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STUDENT CONDUCT & WELFARE COMMITTEE
Recommendation

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To approve the following change to the Visitation Policy for students living in dormitories:

Visitation privileges will be based on physical location (unit of residence), not on the person's class standing alone.

RATIONALE: Currently, first semester freshmen are not allowed overnight visitation privileges, due to concerns that they might lack a degree of maturity and experience needed to deal with some aspects of visitation. However, it is difficult to judge emotional maturity only by age, and many of today's freshmen are older than the traditional age of 17/18. Therefore, the committee feels that freshmen students (and their parents) should have the option to choose a visitation policy that meets their own needs.

FACULTY SENATE PRESIDENT:
APPROVED
BY SENATE: Robert D. Saury DATE: 2.27.92
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