

MINUTES OF MEETING  
OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION  
August 25-26, 1986

MEMBERS PRESENT

Ms. Nelle H. Taylor, Chairman  
Dr. D. Glenburn Askins, Jr.  
Mr. George L. Brightharp  
Mr. John P. Faris  
Mr. Palmer Freeman, Sr.  
Mr. Robert E. Graham  
Mr. Marvin C. Jones  
Dr. Alba M. Lewis  
Mr. Mortimer F. Smith  
Mr. Joseph J. Turner, Jr.  
Mr. Robert L. Utsey, Jr.  
Mr. William J. Whitener  
Dr. Robert F. Williams

MEMBERS ABSENT

Mr. Walter E. Brooker  
Dr. Willa J. DeWitt  
Mr. Tom Moore Craig  
Mr. B. P. Gordon III  
Mr. Vernon McGuire

STAFF

Dr. Jeffrey Bartkovich  
Mr. Charles A. Brooks, Jr.  
Ms. Sandra E. Carr  
Dr. Jeanette A. Deas  
Dr. Frank E. Kinard  
Mr. Alan S. Krech  
Ms. Lynn W. Metcalf  
Dr. Gail M. Morrison  
Dr. James A. Paschal  
Mr. John E. Smalls  
Dr. Leonard P. Sternbach  
Dr. John C. Sutusky  
Ms. Gaylon Syrett  
Ms. Julia E. Wells

MEMBERS OF THE PRESS

Mr. Sean Callebs  
Mr. Scott Johnson  
Ms. Laura Nelson

GUESTS

Dr. Joanne Anderson  
Dr. Robert E. Alexander  
Dr. Chester W. Bain, Jr.  
Ms. Betty F. Barnes  
Mr. P. Henderson Barnette  
Dr. A. Wayne Bennett  
Dr. Francis T. Borkowski  
Mr. John T. Bowden  
Dr. Oscar P. Butler, Jr.  
Dr. Robert W. Denton  
Dr. James B. Edwards  
Ms. Ford  
Mr. David Fulton  
Mr. Robert Gillis  
Mr. Wade Green  
Dr. Milton D. Griffin  
Maj. Gen. James A. Grimsley, Jr.  
Mr. Clayburn Harris  
Mr. Bennett L. Helms  
Dr. H. M. Holderfield  
Dr. James B. Holderman  
Mr. Earle Holley  
Mr. O. M. Higgins, Jr.  
Dr. J. O'Neal Humphries  
Mr. William Ivey  
Dr. Edward Jackson  
Dr. Larry A. Jackson  
Mr. Tucker Johnson  
Dr. Vermelle J. Johnson  
Mr. Stephen L. Jones  
Mr. David Larson  
Lt. Col. Ben W. Legare, Jr.  
Dr. Max M. Lennon  
Mr. Harry M. Lightsey, Jr.  
Mr. James Long  
Col. C. G. Lyons  
Mr. Alden L. McCracken  
Mr. J. P. McKee  
Dr. Carolyn McIver  
Mr. J. Lacy McLean  
Dr. W. David Maxwell  
Dr. Ramsey Melleette  
Dr. James R. Morris, Jr.  
Dr. W. Marcus Newberry, Jr.  
Mr. Don Peterson  
Dr. Martha Kime Piper  
Ms. Margaret Pridgen  
Mr. Oscar E. Prioleau

GUESTS (Continued)

Mr. James Salley  
Ms. Kay Sanders  
Dr. Olin Sansbury  
Mr. Wyman D. Shealy  
Mr. Wilbur B. Shuler  
Ms. Jacqueline Skubal  
Dr. Albert E. Smith  
Dr. Michael Smith

Ms. Nina Smith  
Dr. Thomas C. Stanton  
Mr. Tom Stewart  
Mr. William E. Troublefield  
Mr. J. Floyd Tyler  
Dr. W. Hardy Wickwar  
Mr. Marion E. Woodbury  
Mr. Edwin J. Zobel III

I. Resignation of Commission Member

Mrs. Taylor reported that Mr. Gordon has resigned from the Commission, effectively immediately, because of the demands of his work.

II. Approval of Minutes of Meeting of August 7, 1986

It was moved (Whitener), seconded (Williams), and voted that the minutes of the meeting of August 7, 1986, be adopted as written.

III. Formula Presentation

Mr. Brooks made a presentation concerning the 1987-88 Appropriation Formula for Continuing Operations. He noted that the Appropriation Formula provides for equitable sharing of State support for South Carolina's public colleges and universities. Appropriations are computed impartially by using actual enrollments, proven student/faculty ratios, uniform salary assumptions, and justifiable average percentages to cover the programs of the institutions.

IV. Report of Committee on Facilities

Mr. Graham, chairman of the Committee on Facilities, reported on the following matter:

Consideration of Lease, USC-Coastal Carolina. USC-Coastal Carolina requests authorization to lease two trailers owned by the Coastal Educational Foundation and located on the USC-Coastal campus. The smaller trailer (456 square feet) will be used for a mathematics laboratory and two faculty offices. The larger trailer (768 square feet) will be used for administrative offices. These trailers will be used to provide temporary relief for academic/general space needs until a permanent facility is constructed. Total cost for the two leases would be \$6,000 in 1986-87, to be funded from State appropriations. The Committee recommends approval for one year only.

It was moved (Graham), seconded (Faris), and voted that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted.

V. Summary of 1987-88 Appropriation Requests

Mr. Brooks noted that Commission members were provided a summary of 1987-88 appropriation requests from the public senior colleges and universities and the State Board for Technical and Comprehensive Education. A summary of the requests is attached as Exhibit A.

VI. Presentation of 1987-88 Appropriation Requests by South Carolina Public Colleges and Universities and SBTCE

Mrs. Taylor welcomed the presidents and other representatives of the colleges and universities who were scheduled to present their 1987-88 appropriation requests to the Commission on August 25 and 26.

Mrs. Taylor noted that the Committee on Business and Finance will meet following the meeting of the Commission to consider the appropriation requests and to develop recommendations to the Commission. The Commission will meet on September 4, 1986, to adopt final recommendations to be presented to the Budget and Control Board, the House Ways and Means Committee, and the Senate Finance Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

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