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MEMORANDUM

ROLLINS COLLEGE

From Dwight L. Ling, Provost

Date September 1, 1976

To Full-Time Faculty and Administration with Faculty Rank

Copies To

Subject Faculty Meeting Monday, September 13, at 4:00 p.m., Crummer Auditorium

This is to remind you that in President Critchfield's most recent written communication to you a special faculty meeting was announced for September 13.

It is important that all persons be in attendance because President Critchfield will be discussing some major issues with us. Please get this on your calendar.

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From: George E. Larsen, Secretary of the Faculty

September 14, 1976

To: All Faculty Members
President, Student Association
Public Relations Office

Subject: Special Faculty Meeting, September 13, 1976

I. A special faculty meeting called by President Critchfield was held on Monday, September 13, 1976 at 4 PM in the Crummer Auditorium with Dr. Barry Levis presiding. All members of the faculty, including Dr. Robert E. Lee of the PAFB Branch, were present except for the following:

Blossey, Erich	Henderson, Mary Ann	Sedwick, Frank
Campbell, Roger	Kahn, Michael	Upson, James
Edmondson, Charles	Meisel, Harry	Woodbury, Ward
Edwards, Kathryn	Phelan, Walter	Zellers, Charles
Harblin, Thomas	Schauwecker, Paul	

II. Dr. Levis proposed that a sense of the faculty be obtained regarding returning to the Professional Standards and Ethics Committee the proposed policy on faculty evaluation. After discussion it was decided that the question would be considered at the faculty meeting of September 20 as scheduled on the agenda.

III. Dr. Ling introduced the new members of the faculty.

IV. Dr. Critchfield welcomed the faculty and announced that there were about 1,277 students on campus. Registration apparently went very smoothly. During the summer we had to complete an internal self-study on sex discrimination in compliance with Title IX (of Public Law 92-318). Ms. Kate Reich was the Coordinator and with the cooperation of various faculty and staff members she did an outstanding job at a very difficult time. The document is available in the Office of the Provost. You are welcome to read it and give your comments to Ms. Reich, who will remain as the Coordinator.

V. President Critchfield gave an extensive presentation of his views and reasons for not accepting the recommendations of the Housing Review Board last May to remove the Kappa Alpha's and X-Club from their existing housing and have them replaced by the Lighthouse and Fine Arts houses. The topics and various aspects covered included: his reasons for not vetoing the legislation that created the Housing Review Board; the attitude of the Board of Trustees; anti-fraternity and pro-fraternity considerations; alumni support; coeducational housing in its various forms; future enrollment; financial considerations; the possibility of his ever supporting living units that include men and women in the same facility; the desirability of increased faculty involvement with student groups; and his request for the help of the faculty and their positive, constructive criticism.

VI. A brief discussion followed, with comments and questions by Dr. Edge, Dr. Gilbert, Dr. Valdes, Dr. Williams, and Dr. Darrah.

VII. The meeting was adjourned at 5:16 PM. A taped record of the meeting is available in the College Archives.