Congress to address issue of homeless

By JEFF ECKARD

Student Congress will vote Wednesday on a resolution supporting student efforts to provide money for America's homeless by reducing U.S. and Soviet nuclear arms.

The Student Affairs Committee voted Thursday to send the resolution to congress.

An arms reduction measure would provide the federal government with a substantial amount of money that could be allocated to ease the plight of the United States' 3 million homeless people, said Brock Dickinson (Dist. 13), who introduced the resolution

If the resolution passes, it will be sent to the Soviet Embassy and the U.S. State Department, Dickinson said. The resolution is not a formal proposal of how to attain an arms reduction, but an outline of ideas to

convince the Soviets that the students orium on research, testing and are serious about the problem, he

The initiative began last semester after Dickinson and Joel Segal, then a UNC law student, expressed a common concern to seek arms reduction. Dickinson said he proposed to the Soviet Embassy that UNC student leaders attend a peace forum with their counterparts from Eastern Bloc nations.

The Soviet ambassador was supportive of the proposal, Dickinson said, but because of the large number of similar requests the embassy receives, he did not take the matter seriously.

"This resolution is an avenue of legitimacy to make the Soviets realize we are serious," he said.

The resolution calls for a 50 percent bilateral reduction of intercontinental ballistic missiles (ICBMs); a morat-

deployment of all space-based weapon systems like the Strategic Defense Initiative (SDI); reductions in conventional forces to put the two nations on equal footing; and greater recognition of human rights in the Soviet Union.

The 50 percent reduction in ICBMs is a realistic proposal because President Bush has voiced similar interest in such a plan, Dickinson said. He added that because of the cost of research and development of SDI and the Soviet version, both nations could possibly consider such a measure.

"Mr. Bush and Mr. Gorbachev are looking for input, and it is time we as students gave it to them," Dickinson said.

The issue of homelessness ties in with arms reduction because "it is the most pressing issue in our country

3 million people on the streets living hand-to-mouth, then obviously that needs to be addressed." The Soviets could use the money for agricultural reforms, he said.

Dickinson added that Segal's work with the Student Action Union, a national student activist group, helped them tie the two issues

Segal has contacted about 50 other American universities and is encouraging their student groups to adopt similar proposals, Dickinson said.

Students will set up a table in the Pit today and at Saturday's Student Action Conference to get signatures for petitions which they will send to the Soviet Embassy.

Dickinson said he hoped students would be able to visit the Soviet Union in early May, but it would depend on how quickly the Soviets

Academic Accolades

■ The School of Nursing has awarded the Ann Pierce Trowbridge Scholarship to senior William Boyette of Durham. The scholarship was established in 1982 by alumnus Ann Trowbridge Home in honor of her late mother. who had a lifelong unfulfilled desire to be a nurse and urged her daughter to become one.

■ Eric Littlejohn of Ada, Okla., has been selected as the second recipient of the Dean E. Smith Scholarship in the School of Education.

The scholarship is providing \$4,000 toward Littlejohn's 1988-1989 educational expenses.

The scholarship was created by the Dean E. Smith Foundation, Inc. The non-profit foundation raises funds for a permanent endowment, and the income is used to strengthen elementary and secondary school teaching by awarding the scholarship to academically strong students who plan careers in public school teaching.

■ Stanley Mandel, professor of surgery, has been named associate dean for clinical affairs in the School of Medicine.

The appointment announced by Dr. Stuart Bondurant, dean of the School of Medicine. "Dr. Mandel, who will also serve as chief of staff of North Carolina Memorial Hospital, is a distinguished medical educator and clinician. He is respected by faculty, students and patients as a clinician, a scientist and a teacher and for his devotion to patient

today," Dickinson said. "If you have Yearbook staff to begin distribution of 1988 Yackety Yack

By JENNIFER WING

The 1988 Yackety Yack, UNC's vearbook, is here and ready for distribution after a four-month delay, said Susana Dancy, Yackety Yack co-

Students can pick up their yearbooks Friday afternoon in the Yackety Yack office, or can wait until next week to pick them up in the Pit or at a table near the Union Desk. Graduates who ordered a yearbook

will receive it through the mail. The yearbook should have been but last year's staff experienced some organizational problems that delayed publication of the book.

"The photo editor resigned before it was finished," Dancy said. "Evidently, he and last year's editor couldn't get along."

As a result, the yearbook staff was left without many of the pictures needed for the yearbook. "Some of the pictures that were supposed to exist didn't," she said. "We don't know if the pictures were lost or taken."

Also, last year's editor graduated delivered in the early fall, Dancy said, in May without completing the

yearbook. Dancy and Kelley King, co-editors, were not asked until November to complete the yearbook.

"We had a lot of pressure on us from the publishing company to complete the 1988 book by Jan. 1, or the company wouldn't have printed it until the summer," she said.

Dan Cowhig, chairman of the UNC Media Board, said the board helped save the 1988 yearbook by finding a photographer who donated

Dancy said she felt the quality of

Tillard was president of the Black

Tillard also founded and served as

"We thought it was important to

Black Community in the 21st Cen-

"Black History and Politics."

By WILL SPEARS

the yearbook had suffered because of the delayed delivery, although she said it was not a bad yearbook. "Things are never as good when you are rushed.

"We're glad the books are coming because it's hurt the sales this year," she said. The staff sold 2,000 1988 books, but only 700 1989 books have been sold, which is unusually low for this time of year, Dancy said.

Cowhig said, "I think that anytime the Yack comes out late, the student

Activist Conrad Tillard will speak more in the present and future," on the "Today Show," the Cable

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The Chapel Hill Town Council

Monday approved the Human Ser-

vices Advisory Board's 1989-1990 list

member advisory board called for

seling and services for the disabled,

elderly and youth to be improved

recommended needs by giving money

to human service agencies such as

The town provides funds for the

of priority human service needs.

Robinson said. "We wanted to

concentrate on discovery."

By LYNN GOSWICK

through town funding.

wonders if he should buy the book for next year."

The 1988 yearbook is called "Shades of Blue" and is more contemporary than past yearbooks, Dancy said. But the book still is primarily pictures, she said.

"It has a few features that are written by people involved in the things they are writing about," she said. "We are trying to show the diversity of the student body."

The Yackety Yack has \$120,000 in its total budget; \$70,000 is used for

publishing and the remaining money is used for operating costs, such as photography.

Student Congress allotted the 1988 yearbook \$18,000, but the Yackety Yack received \$9,000 for 1989. "I don't know why," Dancy said. "They (Student Congress) evidently had their reasons," she said.

Because of the funding decrease, the cost of a 1989 yearbook will increase from \$22 to \$25, she said. Delivery costs an additional \$3.

Tillard, a Muslim, "has been

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because he takes control . . . He

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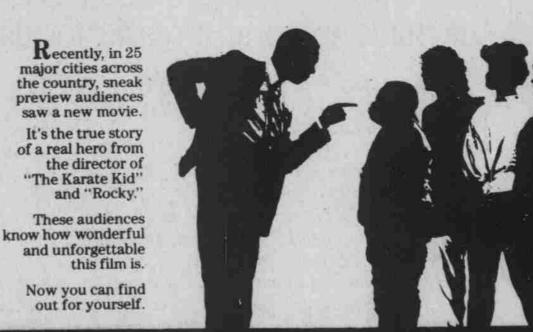
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News Network and the "CBS Evening

The board determines which local agencies will receive funds from the town by considering proposals made by the concerned agencies, Mebane In its annual report, the seven-

Human service agencies chosen to receive funds give a quarterly report to the board about their work, Mebane said. The agencies are then paid after the fact.

Chapel Hill Finance Director Jim Baker said the town spent \$55,500 on 12 performance contracts for fiscal

year 1988-1989. One agency that received a performance contract last year, Child Care Networks, will apply for a contract again this year, said Nancy Park, administrative director of the agency. Child Care Networks received \$2,000.

last year. The Orange County Rape Crisis Center, whose purpose is not explicitly mentioned in the board's list of priority needs, will apply for a

University of Pennsylvania.

Tillard also received the Jesse lished through faith," according to a

Center director Mary Ann Chap said she was very disappointed the board did not see help for sexual assault victims as a human services need this year.

One of four girls and one of eight to 10 boys are sexually victimized in some way before age 18, she said. One of 12 adult women can expect to be raped in their lifetime, and one-third to one-fourth of college women are likely to be raped.

"That's a lot of people," Chap said. The center provides educational programs for the prevention of sexual abuse and incest, she said. These two abuses often lead to dropping out,

drug abuse and unwanted pregnancies, she said. Alcohol and drug use counseling, increased availability of contraception services, school dropout counseling, and programs for teenagers 16

to 19 years old were listed as services for youth that need to be improved, Chap said.

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