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Calendar Committee recommendations for changes in closing date of Christmas recess, 1966-67 (to Jan. 3) and the beginning date of second term Summer Session, 1966 (to July 28, with Saturday, July 30 to be a class day)

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TO: President Francis H. Horn  
FROM: Chairman of the Faculty Senate  

1. The Attached BILL, titled Calendar Committee recommendations for changes in 
   closing date of Christmas recess, 1966-67 (to Jan. 3) and the beginning date of 
   second term Summer Session, 1966 (to July 28, with Saturday, July 30 to be a, 
   class day), 
   is forwarded for your consideration.  

2. The original and two copies for your use are included.  

3. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on Nov. 18, 1965  
   (date) 

4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or 
   disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of Trustees, 
   completing the appropriate endorsement below.  

5. In accordance with Section 8, paragraph 2 of the Senate's By-Laws, this 
   bill will become effective on Dec. 9, 1965 (date), three weeks 
   after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for implementation are 
   written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved; (3) you forward 
   it to the Board of Trustees for their approval; or (4) the University 
   Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is forwarded to the 
   Board of Trustees, it will not become effective until approved by the Board. 

     November 30, 1965  
     (date)  
     Elizabeth W. Goodell /s/  
     Chairman of the Faculty Senate  

ENDORSEMENT 1.  

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate  
FROM: President of the University  

1. Returned.  

2. Approved X. Disapproved_____.  

3. (If approved) In my opinion, transmittal to the Board of Trustees is 
   not necessary.  
   November 30, 1965  
   (date)  
   President /s/  

Form approved 11/65  

(over)
ALTERNATE ENDORSEMENT 1.

TO: Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

FROM: The University President

1. Forwarded.

2. Approved.

(date) President

ENDORSEMENT 2.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Chairman of the Board of Trustees, via the University President.

1. Forwarded.

(date) (Office)

ENDORSEMENT 3.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

FROM: The University President

1. Forwarded from the Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

(date) President

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Dec. 2, 1965

Chairman of the Faculty Senate
Report of Calendar Committee

The Committee recommends the following items for confirmation by the Faculty Senate.

I. Change in 1966-67 Calendar.

A. The Calendar for 1966-67 reads in part:

January 2, Monday Christmas recess ends, 8:00 a.m.

The Committee recommends it be changed to read:

January 3, Tuesday Christmas recess ends, 8:00 a.m.

The reason for the change is that January 2 is a holiday.

II. Change in the Summer Session Calendar of 1966.

A. The Committee recommends the following change.

1. Summer Session, 1966. First day for second term classes changed from Thursday, July 28 to Friday, July 29. The lost day to be made up by holding classes on Saturday, July 30.

The reason for the change is that a serious problem of housekeeping exists since students attending the first term would still occupy residence hall rooms on July 27 and students entering the second term would occupy these same rooms on the evening of July 27 or the next day, July 28. At present, classes for the second term would start at 7:30 a.m. on July 28.

A request has been made for a one day period between terms so that residence hall rooms may be cleaned and made presentable.

2. The Committee considered the following alternatives but feels its recommendation is the most feasible.

a. Starting the first summer term a day earlier. However, school districts already have used the present opening date to make arrangements for teachers to attend the first term.

b. Starting the second summer term a day later with no Saturday make-up day. The faculty has previously voiced its opposition to shortening a summer term.

c. Starting the second summer term one day later and rearranging the time schedule for classes to gain the time lost. This alternative is too clumsy and raises additional complications.

B. Bell
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