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Cronshaw opposes CHSR supplement

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SRC Comptroller Scott Cronshaw is upset over CHSR's request for a \$1,172 supplement to their \$32,000 budget for this year.

College Hill Student Radio, which is in the process of a mass changeover in facilities pending acceptance of their FM licence application to the Canadian Radio and Telecommunications Commission, had a \$32,242 capital

equipment budget approved in principle at the last regular council meeting in April. CHSR's request for an additional \$1,172 was first brought before the summer session of student council June 20, when the motion to grant the additional funds was blocked by a 4-4 vote. SRC President Dave Bartlett was among those in favor of the proposal while Cronshaw voted against it.

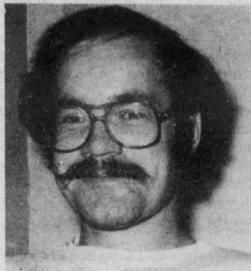
"Once the ball starts rolling, there's no way of stopping it," said

Cronshaw. Explaining his opposition to the additional funds, he said he feels council should wait until the license has been granted before spending any more on the CHSR expansion.

"I think council should be wary of the actual expenses CHSR are incurring," said Cronshaw. "There's no accountability up there." While he says he is all for the FM changeover -- "It's the greatest thing to hit UNB in years" -- the comptroller says he feels students should know it's going to end up costing them a lot.

CHSR Station Director Doug Varty said there is a very simple reason the motion was put through summer council: the money was needed right away.

A copy of the supplementary budget request reveals the money was used for such things as bolting of shelves to walls,



Scott Cronshaw



Doug Varty

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purchasing and installing carpet, purchasing of wood and electronic supplies, and so forth. Varty said if they waited until their budget was given final approval in October, the necessary renovations could not have been carried out until next summer, and this would

cause a lengthy delay in the FM changeover/expansion.

The gears for CHSR's FM expansion plans were set in motion following a referendum last year which showed most students -- 904 as opposed to 215 -- were in favor of the expansion,

Enrolment down slightly

by Kathryn Wakeling
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According to statistics obtained from the Registrar's Office, UNB's confirmed freshman enrolment is 1,081. A spokesman for the office said the figures are down slightly over last years.

During the summer 869 students withdrew their applica-

tions. As of presstime there were 496 undecided.

In a radio interview Registrar Brian Ingram was quoted as saying registration figures are about 170 less than last year's. He continued on to say this decrease in greistration is the beginning of a trend for the next five to ten years.

Orientation - a good time for all

This year approximately 850 freshmen registered for the Orientation program, and according to Tim Gorman, Orientation

freshmen removed their frosh bands, thereby invalidating themselves as frosh.

The Committee chairman, Tim Gorman, reported that he was not only pleased but very impressed with the way his committee and the C.D.'s handled themselves.

High points of this years program will include a "Greaser Dance, Friday night with CHSR for the frosh with bands". On Saturday night there will be a SUB extravaganza with 3 bands on 3 floors. Tickets are on sale now at the SUB info booth in the SUB main lobby for both extravaganza and the Aitken Centre Beer Bash

"ACHE 'N WAKE", on Saturday, September 15.

Another high point that is designed for Frosh and Upper-

classmen is a Beer Garden with the New Folk Trio. It's said that these three men easily rival the crowd pleasing insanity of Finnigan and other well-known

and well-loved Irish groups.

Other events include movies, tours, discos, pie eating championship, a frosh ball with TRACK. BANDS -- BOB-SHOO-BOP REVUE Ballroom. PIERRE SENECAI BARKER HOUSE RALLY

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Below: Frosh registration 1979



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