Resolution #7, 1984-85

TO: President John E. Van de Watering

FROM: The Faculty Senate

RE: I. Formal Resolution (Act of Determination)
    II. Recommendation (Urging the fitness of)
    III. Other (Notice, Request, Report, etc.)

SUBJECT: Revised Mission Statement

(see attached)

Signed: John E. Van de Watering
Date Sent: 10/31/84

TO: The Faculty Senate

FROM: President John E. Van de Watering

RE: Decision and Action Taken on Formal Resolution

a. Accepted. Effective Date: 11/1/84
b. Deferred for discussion with the Faculty Senate on:
   c. Unacceptable for the reasons contained in the attached explanation:

II., III. a. Received and acknowledged
   b. Comment:

DISTRIBUTION: Vice Presidents: (See Attached)
others:

Distribution Date: [Signature]

Date Received by the Senate: [Signature]

[President of the College]
STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
College at Brockport

Faculty Senate Meeting: 10/29/84

MISSION STATEMENT

The State University of New York College at Brockport is a comprehensive College of arts and sciences, which offers integrated and balanced programs in the arts, humanities, social sciences, sciences, and professional studies at both the baccalaureate and the masters level as well as certificate programs in selected professional areas. As a comprehensive college, it prepares graduates who are conversant with the traditions of the liberal arts, who are oriented toward lifelong learning and post-graduate studies, and who are trained in employable skills.

Through strong relationships between the liberal arts disciplines and professional studies, each Brockport student is provided applied knowledge and strengths in critical and creative thinking, writing, and speaking skills. This balanced blend of theoretical and practical knowledge within each academic program assures the graduate of competence in the workplace or readiness for advanced training in a profession and prepares the graduate for informed citizenship and community leadership.

The College's structure and curriculum meet the need for readily accessible, quality higher education for all citizens of New York who are intellectually qualified to receive it. The College concentrates on undergraduate education and a few high-quality graduate programs. The College also serves a wide range of both traditional and non-traditional students through a rich array of undergraduate, graduate and strong continuing education programs.

The College is committed to cooperation with other institutions including program coordination with other two and four-year colleges. It provides services to the community through the talents of its faculty, staff, and students and the resources of the campus. Faculty research serves a general public through its advancement of knowledge and provides a vital support to the educational mission of the College.

The College seeks to attract and retain well-motivated students. It strives to provide a campus environment conducive to learning. It recognizes all aspects of campus life as a part of the educational process. The ideals of the College are: attention to the individual student's needs, commitment to a comprehensive, educational experience in and out of the classroom, and a concern for an enrichment of individual lives. The College believes these ideals will serve its graduates for a lifetime of productive work, personal enrichment, and useful citizenship.

Note: Underlining denotes additions