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Neale, Steeves elected President, Comptroller

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Roy Neale was re-elected as President of the SRC on Wednesday. Neale defeated his opponent - Peter Galoska - 652 to 544.

In an interview after the results were announced Neale said he was "very happy I'm back" and sympathized with "those who didn't make it". Neale said he is now ready to "get on and do the things we said we were going to do".

Neale said he was disappointed in the percentage of students (1237 students or 27 percent) that voted in this election. The percentage for the election last year was 30.5, and 33 percent for the election of the V.P. last fall. Neale said he was concerned over the fact that less than 1/3 of the students cared enough to vote.

Peter Galoska was not available for comment at press time.

"Fud" Steeves was elected Comptroller over Rick Fisher by a very narrow margin - 600 to 564.

Steeves commented that the most important aspect of his position would be working with people, and he felt he would be able to perform his duties well in conjunction with the rest of the SRC. He said he was disappointed in the voter turnout, and complimented Rick Fisher on a "good campaign".

Fisher said he's "glad it's all over with". He stated he wouldn't request a recount despite the close voting. He praised Peter Galoska for putting in such a good showing.

Fisher expressed an extreme lack of faith in the newly elected SRC executive. He felt that his support was far in excess of what was indicated by the number of ballots cast. "The ruling elite rules on," he said.

In the competition for Senators, Brian Forbes won with 845 votes; John Reid with 569; and Gary Stairs was elected with 542 votes. Richard Scott, with 452 votes and Doug Johnson with 434 failed to make the grade. Only Brian Forbes and John Reid were available for comments on the election.

Forbes was very pleased with his re-election, and felt he will be able to work well with his fellow senators. He said there was a lack of communication with the students and many do not understand the functions of the Senators and the issues they are involved with. He indicated the

Kepros Report was a good example. He said he intends to improve this situation, possibly by having senators write articles for The BRUNSWICKAN explaining issues they are involved with.

Senator elect John Reid expressed his gratitude to those who voted for him. He said he intends to concentrate mainly on the special problems affecting the postgraduates of this university, but "working in conjunction with the other senators."

SRC Vice President Steve Mulholland, while not involved in this election commented that he would "be able to get along with the newly-elected members of the SRC."

"The students have made their choice and that's what they get," he said.

Final results in the election were as follows:

PRESIDENT		
Roy Neale	652	elected
Peter Galoska		544

COMPTROLLER		
"Fud" Steeves	600	elected
"Rick" Fisher		564

SENATORS		
Brian Forbes	845	elected
John Reid	569	elected
Gary Stairs	542	elected
Richard Scott		452
Doug Johnson		434

ARTS REPRESENTATIVES		
Keith Manuel	161	elected
Rod Doherty	155	elected
J. Paul Theriault		124

BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVE		
Alexander Mersereau	102	elected
Frank Renou		70

ENGINEERING			
Dave Gamble	180	elected	(full term)
Brian Kimball	34	elected	(half term)

GRADUATING CLASS PRESIDENT		
Janet Moodie	183	elected
Robert Lank		119

VALEDICTORIAN		
Brian MacLean	148	elected
Elizabeth Blakey		68
Robert Poore		53
Chuck Kingston		37



PRESIDENT ROY NEALE



COMPTROLLER FUD STEEVES

.. To the relief of many environmentalists, a ban was recently announced on east coast whaling in Canada. However, several other countries have yet to terminate their whaling operations and the future of whales is still in doubt. Only eight species of great whales remain.
.. As usual, the cause of this environmental crisis is the greed of man. See pages 12 and 13 for the details.