MEMORANDUM

To: The Faculty

From: Bishop Hunt, Faculty Secretary

About: Highlights of seventh Faculty Senate meeting

The Faculty Senate met for about an hour and forty minutes on Tuesday, March 12. Highlights:

--David Cohen reported on the apparent success of the first part of the SACS review process.

--The Speaker reported on four matters:

1) The Academic Standards Committee is working on a form for evaluating administrators.
2) The President wants the Advisory Committee to advise on Honorary Degrees.
3) A status report on motions passed by the Senate in 1994-95 was circulated at meeting.
4) Six pages of excerpts from the Higher Education Joint Legislative Study Committee report of February, 1996 were also circulated at the meeting.

--The Senate approved a **PROPOSED CHANGE IN THE BY-LAWS** having to do with replacing At-Large Senators who do not complete their term of office. This was introduced at the February meeting, amended by the Committee on the By-Laws in the interim, and amended once more from the floor, to read:

*Append to Article IV, Section 2F:*

If an at-large Senator needs to be replaced in the second year of a term, the Senate will elect the replacement by written ballot. The Committee on Nominations will provide a slate of at least two candidates circulated to the faculty at least two weeks before the Senate meeting. Additional nominations from the faculty may be sent to the Chair of the Committee on Nominations at least ten days before the Senate meeting.

--Six items from the Curriculum Committee were approved:

1) Course deletion: English 90
2) New Course: Music 222, Special Topics for Non-Majors (minor amendment from the floor)
3) Change math requirement for business majors from MATH 231, to MATH 104 or 216
4) Change in prerequisite: BADM 330
5) Course deletion: MATH 231
6) Geology and Computer Science Departments: change math requirement from MATH 231 to 216
[7) for information only: Special Topics Courses in Philosophy, and Geology].

--A proposal from the Welfare Committee on Bicycle Traffic on Campus was remanded to committee.

--A proposal to create an “Ad Hoc Committee to Review the Current State of General Education at the College of Charleston” was amended (by expanding its membership and shrinking its duties) and passed.

**Remaining Scheduled Meetings for the Spring Term, 1996**

| Faculty Senate: | Tuesday, April 2 (Maybank 100) |
| Full Faculty:   | Monday, April 22 (Recital Hall, Simons Center for the Arts) |