

# If DormCon Truly Represents Undergraduate Dormitories, It Would Not Force Unwilling Dorms to Participate

*Wednesday, December 5, 1962*

**East Campus may secede from Dormitory Council.** Epi Embiricos, '64, made the motion at the November 15 House Committee meeting.

([www-tech.mit.edu/archives/VOL\\_082/TECH\\_V082\\_S0439\\_P001.pdf](http://www-tech.mit.edu/archives/VOL_082/TECH_V082_S0439_P001.pdf))

*Wednesday, December 12, 1962*

The East Campus House Committee held a Referendum last Thursday to determine whether house residents would back its bid to secede from Dormitory Council if Dormcon did not adopt constitutional amendments proposed by East Campus.

Of 316 (75.4%) house residents voting, 159 (50.6%) voted in favor of secession, And 135 (42.7%) voted against it. 22 voted "neither" or were disqualified.

([www-tech.mit.edu/archives/VOL\\_082/TECH\\_V082\\_S0455\\_P005.pdf](http://www-tech.mit.edu/archives/VOL_082/TECH_V082_S0455_P005.pdf))

*Wednesday, January 11, 1977*

**Three West Campus Dormitories, Burton House, Baker, and MacGregor House, considered seceding from Dormitory Council** last December. The three dorms would form a new West Campus alliance, due to differences with Dormcon policies.

([www-tech.mit.edu/V97/PDF/N61.pdf](http://www-tech.mit.edu/V97/PDF/N61.pdf))

*Tuesday, November 17, 1981*

East Campus President David K. Eisen '82 has informed the Dormitory Council (DormCon) of **his dormitory's intention to secede from that organization**, according to DormCon President David J. Scrimshaw '83.

([www-tech.mit.edu/V101/PDF/N51.pdf](http://www-tech.mit.edu/V101/PDF/N51.pdf))

## It is the Right of Every Dorm To Decide Whether to Participate in DormCon