

Minutes of the University Senate, December 1, 1969

The Senate then adopted the Report, directed that it be forwarded to the Rules Committee with the charge that appropriate sections be codified and return to the Senate for inclusion in the Rules of the University Senate, and directed the Senate Council to take appropriate steps with the Office of the President and/or Senate to implement the Report as early as possible. The Report has been made a part of these Senate minutes in the Registrar's Office.

On behalf of the University Senate, the Chairman thanked Dr. Langlois and his Committee for the Report.

The Senate adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

Kathryne W. Shelburne
Recording Secretary

MINUTES OF THE UNIVERSITY SENATE, DECEMBER 8, 1969

The University Senate met in regular session at 4:00 p.m., Monday, December 8, 1969, in the Court Room of the Law Building. Chairman Ogletree presided. Members absent: Clifford Amyx, Robert Aug*, Wendell E. Berry*, Harmon C. Bickley, Jr., Richard C. Birkebak*, H. Martin Blacker, Jacqueline Bull*, Marion A. Carnes*, Clyde R. Carpenter*, Maurice A. Clay, Carl B. Cone*, Robert L. Cosgriff*, Eugene C. Crawford, Jr.*, George F. Crewe, T. Z. Csaky*, Robert J. DeAngelis, David E. Denton*, D. F. Diedrich, Henry F. Dobyns, R. Lewis Donohew*, W. G. Duncan, Frank J. Essene, Frederic J. Fleron, Roy F. Gabbard, Jess L. Gardner*, Peter P. Gillis, Ben R. Gossick, Joseph J. Gruber*, George W. Gunther, Denny O. Harris*, Virgil W. Hays, James W. Herron*, Dorothy Hollingsworth*, J. W. Hollingsworth*, Alfred S. L. Hu*, Eugene Huff*, John W. Hutchinson*, Don R. Jacobson, Vernon L. James*, Donald E. Knapp, Albert S. Levy*, John H. Lienhard*, John L. Madden, Gene L. Mason, L. Randolph McGee, Michael P. McQuillen, Vernon A. Musselman*, Leonard V. Packett*, Harold F. Parks, Doyle E. Peaslee, Ronald E. Phillips, Curtis Phipps*, Nicholas J. Pisacano*, Muriel A. Poulin*, Donald E. Sands*, Rudolph Schriels, George W. Schwert*, Ian Shine, D. Milton Shuffett*, Gerard E. Silberstein*, Robert H. Stroup*, William G. Survant*, Duane N. Tweeddale, H. Fred Vetter, John N. Walker, William S. Ward*, Paul M. Weeks, David R. Wekstein*, David C. White, Donald J. Wood*, Lawrence A. Allen, Charles E. Barnhart, Harry M. Bohannon*, Glenwood L. Creech, Marcia A. Dake*, Robert M. Drake, Jr., Charles P. Graves, Jack B. Hall, Joseph Hamburg, Ellis F. Hartford, Raymon D. Johnson*, William S. Jordan, Jr.*, Taft McKinstry, George J. Ruschell, Otis A. Singletary, Eugene J. Small, Sheryl G. Snyder, and Ernest F. Witte.

The Senate granted permission to Jeannie Leedom of the Kernel to attend and report.

The minutes of November 24, 1969 were approved as circulated.

*Absence explained

On behalf of the University Senate Council, Dr. William K. Plucknett, Secretary, presented the following recommendation which had been circulated to the faculty under date of November 20, 1969:

- (1) that persons graduating from the College of Law prior to December, 1965, be permitted, upon payment of a fee, to receive the J.D. degree to replace the LL.B. degree.
- (2) that this recommendation be forwarded to the President for submission to the Board of Trustees for appropriate action.

The Senate approved this recommendation as presented.

On behalf of the University Senate Council, Dr. Plucknett presented a recommendation that the proposed changes in admission requirements to the College of Law (which had been recommended by the Rules Committee and circulated to the entire faculty under date of December 1, 1969) be approved and appropriately incorporated into the Rules of the University Senate.

Following discussion, the Senate approved the recommended changes in the Law School admission requirements for incorporation in the Rules of the University Senate. These changes are as follows:

Change (a) under (3) arabic 1. College of Law, on page 4 of the Rules of the University Senate (An Interim Publication Revised and Updated JULY 1969) to read:

Professional Colleges

1. College of Law. . . .

(3) . . .

- (a) Those applicants having at least a 2.75 average and at least a 550 LSAT score will be admitted.

The last sentence of the second literary paragraph of these requirements, change to read:

Ordinarily the Admissions Committee will not admit an applicant who has less than a 2.5 average and a 500 LSAT score. However, the Committee will examine with particular care the grade average for the last three semesters of prelaw study, recommendations of faculty, and the nature and difficulty of the course work attempted in prelaw study.

On behalf of the Senate Council, Dr. Plucknett presented a recommendation that the Senate approve the recommended changes in admission requirements to the University, which had been circulated to the entire faculty under date of December 1, 1969, and forward the changes to the Rules Committee for appropriate wording and inclusion in the Rules of the University Senate.

Following discussion, the Senate approved a recommendation to amend the requirement of attendance at an Advising Conference according to a schedule established by the Dean of Admissions and Registrar, to include the following provision:

"unless excused by permission in special circumstances and emergencies."

The Senate then approved the recommended changes in admission requirements to the University, as amended, for forwarding to the Rules Committee for appropriate wording and inclusion in the Rules of the University Senate. Following is a summarization of the changes in admission requirements to the University, as amended.

Insert April 1 as the application deadline for beginning freshmen who are not residents of Kentucky seeking admission to a summer session or fall semester;

Establish June 15 as the application deadline for Kentucky resident beginning freshmen, and for all undergraduate transfer students seeking admission to a fall semester;

Establish a date fifteen days prior to the beginning of advance registration for a spring semester as the application deadline for all beginning freshmen and undergraduate transfer students seeking admission to a spring semester;

(The present thirty-day deadline for applying for admission for all other categories of students, excepting professional colleges which may have set earlier dates, will continue to be in effect.)

Drop the requirement of recommendation of the applicant by his high school principal;

Require attendance at an Advising Conference according to a schedule established by the Dean of Admissions and Registrar unless excused by permission in special circumstances and emergencies;

Drop the recommended high school program for resident students (since it is not regulatory in nature);

Amend the Rule governing applicants who are non-resident of Kentucky so that the procedural changes effected by the dropping of the recommended high school program for resident students shall also apply to non-resident freshmen.

The Chairman recognized student Senator, Tim Futrell, President of Student Government, who reported that numerous complaints from students had been received of instructors who were giving the final examination before final examination week, thus violating the Rules of the University Senate governing administration of finals; that he had written to the Senate Council of these violations and that the Senate Council had advised him that the Senate could not take action and had advised him to notify the appropriate dean and/or administrative officer of the violations.

He stated further that the executive branch of Student Government had charged the Academic Affairs Office of Student Government with the responsibility of preparing a list of those instructors who had violated the Senate Rules governing administration of finals, such list to be presented to the appropriate deans and/or administrative officers of the University in January 1970; and that he was asking those Senators interested in preserving their Rules to assist Student Government in this charge by notifying the Student Government Office of any violators they might have knowledge of.

Dr. Ogletree reminded the Senators that this was his last meeting as their Chariman, reviewed the work of the Senate for the past calendar year, and projected the Senate agenda for the remainder of the academic year. He stated that the procedure employed last year for the establishment of ad hoc committees to work on the pressing issues facing the University would again be employed; that the faculty would be contacted in early January for their recommendations of additional pressing issues, the committees on which they would wish to serve, suggested suitable colleagues for committee service, followed by the establishment of and charge to the committees, for reporting to the Senate beginning in September, 1970. Further, he told the Senators of the approximately 10 proposals which the Senate Council had forwarded to the Rules Committee for its consideration and presentation to the University Senate.

Dr. Ogletree expressed to the Senate his pleasure in having served them; expressed appreciation to his department and college for their tolerance during his tenure as Senate Council Chairman; thanked the Senate Council members for their year of outstanding work and asked that they stand for recognition by the Senate; expressed appreciation of Mrs. Jan Partin, office secretary to the Senate Council, the secretary and recording secretary of the Senate, and Dr. Gifford Blyton, the Senate Parliamentarian.

Dr. Plucknett, Secretary of the Senate Council, presented the following Resolution honoring Dr. Ogletree:

Be it Resolved: The Senate expresses its appreciation for the excellent leadership it has received the past year from Bob Ogletree. While we may feel he has been somewhat of a slave driver, it is true that he, himself, has worked far beyond the call of duty at considerable professional sacrifice.

The Senate endorsed this Resolution with a standing ovation to Dr. Ogletree.

The Senate adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Elbert W. Ockerman
Secretary

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December 1, 1969

To: University Senate

From: Elbert W. Ockerman, Secretary

The regular meeting of the University Senate will be held at 4:00 p.m., Monday, December 8, 1969, in the Court Room of the Law Building.

Items on the agenda will include any old business which might not have been completed, a report from the Rules Committee of the Senate plus any additional new business which may develop.