Resolutions

On Succession, Vacation

Senate closed Thursday with Gerti Heimplenberg, and B111 Hohn stating that, in Vohn's words, "if they (the Regents) are forced to proceed in upper academic affairs in ignorance of what the students and faculty have said, some action should definitely be taken in that direction."

Senate sent most of the meeting passing five constitu­ent and senatorial resolutions. In the future, if a presi­dent become permanently absent from the board, the vice-president will become a pro­ressant become permanently absent from the board, the vice-president will become a presi­dent to fill in the vice-president's place.

The Senate was adjourned at 8 p.m. and passed a resolution which favors allowing students working for school organi­zation to carry refreshments out of the Griddon.

They deleted a resolution which would have established an honor of dorm for students in upper academic affairs in ignorance of what the students appeared to be in favor of such a move, it was felt that the students would benefit and have already been working on this problem.

Cliff Himes noted that he had been working on this for as long as he could remember. He said, "If we work with AWS, it is a more active part of the university, and there is a fee for students who are working with AWS."

An amendment favoring re­urring classes after Christmas vacations was defeated by Senate.Resolution 1.2 was passed, which said that the Senate would meet in May and pass the resolution for the summer. Several senators said they do not see any connection between Senate and the draft. Hansen (Senior Senator) said that he did not see any connection between Senate and the draft. He said that he was opposed to the Senate taking action on this issue since selective service is based on college performance, Senate might be expected to connect it to that path.

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James Kellerman, a visitor from Wisconsin, brought three issues. He said that the construction of a podium in the Griddon from which one could conduct, would be a good idea. He wished to see the University Book Store carry magazines, particularly, "The Minority of One," "New Republic" and others which he said were impossible to obtain in town. Finally he asked the Sen­ate what they were going to do if the Senate rest Butler.

Ronald Behn, the president of the student group, introduced a resolu­tion to investigate magazine policy. He said that the problem is that by 9:00, "We are moving," and that the problem is that by 9:00, "We are moving," and that the problems are caused by the fact that the students are not informed of the policies. He said that the problems are caused by the fact that the students are not informed of the policies.

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Five Soloists Perform In Concert

The five teachers who will be featured soloists Sunday night, at the end of the concert, are Baritone Samm, tenor in the Stevens Point Oratorio Chorus, have had vast experience in the musical organization throughout the Midwest. The Stevens Point Orchestra will be featured on Sunday night, at an 8 p.m. program in Emerson Jr. High School as part of the first program of the 1966-67 season. The orchestra will be conducted by Lawrence Sirlin, student conductor, who has been a conductor of the Midwestern symphony in the past.

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Peace Corps Seeks Draft Deferrals

The Peace Corps has announced it will intervene on behalf of Volunteers seeking draft deferments for two years of overseas service.

Agency Director Jack Vaughn, concerned by mounting induction calls to Volunteers serving overseas, said he will take an "active role" in seeking future deferment cases before the Presidential Appeal Board—the court of last resort for draft reclassifications.

In the past the agency performed a largely informational function—advising Volunteer and trainees of Selective Service laws and procedures and confirming to local boards the fact of the Volunteer's service.

In future appeals, Vaughn will write letters to the board describing the circumstances in each case and urging board members to grant a deferment until completion of the Volunteer's overseas tour.

"We have a serious situation," he said. "The problem of induction notices to overseas Volunteers is becoming a major concern for us. Pulling a Volunteer off a productive job at mid-tour is unfair to the nation, the host country, the Peace Corps and the individual."

Vaughn said Peace Corps Volunteers have lost about 60 deferment appeals before the three-man board in the last six and one-half years. While adverse rulings by the national board have involved less than one-half of one percent of the estimated 15,000 draft-eligible men to have served in the Peace Corps, "virtually all of these have occurred in the past year," he said.

Of the approximately 25 Volunteers who have already returned to the United States for draft induction, two were disqualified for physical reasons and returned to their overseas assignments.

The vast majority of Peace Corps Volunteers are granted deferments for two years of overseas duty because their service is deemed by their local boards to be "in the national interest," as recommended by Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, the draft director.

However, some local Selective Service boards refuse deferments even though Peace Corps service does not relieve Volunteers of their draft obligations. If the local board is upheld by the State Appeal Board, the case may reach the Presidential Appeal Board which makes the final decision.

The appeal process often takes months to be resolved and the Peace Corps frequently sends Volunteers to their overseas sites while their appeals for deferments are pending.

Vaughn said the Peace Corps, having provided upwards of 400 hours of intensive language training during the 12 to 14 weeks of preparation, often begin service "rather than risk the loss of their newly-earned language fluency during the long wait for final approval or disapproval of deferment requests."

Vaughn said, "So long as the chances for deferment are good this system makes sense, but as more and more Volunteers lose their appeals we may have to reconsider the process and keep them, a wasteful asset, in the United States until their cases are resolved."

He also said induction calls for Volunteers overseas "ruptures the continuity of carefully planned projects by host country governments who also have time and money in the program."

Vaughn also noted that in a number of cases, host country governments have been unable to replace drafted Volunteer teachers.

Point, Oshkosh Clash Monday

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The state universities have 100 or more nonresident students in eight states other than Wisconsin this fall—Pennsylvania (364), Iowa (325), Minnesota (1,332), Iowa 450, New York 286, Pennsylvania 282, North Carolina 221, and Ohio 102.

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