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Administrative Notes, May 29th, 1978

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To: Board of Regents, Texas Eastern University

From: James H. Stewart, Jr.

Subject: Administrative Notes

I. Accreditation of Medical Technology Program

During December of the past academic year, an accreditation visit was made to our campus for the purpose of evaluating the Texas Eastern University medical technology program. The Committee on Allied Health Education and Accreditation which is a part of the American Medical Association's Department of Allied Health Evaluation provided a report on this visit last week. Through this report we were advised that the Texas Eastern University medical technology program was granted accreditation for a period of two years. This action was taken by the committee at its April 20-21, 1978 meeting on recommendation from the National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences, the Review Committee sponsored by the American Society of Clinical Pathologists, and the American Society for Medical Technology. Included in the accreditation of the Texas Eastern University program is recognition of the affiliates--East Texas Chest Hospital (now UT Health Center at Tyler) and Medical Center Hospital--that are associated with TEU in the medical technology degree program through providing clinical experiences for Texas Eastern students. Certainly, we are very pleased about the medical technology program accreditation and look forward to continued improvement of this program which is extremely vital to our area.

II. 1978-79 Board Committee Appointments

As regents who were present at last week's board meeting are aware, Chairman David K. McKie announced Board of Regents committee appointments for the 1978-79 year. These appointments were listed in a document distributed at the meeting and a copy of this document is included through attachment for your information and records.
III. Quarterly Board of Regents Meeting

Based on discussion at last week's board meeting, the date of July 12, 1978 was confirmed as the date on which the regular quarterly meeting of the board is to be conducted. Therefore, it is noted herein so that everyone may appropriately mark calendars. For this meeting a report from the academic area of our institution is being prepared. This report will include an overview of the programs within each of the schools of the university with special emphasis on 1977-78 academic year highlights and plans for the 1978-79 academic year as well as general emphasis on the next four or five years.

Also, you are already aware that the 1978-79 fiscal year budget will be on the agenda as well as the appropriations request for the biennium beginning September 1, 1979 and ending August 31, 1981. Additionally, the Library (Part A) construction project will be an important item for further consideration.

IV. Report from Resident Engineer

Attached is a report from the director of physical plant and resident engineer for the week ending May 26, 1978.

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Attachments
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1978-79
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I. Executive Committee
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CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS REPORT
PHASE II
Week Ending: May 26, 1978

SCIENCE/MATH: Masonry work is essentially complete except for clean-up. Mechanical work shows good progress throughout the building. Motors have been installed on auxiliary hot and chilled water pumps. Electrical conduit and panel installation continues on both floors. Drywall installation has progressed significantly during the past week. Sheetrock is being placed on metal studs in the north one-half of the second floor. Other drywall work has started in the south one-half of the second floor.

BUSINESS: Masonry work is in progress along the south wall and the southwest stairwell. Duct installation, electrical conduit work, and piping work continues to progress well. Some drywall work around the first floor mechanical room has been done. Motor control electrical panels have been set in place in the first floor central mechanical room. A large quantity of sheetrock and metal studs have been stored in the building for drywall work. Electrical light fixtures are also being stored at the job site.

SITWORK: The 16 foot wide intercampus drive/sidewalk has been poured from the Business Building to the Greenhouse. The paving of Campus Drive has been completed.

L. J. Grubbs, P. E.
Director of Physical Plant
and Resident Engineer

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cc: Dr. James H. Stewart, Jr.
    Mr. John R. Sawyer