The meeting of the Committee for April 3, 1996 was called to order at 3:05 PM.

The minutes of the meeting of March 27, 1996, were approved as corrected.

Dean Lindstrom proposed the following policy: "Under extraordinary circumstances the grade IP may be used in cases where a student initially received a grade of I and is granted an extension of the 60 day deadline." The faculty member would have to get in touch with Dean Lindstrom to have the IP in place. The motion was approved. Since this was deemed to be an extension of an existing policy, not a new grade, it was decided that Senate approval was not necessary.

petitioned to be allowed to take seven of her last 37 hours at Northeast Louisiana University. She needs permission because she will have only 55 hours at the College, under her current plans. The petition was approved.

petitioned to be allowed to take nine of her last 37 hours at Clemson. She has transferred in 44 hours, has taken 28 hours at the College, is enrolled in 18 hours, and is registered for 13 hours in the fall. The petition was approved.

petitioned to be allowed to take nine of her last 37 hours at Midlands Tech. The petition was approved.

There was some discussion of the "replaceable F" that had been discussed at the last meeting. Further action was deferred until the subcommittee can meet again.

A motion was made to take to the Senate a proposal to allow a student to participate in Commencement without having met all qualifications for graduation. Such a student must (1) have a cumulative GPA and a major GPA of 2.0 or better, (2) be registered for all courses required to complete the degree, but not more than 18 hours, and (3) receive an F or I in no more than four hours in the semester preceding the commencement in question. After much discussion, the Committee approved the motion.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:57 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter Phar