

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE RECONSIDERATION COMMITTEE

I. DATE: April 13, 1979
TO: Faculty Senate
FROM: Reconsideration Committee

II. Membership of the Committee

RECONSIDERATION COMMITTEE 1978-79

Henry Ferrell, History, Chairperson	1979
Prem Sehgal, Biology, Secretary	1980
Artemis Kares, Library Services	1980
Stella Daugherty, Mathematics	1981
Robert Irwin, Music	1981

Alternates

Don Sexauer, Art	1979
Otto Henry, Music	1980
Phil Cheng, Business	1980
Sandra Wurth-Hough, Political Science	1981
James Hix, Chemistry	1981

III. Committee meetings and members absent

October 12, 1978 Ferrell, Daugherty, Henry

IV. Date of reports to the Faculty Senate during the year

None

V. Specific instructions, if any, given to the Committee by the Faculty Senate

None

VI. A brief statement of committee organization, subcommittees, research activities, etc.

See II above.

VII. List of Committee accomplishments including recommendations made to agencies other than the Faculty Senate

None

VIII. Citation of the resolution numbers of Senate resolutions that originated with the Committee

None

IX. Proposals and/or business to be carried over to next year

None

X. Evaluation of the Committee

- A. Structure - adequate
- B. Duties - well defined
- C. Functions - adequate
- D. Personnel - adequate

XI. Suggestions for improving the effectiveness of the Committee

None

Signed: Chairperson

Henry C. Jensen

Secretary

Paul P. Schrage

ANNUAL REPORT OF

THE STUDENT RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION COMMITTEE

I. DATE: April 10, 1979
TO: Faculty Senate
FROM: Tilton Willcox, Chairman

II. Membership of the Committee

Ex-officio: Dr. Brewer, Chancellor
Dr. Holt - Vice Chancellor for Administration and Planning
Ione Ryan - Vice Chairman of the Faculty
Dean of Admissions - John Horne (Gene Owens)

Tilton Willcox, Business, Chairperson	1979
Patricia Dunn, Health & PE, Secretary	1980
Wilbert Ball, University Counseling Center	1980
Louise Haigwood, Nursing (for Dennis Chestnut on leave 1 year)	1981
Edith Webber, English	1981

Student: Mike Morse

III. Committee Meetings (dates and members absent)

September 5, 1978	(Mike Morse, Gene Owens)
September 18, 1978	(Mike Morse)
October 16, 1978	(Wilbert Ball, Gene Owens)
November 20, 1978	(Mike Morse)
December 18, 1978	(Gene Owens, Mike Morse, Louise Haigwood)
February 21, 1979	(Mike Morse)
March 21, 1979	(Patricia Dunn, Mike Morse)
April 4, 1979	(Edith Webber, Mike Morse, Gene Owens, Louise Haigwood)

A quorum was present for each meeting and business conducted. Mike Morse, the Student Representative, seldom attended.

IV. Date of Reports to Faculty Senate During the Year

March 27, 1979

V. Specific Instructions Given to Committee by Faculty Senate

The word "retention" was added as a function of this Committee.

VI. Brief Statement of Committee, Subcommittees, Research Activities, etc.

A. Information on University Day was sent to Dr. Brewer

B. Received report from Gene Owens (Admissions Office) concerning retention rate:

1. Profile (demographic background) of students admitted to ECU
2. Dropout and flunkout rate for 1977 and 1978 school years
3. Profile (academic) of freshman class for 1977 and 1978

- C. The Committee reviewed and studied various brochures published by the departments on campus.
- D. The Committee discussed student advisement problems and reviewed information concerning the Academic Advising Counseling Center at Western Carolina University.
- E. The possibility and necessary requirements for establishing a Phi Beta Kappa Chapter was studied.
- F. Received a report from Dean of General College concerning retention of students and his recommendations for improving retention.

VII. Committee Accomplishments Including Recommendations Made to Agencies Other Than the Faculty Senate

None

VIII. Citation of the Resolution Numbers of Senate Resolutions That Originated with the Committee

None

IX. Proposals and/or Business To Be Carried Over to Next Year

- A. Further study of retention of students
- B. Further study of advising/counseling students

X. Evaluation of the Committee

- A. Structure: Satisfactory
- B. Duties: Satisfactory
- C. Functions: Satisfactory
- D. Personnel: Satisfactory

XI. Suggestions for Improving Effectiveness of Committee

There appears to be sufficient work in recruitment and retention to continue this Committee.

Signed: Chairperson Talton L. Wilcox
 Secretary Patricia Durr