UNM School of Law Faculty Meeting January 28, 1980 Conference Room 4:00 p.m.

## MINUTES

Desiderio, DuMars, J. Ellis, W. Ellis, Fink, Goldberg, Hart, Henry, Hermann, Kovnat, MacPherson, Martinez, Minzner, Muir, Occhialino, Parnall, Romero, Simson, Stelzner, Teitelbaum, Winograd; Student Representatives Carabajal, Otten, Valdez;

Dean Desiderio called the meeting to order; minutes of the meeting of January 21, 1980, were approved.

Dean announced that the Mountain States Legal Foundation has an opening for experienced faculty members as additions to their litigation staff, as well as for a less experienced faculty member to handle cases in the fields of constitutional, natural resource, or environmental law.

The attention of the faculty then turned to the academic status of firstyear students. It was moved and seconded that George Chavez and Terry Seaton be placed on probation during the spring semester. Motion carried. A motion to place the following students on probation carried:

> Angela Arellanes Frank Cerno Martha Covarrubias

Herman Fierro Francis Selph Robert Yazzie

Also carried was a motion to place on probation any other first-year student whose grade average was below 2.0 upon submission of all grades.

Regarding the academic status of upperclassmen, the following action was taken:

> Jean Baines was continued on probation; Baron Abrums was suspended, with option to petition for readmission; Brenda Bellonger (Peterson) and Quentin Michael Jones were placed on probation.

Professor Teitelbaum announced there is to be a Faculty Senate meeting on Tuesday at 3:00, the subject of which will be investigation of athletic eligibility and the election of a "Truth Squad" of five to inform the legislature as to faculty feelings. He urges that all law faculty attend.

The Committee on Promotions and Tenure (all full-time law faculty) will convene upon adjournment of this meeting. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Louise R. Camp

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Next meeting: 2/4/80