

**THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
MEETING AS A COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

October 15, 1998

The Regents of the University of California met on the above date at UCSF-Laurel Heights, San Francisco.

Present: Regents Atkinson, Bagley, Clark, Davies, Espinoza, Gould, Johnson, Khachigian, Kozberg, Leach, Lee, Miura, Montoya, Parsky, Sayles, and Willmon

In attendance: Regents-designate Taylor and Vining, Faculty Representative Dorr, Secretary Trivette, General Counsel Holst, Treasurer Small, Provost King, Senior Vice President Kennedy, Vice Presidents Broome, Darling, Gomes, Gurtner, and Hopper, Chancellors Berdahl, Bishop, Carnesale, Cicerone, Dynes, Greenwood, and Yang, and Recording Secretary Nietfeld

The meeting convened at 1:25 p.m. with Chairman Davies presiding.

Chairman Davies explained that the Board had been convened as a Committee of the Whole in order to permit members of the public an opportunity to address matters on the afternoon's agendas. The following persons addressed the Board concerning the items noted:

1. ***Item 1, Joint Meeting, Committee on Finance and Committee on Grounds and Buildings: University of California 1999-2000 Budget for Current Operations***

Ms. Jane Beal, External Chair of the Graduate Students Association, Davis campus, noted the sharp rise in student fees during the 1990s and urged the University to seek a fee freeze for all students in its next compact with the State. In addition, she suggested that Regents, students, and administrators should work together to lobby the legislature to increase the State's contribution to the University's operating budget.

2. ***Item 302, Committee on Educational Policy: Report on Outreach Efforts***

Ms. Jesse DeAro, a graduate student at the Santa Barbara campus, recalled that her parents and grandparents, who are of Mexican descent, were not informed of the opportunities that exist with respect to higher education. She stressed that information about access to higher education should be available to everyone.

The meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Attest:

Secretary