School of Law Faculty Meeting April 30, 1984 Conference Room, 4 PM

Present: Browde, Desiderio, DuMars, Ellis, J., Ellis, W., Flickinger, Godfrey, Hall, Hart, Hernandez, Johnson, K., Kovnat, Norwood, Occhialino, Ragsdale, Romero, Simson, Stelzner, Taylor, Teitelbaum, Utton, Winograd.

Student Rep: Henning-Sachs.

Minutes of the April 16 meeting were accepted as written.

Dean Desiderio read a letter of appreciation and general comment from Judge (former faculty member) Pamela Minzner thanking the faculty for their remembrances upon her departure from the School of Law to assume a seat on the New Mexico Court of Appeals. Professor Minzner presented the faculty two pictures of the the New Mexico Court of Appeals for hanging in the law school.

Professor Kovnat, Chair of the Ad Hoc Committee to Review Retention Policies, presented a report that recommended merger of the Readmissions Committee into the Committee on Student Retention and Suspension. This action would be formally accomplished by the deletion of the final sentence of paragraph 6c of UNM School of Law "Policy on Academic Retention and Suspension". The faculty voted, without objection, to accept the Ad Hoc Committee recommendation, and to rename the merged committee the Committee on Student Retention, Suspension and Readmission. The current policy statement will be revised to reflect these changes and distributed to all faculty and students.

Dean Desiderio reminded the faculty of the need to return grades for the Spring Semester as quickly as possible. He also reminded the faculty that permission for students to take exams at a date later than the formally scheduled exam time should be addressed by the students directly to either of the Deans, who will then contact the faculty member involved. As a final matter of business the Dean informed the faculty of somewhat heavier than usual committee assignment loads for the upcoming Fall semester, and asked that they keep this in mind when planning other commitments.

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 PM.

Respectfully, submitted,

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