APPEALS COURT: RSOs deemed ‘political’ or ‘ideological’ could be affected by decision.

Janette Boukenski
MANAGING EDITOR

Registered student organizations at SIUC that participate in activities deemed “political” or “ideological” in nature could face funding cuts if a decision handed down by federal judges in the 7th Circuit Court of Appeals is put into effect at universities in Illinois, Wisconsin and Indiana.

But some administrators, educators and student constituency group leaders say the decision is poorly formulated and infringes upon the First Amendment rights of students and the educational mission of universities across the country.

A three-judge panel ruled Aug. 10 that the University of Wisconsin-Madison cannot force students to finance campus groups that engage in political and ideological activities.

The decision affects all universities within the 7th circuit, which includes Illinois, Wisconsin and Indiana.

In a case that began in April 1996, three self-described conservative Christian UW students sued the university, claiming the use of their mandatory student fee money to finance 18 campus organizations was at odds with their political, ideological and religious beliefs.

Among the UW organizations affected by the ruling are Amnesty International; the Campus Women’s Center; the International Socialist Organization and the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual Campus Center.

The UW Board of Regents voted Aug. 20 to ask the Court of Appeals to rehear the case before a full panel of judges. The judges have yet to decide if they will rehear the case. If they choose not to rehear the case, UW has 90 days to file an appeal with the Supreme Court.

If the decision is upheld, many universities in the 7th circuit will have to scrap their RSO funding processes.

UW officials have been keeping a close eye on the case and say they will wait to see whether the court rehears the case before they consider making any changes to the system of funding RSOs here.

Peter Roger, general counsel for SIUC, said he will work with SIU administrators to keep abreast of developments in the case because of its potential effect on the University.

“We have to assume that this decision will not be overturned, and we have to go forward with our inquiry and review to see how it impacts us,” he said.

The University of Wisconsin-Madison funds student groups in a variety of ways. Currently, RSOs at SIUC receive funding from undergraduate government, which distributes student fee money according to a percentage filed each year by the RSOs.

Roger said much of the controversy surrounding this case is the definition of “ideological” speech or activities. He said the decision does not define the term “ideological,” and the groups that are cited as examples cover a wide range of backgrounds.

“You can argue that almost anything is ideological,” he noted. Roger said “The decision is vague.”

Instituting alternative methods of funding RSOs could prove to be a viable option.

Open forum scheduled to discuss funding

LET’S CHAT: Goal of meeting is to improve talks between RSOs and USGC finance.

Jacob Loomis
DAILY EAGLE REPORTER

Students pay about $500,000 for Registered Student Organizations on campus, and communicating to students where that money goes is something that needs to be worked on, Undergraduate Student Government President格雷格・格尔森说。

An open forum for students and members of RSOs is scheduled from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Tuesday in Room 220 of the Student Center.

Ayers said the goal of this meeting is to improve communication between RSOs and the USGC Finance Committee that allocates student fees.

But current methods don’t fund for more than 200 RSOs.

“I don’t think a committee can pass with one piece of legislation, which Ayers said is overarching and unaccountable.

Ayers said current means of handling money are lengthy.

First, RSOs must fill out a form regarding their budget and submit that it follows with one piece of legislation,

Second, they are to make copies of the 10-page or more form and give them to the USGC Finance Committee, which then conducts a 10- to 15-minute hearing with each RSO.

And the final step was to keep track of the committee.

“Communities are done in March and the bill is written in April for the request to see the process for the year.

He said there should be a voice throughout the year, he said, “so that it’s not just at the end.”
Police Blotter

CARBONDALE
- Kevin A. Rafferty, 21, of Carbondale, was arrested and charged for driving with a suspended license at 11:19 a.m. at the 1100 block of South Wall Street. Rafferty was taken to Jackson County Jail where he could not post bond.

- At 5:09 p.m. Thursday police responded to a Jackson County Ambulance Service at the Reception Center in reference to a person who had passed out. Louis L. Cunningham, 22 of Carbondale was taken to Hamilton Hospital of Carbondale where he was treated and released for a drug overdose. Cunningham was wanted on an outstanding Jackson County warrant for depravity of practice. Cunningham was taken to Jackson County Jail where he was later released.

MURPHYSBORO
- David J. Rust, 23, of Murphysboro, was arrested at 5:47 a.m. Friday on a Union County Warrant - theft of property. Rust was charged with shoplifting a suspended license and operating a motor vehicle with a suspended registration. He was released on $100 bond.

Almanac

ON THIS DAY IN 1993:

- A Daily Egyptian editorial focused on WSIL-TV and their decision not to renew "NYQ Blue." Throughout their affiliation, WSIL-TV used the daily clip justifying censorship of a program depicted as realistic.

- Corrections: If readers spot an error in a news article, they can contact the Daily Egyptian Accuracy Desk at 536-3311, extension 229 or 225.

TODAY

- Academic achievement for the 1999 season for information management systems students, September 14, 4 p.m., Unger Library room 19, undergraduate desk 453-2818.
- Library Affairs digital imaging for the Web seminar, September 14, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., Morris Library room 19, undergraduate desk 453-2818.
- Anthropology Club/Lambdabrody Alpha meeting for new students, September 14, 5 p.m., Farm 535, I'd 453-5012.
- Women's rugby practice players welcome, September 14 through 17, 7 p.m. to 7 p.m., Sports Field, Field 539-4134.
- Hispanic Heritage proclamation and reception, September 14, 6 p.m., Old Main Lounge Student Center, Student Development 453-2574.
- SCPS/ICPV general interest meeting, every Monday, 6 p.m. 4th floor, Student Center Student Development 453-2574.
- National Society of Medicine is hospitality meeting, September 14, 9 a.m., Room 103, Holmes, I'd 453-9832.
- Black Alliance General Interest meeting for public relations, September 14, 7 p.m., Ball SAC office Student Center, Student Development 453-2574.
- Black Alliance General Interest meeting for registration, September 15, 5 p.m., Ball SAC office Student Center, Student Development 453-2574.
- UCPB program committee meeting, every Tuesday, 6 p.m., Student Center Student Development 453-2574.
- SCPS program committee meeting, every Tuesday, 6 p.m., Student Center, Student Development 453-2574.

UPCOMING

- Saluki Women's Basketball Action Committee needs members for 24 hours before and after each game, September 15, various times. Women's Center 453-2574.

Saluki Calendar

CALENDAR POLICY: The deadline for Calendar listings is one publication day before the event. The item must include time, date, place, admission cost and name of the press and the name and phone of the person submitting the item. Items sent after the deadline will not be published. Calendar items also appear in the Daily Egyptian website. No calendar information will be taken over the phone.

M.I., Tracy 541-4807 ext. 222.
- Library Affairs international applications of the week, September 15, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., Morris Library room 1030, undergraduate desk 453-2818.
- International Coordinator breakfast Students' Memorial Center International students free lunch, every Tuesday, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 825 W. Main St., for more information contact July at 427-3299.
- Library Affairs Powerpoint seminar, September 15, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., Morris Library room 1030, undergraduate desk 453-2818.
- Philosophy club viewing of the film "To Be" followed by a presentation, September 15, 7 p.m., Ball SAC office Student Center, Student Development 453-3611 or 229-2399.
- SIC Student general meeting, every Sunday, 6 p.m. to 6 p.m., Student Center Activities room C, Student Development 453-2574.
- SIC Travel general meeting, September 15, 6 p.m., Student Center Activity room D, Student Development 453-2574.
- Black Alliance general Interest meeting for Registration, September 15, 5 p.m., Ball SAC Office Student Center, Student Development 453-2574.

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Investigation finds no sign of wrongdoing

STACK CLUB: University fund-raising procedure under review after newspaper raises questions of illegal activity.

JAMES FULLER
DAILY EAGLE REPORTER

The initial investigation of an SIUC employee’s fund raising practice is being reviewed after a report on the University by the Daily News raised questions.

The “Stack Club,” comprised of SIUC buildings and grounds employees, was being investigated by University auditors after a St. Louis newspaper questioned SIUC administrators about the club’s solicitation of funds from companies that do business with the school.

It was first believed that companies might have felt pressured into contributing to the fund.

At the time, Jack Dyer, spokesman for SIU President Ted Sanders, denied any knowledge of the situation.

But he told the Daily News that the organization was not authorized as a University organization and, therefore, not authorized to raise money.

In the press release, Dyer said he had incorrect and incomplete information when he spoke with a reporter from the St. Louis Post-Dispatch on Tuesday.

“Money was deposited into a foundation account, and the idea had been approved,” Dyer said in the press release.

The Stack Club raises money for parties and events for SIUC physical plant employees.

According to the press release, a average of $3,300 with an average of $2,000 in expenditures, had been flowing through a monitored SIU Foundation Account for the past four years. The SIU Foundation was established in 1942 to solicit and manage gifts to the University from private sources for educational purposes.

While contractors are allowed to contribute to the fund, architecture and engineering firms not.

The second part of the series will take place after this evening’s event at the Student Center.

Bradley Richardson is the author of "JobSmarts Top Careers" and the national bestseller "JobSmarts for Twentysomethings." He is also the president of JobSmarts, a Dallas-based training and consulting firm that helps companies with issues that entry-level employees and young adults face.

Richardson will also lecture in television and newspapers, including Good Morning America, ABC News, National Public Radio, USA Today and Wall Street Journal.

---James Paulson

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Southern Illinois

CARBONDALE

Governor Edgar to annouc the future plans

Governor Jim Edgar is set to unveil his plans after he leaves office in January.

Edgar said over the weekend he will make a speech on the future of the state and the future of the University.

The governor is expected to make a formal announcement further detailing his future plans early this week, possibly as soon as today.

Edgar’s wife, Brenda, is a Southern Illinois native and the governor has often expressed his fondness for the Southern Illinois area. The governor’s office could not be reached for comment Sunday.

---Kurt Kusner

SPC to present JobSmarts employment seminar today

The Student Programming Council News and Views Committee will present "JobSmarts" for Students," a seminar at the Student Center, today, free to anyone interested in learning about getting ahead in the competition.

The first part of the series will be from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the activity room. The topic will concern how to find a job that is just without a 4.0 grade point average.

The second part of the series will take place after this evening’s event at the Student Center.

---Kurt Kusner
AID: SIUC to list options for students with children for dependent care benefits.

Jacob Benginson, Daily Egyptian Reporter.

Students attending SIUC with children will soon be able to discover their options for child care insurance through Student Health Programs before moving to Carbondale.

Jacob Baggon, Student Health Programs Business Manager, said he hopes a list of options will be available after the fall semester. He said some students presently are unaware of those options until they visit the office for information.

"Many times students come in with families and have already gone to the office to get the information," he said.

"We want to take that a step further and put the information to them before they move to SIUC," Baggon said.

Spick said the idea of forming a list for non-traditional students with children came from Graduate and Professional Student Council President Michael Spick.

The list will include a number of options for third party insurance providers. Spick said and will possibly include average costs and contact information.

He said forming a list of this magnitude needs to be done carefully in order to remain impartial.

"It requires you to do your job, and come years later, and say, 'We're not allowed to advertise any health care provider because we are a state-funded institution. This information should be enough to make an intelligent shopping choice," Spick said.

Spick said the list idea stemmed from his discussion with GPSP about creating a document beyond his own personal experience.

"I recall when I got here there was nothing about dependent care coverage in the health care information," Spick said. "Since I don't have a dependent child I just thought they sent that information to those who did."}

Clintond's defense strategy
contradicts public repentance

David G. Smith, Los Angeles Times

WASHINGTON — To many Americans — including some who sit in Congress — President Clinton's latest defense in the Monica Lewinsky scandal seems out of touch on key points.

In his public statements, the president now says he wasn't, and is repentant, over his sexual affair with the young intern. At the same time, however, he said that lawyers continue to insist that he did not act in ways that triggered a federal investigation with its having sexual relations with her or even recalling being alone with her.

"He believed he did nothing wrong," Clinton's attorney David E. Kendall said yesterday. "He is now the best to make an irresponsible argument sound reasonable.

Despite Kendall's "absolutely true" strategy, he offered no new facts yesterday. Instead, he said the president had "made substantially consistent statements over a long period of time". No one in the White House objected to the president's latest admission, which was his four words: "I did it.

Clinton leaves office on In the rebuttal to the Geen said that Al Gore's "other administration," he wouldn't apologize to have left the White House. Instead, he said he had made "a serious mistake" and "a poor judgment" and that "I have no right to ask the American people to be patient with me at this time in a public office that I must vacate.

Still, his legal tactic is in danger of collapsing in the press, the most recent to-it with his legal team. But that any would be his best hope for how to handle a possible scandal in the future.

"I think the president's careful admissions, including his license to practice law," Kendall said. "I think it shows he's still living in a world where he is the president of the United States.

More Americans, however, who do not believe him, are not buying it.

"Sorry, Mr. President," said one woman who stopped to talk outside the White House. "I don't believe him. I don't believe him. And I don't believe him.'

"People are not accepting," said baggot, "and at times, contradictory." For example, Lewinsky said it was the best possible to have Clinton's "other administration," he wouldn't apologize to have left the White House. Instead, he said he had made "a serious mistake" and "a poor judgment" and that "I have no right to ask the American people to be patient with me at this time in a public office that I must vacate.

"But if the House votes for an impeachment inquiry, lawmakers will have to do their job, and the president's perjury question will be questioned under oath," the president said. "If you ever had sexual relations with Monica Lewinsky?"
Students replenish native oaks, uproot exotic growth


BURKE SPEAKER
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

An on-going restoration program will decide the fate of Thompson Woods as exotic and non-native plants continue to put the area in jeopardy by threatening its natural state.

Phillip Robertson, chairman of the Thompson Woods Management Committee, said aggressive non-native plants have overtaken the forest floor, preventing seedlings and other natural growth from developing.

The committee's goal is to restore the woods to its original state as a hard-wood-oak forest, removing non-native exotics such as the Japanese honeysuckle, a vine-like species that cover the forest ground.

Thompson Woods once boasted a diverse oak forest containing wildflowers and green shrubs with little problems from encroaching species that now dominate the woods.

Robertson, a professor of plant biology, said the health of Thompson Woods will depend on a lot of volunteer efforts to get the forest back into shape.

A restoration program began three years ago with the development of the Adopt-A-Patch project. The program encourages various University organizations and clubs to take over a patch of woods and help maintain it.

There are many organizations that have participated in the project, including the Illinois Native Plant Society, the Student Environmental Center and the Southern Illinois Audubon Society. Planting new species and weeding out non-native plants are some of the key tasks the Adopt-A-Patch volunteers.

Falling must take place in order to return the woods to their original state.

Sean Whitcomb, coordinator of the Student Environmental Center, said his group has been maintaining a plot in Thompson Woods as part of the Adopt-A-Patch program. The group is planning another outing Oct. 1.

The Student Environmental Center has kept the invading honeysuckle in check in its plot, so far.

"Hopefully this year we will be able to get rid of it with support and help," Whitcomb said.

The idea for the Adopt-A-Patch planting happened in March when 12 groups and organizations volunteered to take the woods and planted 1,200 various tree seedlings. The survival rate is expected at 10 percent, according to Robertson.

Robertson is encouraging students to get involved in maintaining the health of Thompson Woods. There are many ways to help with the program, including participating in December's Adopt-A-Patch planting.

"There are a few people that take care of these woods," said Robertson. "We have a long way to go."
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Comedy show a success

KNEE-SLAPPER: Iota Phi Theta sponsors event that keeps students laughing.

ASIMA L. DILLARD
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

SIUC students were tears of laughter Saturday night as they listened to famous comedians tell jokes after jokes at the comedy show, "D-A Joke's on You!"

Shryock Auditorium was filled with students anxiously waiting for the 7th annual Iota Comedy Jam to begin.

The comedy show was sponsored by Iota Phi Theta Fraternity Inc. and the Student Programming Council comedy committee.

After waiting for an hour for the show to begin because of stage setup difficulties, students were finally satisfied when the lights began to dim and the music started to blast.

Comedy show host Lee Spencer eased the students' nerves with his show, which was sponsored by the Iota Phi Theta Fraternity Inc. and the Student Programming Council comedy committee.

The comedy show was not only a place to hear the latest in humor and the laughter began. Student Programming Council comedy committee.

The co-host of the show, Joe Shryock, entertained an enthusiastic crowd at Shryock Auditorium. The show was sponsored by the Iota Phi Theta Fraternity Inc. and the Student Programming Council comedy committee.

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Three SIUC students receive $2,500 in aid

COUNTRY RELIEF: Scholarships promote education in rural health care policy.

Kendra Thorsen
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

The Illinois Rural Health Association has financially aided three SIUC students, rewarding them with $2,500 scholarships in order to further their education in the rural health care profession.

Each year, the ICHA and Illinois Rural Health Foundation team up to distribute four awards worth $2,500 each. SIUC received three out of four of these scholarships in mid-July.

Aspiring nurse practitioners, nurse midwives, nurse anesthetics, physical therapy assistants or physicians assistants may apply.

Carmen Granatz of Kinnmundy, Tammah Miller of Kewanee and Ret Strombaugh of Du Quoin were the SIUC recipients this fall.

"The program is very proud to have its student receive this scholarship," said Stacy Leithlitzer, director of the physician assistant program. "It displays our mission and shows what the program is all about."

The application process consisted of three essay questions concerning the future of these three students' medical practice. The deadline was June 1.

The three students are extremely involved in their fields, with their families and with extra-curricular activities. The students have 12 credit hours of classes this semester while working with a Problem Based Curriculum that is not traditionally structured. Lectures and grades are eliminated and the students are evaluated upon their abilities gathered from hands-on experiences.

Strombaugh, two-time recipient of the scholarship, jokingly said his investment has put a strain on his family life.

"My wife says that I do too much," Strombaugh said. "I am going to have to give up some of my habits.

Strombaugh is currently working on his second master's degree.
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"It shows how violence is so deeply embedded in our society."

Growing up in South Africa, Aria Gandi was attacked by both black and white teenagers because he was either too dark or not dark enough.

Filled with anger and controlled by violence, his parents sent him to live with his grandfather for 18 months.

Returning to South Africa, Gandhi remembered the tenants of non-violence and respect that his grandfather taught him. He began his own lifelong journey to teach others.

Gandhi and his wife, Suandika, travel across the world spreading the philosophy of life, showing how to care for the environment and teaching respect for one another.

Gandhi encouraged the audience to learn how to deal with anger positively.

"He said the problem with anger is that society does not know how to deal with it."

"Anger is like electricity. Gandhi said, "If it is used, it can produce great things."

"If we release our anger without self-control, it has the potential to destroy everything."

Gandhi advised the audience to think about how they instill respect and non-violence within their children and to begin to show their children in their own actions how to solve problems without violence.

"We have to live the way we want our children to learn," Gandhi said. "Make non-violence a part of our lives and use positive energy to create a society that we can be proud of."

Cecil McCraren of Carbondale, brought his son, Trent, to hear Gandhi's philosophy. McCraren wanted his son to understand the message of peace and harmony.

"I knew that my son does not understand why I don't stay here," McCraren said. "I respect Gandhi's philosophy of applying non-violence to everyday life and I want my son to learn to use this philosophy in his life."

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Kate Price, a junior in early childhood education from Danville, was motivated to come to the speech by an article in the school newspaper about Gandhi. She wanted to learn more about non-violence in problems.

"Applying non-violence to life is very important," Price said. "I was really interested in the philosophy. When the world applied this it would be a better place."

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"Due to me. If we did this entirely, it would give senators plenty of time to analyze the bill."

Ayres said accountability is also something that needs to be improved.

"Now there is no system of checks and balances," Ayres said. "With other organizations, can senators break the funding apart and analyze it?"

There’s nothing written down at the RSO hearings. I want to see the process of RSOs and the students perceive and what formulas need to be put in place.

Meeting with more than 200 RSOs is often times difficult. Ayres of funding system wants to see the different issues RSOs face.

She said RSOs deserve to know. Ayres said she is currently gathering input for the RSO funding issue.

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There were four comedians who performed at the comedy show last night in the spotlight, he brought Daryl "D" Interactive to the stage.

After Littlefield put on a terrific performance, Spencer brought him to the center of the stage, where he also had the students laughing to the point of tears. Littlefield performed jokes while pretending that she was so emotionally torn that she just had to laugh.

The last act of the show was The Real Estate Superman. Spencer had students jumping out of their seats, screaming, shouting and laughing hysterically.

He had great jokes and a great singing voice. Littlefield gave the audience a sample of his singing skills when he sang Boys II Men's song "End of Road." Spencer thought that Littlefield was worth the wait and it was a great performance. Sherri Rencher, a junior in psychology and social work from the Communication Division, said that the comedy show was "funny, especially Earnest Haim. Erm Haim was hilarious, he was so real," Rencher said. "The audience really appreciated the fact that he was getting laughs from the students and he was appreciated it. It was certainly a very responsive and accepting." Haim said. "I tour a lot of colleges and this type of show. Earnest Haim also said that he would like to visit SIUC again."

There were many of the talented comedians made students forget about the problems of the world and the long wait for the show.

Erika Lee, a junior in radio-television from Chicago, was extremely satisfied with the comedians and the great show they put on for the students.

"I was looking forward to the combination of the singing and the comedy," Lee said. "I thought it was very entertaining."

Iota Phi Theta member Patrick Gant was pleased with his fraternity's choice of performers.

"The comedy show was a great success," said Patrick Gant, a senior in Elementary education from Chicago, said. "We appreciate the students for being there."

The 7th circuit ruled that the students arc forced to American Baptist Students Against Their Constitution. Their fees were used on something which ones should not be funded by student activity fees.

Ruger said, "It is so important that the university has been working with ADF on the case. He said he

believes the fee allocation systems which most public universities have been "destroyed" for all systems where the students are forced to pay for groups they don't agree with.

We have to see a fee system that funds under this process. Usualy there is a problem. Usually there is a problem with the definition of RSO status in terms of funding, and that is not something that we have to do, but it makes life difficult."

Ruger related a case from Associated Students of Madison, the UW counterpart to SIUC's GSA and the groups that are funded. There is little money that goes to conservative groups.

Robin Hubard, an organizer for the Center for Campus Free Speech in Washington, D.C., said ADF is backing this case as part of the national ongoing debate on campuses across the country.

"We case this said like there have occurred on other campuses, usually there was an activity from students who dislike other things other students have said," Hubard said. "We have to be embracing ideas all along the political spectrum." Hubard said. "We are a place where ideas are supported, not opted out of.

"But various student leaders of the university's, USAG, said she is unsure if this case will become an issue at SIUC.

She said she thinks a lot of political differences to only a gay and lesbian issue.

"In fact, we affect 30 or 40 RSOs here at SIUC that are religious, political, basically anything that has any sort of speech at all," Hubard said. "We want to come up with a way of accepting students at SIU to not be offering grants to RSOs that fall within the realm of organized groups that exist for students who are opposed to, but don't think that's the reason to fund the groups is the answer."

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"I want to get into the business of saying "fund this organization that fund the organization," he said.

"We want to try to come up with a way, where the university, and the government to maintain as much self-governance as possible."

University of Wisconsin students, who have been fighting for student rights, said their advice for SIG students is to get involved in the decision-making process.

"Make sure students are at the forefront of determining what the change is," he said. "It should not be administrators and other people making decisions about what the new system should be.

Swissair pilots last words will remain undisclosed

OON PHILLIPS  WASHINGTON POST

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia—The world probably will never know exactly what the pilots of Swissair Flight 111 said as they worked to descend over the North Atlantic Ocean, even if the jumbo jet's cockpit voice recorder worked properly.

Under Canadian law, the cockpit voice recorder—which was designed to record data from the cockpit and brought to the surface Friday afternoon—will remain sealed.

One of the things that interprets every word and sound, it will be locked permanently in a secure storage area in the Transportation Safety Board of Canada's engineering laboratory in Ottawa. No transcript will ever be released.

After crashes in the United States, the U.S. National Transportation Safety Board recently released a transcript of the voice recorder, which preserves the last 30 minutes of cockpit sounds, although never the aural voice recording. But, under Canadian law, even the transcript is shielded from the Access to Information Act, Canada's version of the U.S. Freedom of Information Act.

"We could get it pretty closely," said John Maxwell, director of air investigations for the Canadian safety board. "We will release information to the public, and it will be obvious it is not divulged from the cockpit voice recorder. But we will avoid direct quotes."

National voice, such as alarms or engine noises, may be disclosed without restriction, and investigators may disclose whether the pilot's voice reveals that some action did or did not take place. If absolutely necessary to explain what happened, a partial quote is revealed, but rarely.

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Binge drinking no better than it was four years ago, study says.

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**CHICAGO** — More than half of American college students drank to get drunk last year, and the number of binge drinkers is virtually the same as it was four years ago, according to a study released Thursday by the School of Public Health.

The survey of 14,521 students is the sequel to a 1993 analysis of students' alcohol consumption.

Both studies were based on responses from randomly chosen students attending 430 colleges across the country.

The latest report, published this month in the Journal of American College Health, shows that 52 percent of students go to get tanked in 1997, compared with 39 percent in 1993.

Overall, the number of students who binge — defined as five drinks in a row for men and four in a row for women — dropped slightly, from 44.1 percent in 1993 to 42.7 percent last year.

However slight, that drop is basically the study's only bright spot, said Professor Henry Wechsler, lead author of both studies.

Wechsler, who said he had repeatedly heard the decrease, could be attributed to a rising number of students who abstain from drinking.

Nineteen percent of students reported that they hadn't had a drink in the last year. This is compared with 15.6 percent in the earlier study.

Wechsler said more students may be abstaining because they're revulsed by the behavior of their friends and the stories of alcohol-related misadventures.

That makes sense to Dan Meade, a senior at Georgetown University, who said his peers are不太好binging prompted him to quit drinking more than a year ago.

"I had made his life 'immeasurably better',' Meade said. "I would get so drunk I'd black out and not remember a thing, or I'd do dangerous things."

Both of Wechsler's studies say the biggest binge-guzzlers on campus are in fraternities and sororities, where four of five of those students binge.

While many fraternities have announced plans to go dry, Wechsler criticized the one caveat: Didn't usually attached in the year 2000.

"Postponing things until the millennium is not the way to handle the problems of today,' he said.

While the study did not show whether in five or six weeks, the more binge-drinkers, it did indicate that bingeing students are more likely to be frequent binge-guzzlers throughout the Northeast and Midwest.

"Students at historically black and women's colleges and commuter schools where few students live in dormitories tend to drink less, the study also detected,' Wechsler said.

Identifying the problem of binge drinking is far simpler than trying to stop it, he added.

Camps shouldn't necessarily ban alcohol, just ensure that students of age are drinking responsibly, he said.

"We have to know all the contributing factors to this behavior — the fraternities, the tradition surrounding athletics and the sale of alcohol for dirt cheap in bars and stores throughout the community," Wechsler said.

"This is a call for college presidents and students to develop a positive behavior that is acceptable on campus.

"And as people absorb those topics, they have to be dealt with accordingly.'"

The crafting of new policies should be left to the students as Wechsler said, noting that one in five students are frequent binge drinkers, who binge occasionally and two-fifths who drink but do not binge.

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after earning his first in zoology in 1973.

He is the president of the Class of 1999 student organization, an EMT instructor and a delegate for the Illinois Academy of Physician Assistants.

Stearns is not the only heavily involved recipient of this scholarship.

Grand is a member of the school's admissions committee, and all three students are members of a physicians committe within the college.

The three students are thrilled to receive this honor, and all of them say they will continue to give back to their community through teaching and graduate studies.

"The philosophy of the organization is to give back to the community," Stearns said. "We try to do things in a professional manner and be a role model for the students."
After Maris' 61st home run lands going as if to bring the 31st and 32nd to the New York Yankees, the team's history was rewritten. Maris was 22, new, and it was a breakthrough. That's specifically designed to resolve disc herniations and degenerative discs without surgery. It has been found out how to get rid of the pain, in a fast, easy, and effective way.

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The bottoms rose 37 years ago, and there were few different voices in the room today. There are no champs of McCaffrey or Stoudniok's hair, they're back in their own offices. Instead of boots from the home room, there's a regular shirt and tie and suit and certain chairs in visitors' park.

The Cardinals and Cubs baseball fans, Roger Maris, just how many of the players who got hit.

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previous setbacks to turn in sparkling performances.
after losing his job to junior
Paul Davis in the spring, Carpenter
all but solidified his return to the starting lineup, rushing for 193
tyards and two touchdowns.

Carpenter replaced Davis on the
Salukis' sixth offensive play, and
davis finished with 70
yards, it was Carpenter who
tore the show.

"Anytime you get that kind of
yardage, you got to be pleased," AIG coach Jan Quarless
said in his post game radio show.
"He's starting to punish people,
which I really appreciate because
that's the kind of football we want to
play.

The Salukis (1-1) rolled up 356
yards on the ground, which
was much to Quarless' satisfaction. All
season long he has stated that he
wants to lessen the load of senior
quarterback Kent Skornia.

Skornia had little work to do, as
the team rushed 56 times, and he
carried with every
touchdown just before halftime.

Quarless said the defense was really
impressed.

"As I said, we've been real
feeling good on defense. We told
that after halftime, we're going to
before. They just really played
physically for four quarters. When you
being more dominant defensively, some
real positive things start to
happen.

But it was the defense's
the game, there are
always
For the
kicking
game. Senior
placekicker Matt
Simonson and
punter John
Azoncilovic combined to miss or have blocked five
good field goals (3 FG's and 2 PAT's).

That should be main concern for
the Salukis during practice this
week, as they are set to open
Gateway Conference play this
Saturday at home against the
University of Northern Iowa.

"I think it's real good for us,
going into this ball game this
coming week," Quarless said. "I think our players wanted to put a stop
to (the losing streak)."
Dawgs capture first win of season