

January 31, 2001

The Academic Council met at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, January 31, 2001, in the Deans' Conference

PROCEEDINGS

Professor Hunter MOVED approval of the agenda, and Professor Tolbert SECONDED the motion. Dr. Stanger noted that the second item on the agenda should have been approval of the

November 1, 2000, minutes rather than the October 11 minutes. The agenda was APPROVED as corrected.

Approval of the Minutes of the November 1 Meeting

The question was called, and the motion PASSED with one dissenting vote

Recess

Dr. Stanger called a recess at 3:30 p.m. so that the Academic Council could meet with the Administrative Council as the University Assembly to consider the Regents Degrees proposal.

Internet-based Plagiarism

Dr. Eisen said he and other faculty members are having a problem with students who are taking things from the internet and using them as their own. Plagiarism is not a new practice, but Dr. Eisen said he believes it is different now because of the internet, and he questioned whether students are being

informed about the rules of fair use and the consequences of misconduct. Perhaps internet language

