Senate Open
To New Ideas

To the Student Association,

I would like to take this opportunity to remind the upperclassmen and acquaint the freshmen with the fact that this coming year will be the first full year of operation for Rice's new form of student government. The main reasons for altering the old system were to eliminate ambiguities in the structure of the student government and provide better representation of the Rice student body. There is now a direct link between the college governments and the central governing body, the Student Senate. This link should help provide an efficient and smooth functioning student government.

We of the first Student Senate want to start out on the right foot and do the best job possible. To do this, we must have the help of the student body. Our meetings, which are every Wednesday night at 7 o'clock, are open to the students. If you cannot come to the meeting, feel free to talk to a Senate member or take your problem to your college government.

We welcome your ideas, for it is through them that we are able to work for and represent the Rice student body.

Sincerely,

Wayne Hanson, President
Student Association