



South Carolina Commission On Higher Education

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SUMMARY REPORT

Meeting of Commission on Higher Education, April 3, 1986

EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE
ACTION

The Education Improvement Act (1984) requires that new standards for teacher education programs be devised and promulgated by the State Board of Education in consultation with the Commission on Higher Education. The Commission ratified action taken by the Executive Committee on March 26, 1986, concerning revised evidence indicators for some standards recommended by an advisory committee to the State Board of Education. The Commission was advised that the revisions were approved by the State Board.

MEETING OF
EXECUTIVE COM-
MITTEE AND
PRESIDENTS

The Commission's Executive Committee and staff met with the Council of Presidents of Public Colleges and Universities and representatives of the Advisory Council of Private College Presidents on March 26, 1986, to review the recommendations in the report on higher education in South Carolina by Augenblick, Van de Water and Associates (AVA) of Denver.

CAPITAL
IMPROVEMENTS

The following capital improvement projects were approved by the Commission: (1) Construction of Permanent Soccer Stands and Improvement of Lighting for Soccer Field, Clemson University; (2) Construction of Occupational Training Facility, Greenville Technical College; (3) Use of Coca-Cola Plant for Physical Plant Operations, and Funding of Maintenance Costs, USC-Salkehatchie; (4) Lease Agreements for 3.24 Acres of Land near Williams Brice Stadium, and for Condominium at 1924 College Street, USC-Columbia; and (5) Renovation of Housing Projects, USC-Columbia.

TENTATIVE
SCHEDULE

The Commission approved a tentative 1986 schedule of college and university 1987-88 appropriation requests.

DESEGREGATION
REPORT

In response to a request by the Office for Civil Rights, a Final Comprehensive Report on Implementation of the State Higher Education Desegregation Plan was prepared. Draft copies, along with mail ballots, were distributed to Commission members for review and vote by April 8, 1986.