THE COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON  
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Minutes of the Committee on Academic Standards, Admissions and Financial Assistance  

January 27, 1988

Members Present: Jim Anderson, Hugh Haynsworth, Tom Langley, Michael Katuna, Michael Morgan, Susan Morrison (chair), Brandon Pitcher.


The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m.

Mr. Brandon Pitcher was introduced as the new SGA student member of the ASC, replacing Ms. Cindy Hope.

Minutes of the January 13, 1988 meeting were circulated and approved.

The petition of [REDACTED] was reconsidered from the previous meeting. Prof. Kubinec, chair of the physics department, recommended that [REDACTED] be credited with credit for PHY129-130 and for one lab in astronomy, based on her transfer courses. The laboratory science requirement could be completed by taking PHY129L, thus allowing 7 credit hours to satisfy the science requirement. This recommendation was moved and passed by a vote of 3-2.

As the Learning Disabilities Student Coordinator, Prof. Sue Schenck discussed the proposed revision of the learning disabled student policy with the committee (see a memorandum dated 9/16/87 for the complete statement). About 12 incoming freshmen were admitted as learning disabled students last fall. Prof. Schenck is asked to review all applications from students that identify themselves as learning disabled. Based on past performance of LD students, she now recommends that LD applicants with a predicted grade point average less than 1.8 be denied admission. Once admitted, students are responsible for contacting the LD Coordinator, although all students are made aware of the existence of the LD Coordinator and an LD policy during orientation. No vote was taken at this meeting.

Prof. Morrison gave a brief history of grade point ratio requirements for scholarship continuation. Then Prof. Katuna began a presentation of the recommendations of the scholarship committee, as contained in their report. Discussion of the report was carried over to the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

Submitted by,

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W. Hugh Haynsworth