

The State Board of Regents met in special session in Des Moines, Iowa, on Friday, June 17, 1983. Those present were:

Members of the State Board of Regents:

Mr. Brownlee, President
Mrs. Anderson
Mr. Duchon
Dr. Harris
Mrs. Jorgensen
Mr. McDonald
Mrs. Murphy
Mr. Neu
Mr. Stork

Office of the State Board of Regents:

Executive Secretary Richey
Director Barak
Director Maxwell
Ms. Peters, Secretary

University of Northern Iowa:

Director Kelly

GENERAL

The following business pertaining to general or miscellaneous items was transacted on Friday, June 17, 1983, in a special meeting of the State Board of Regents.

ELECTION OF PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA. President Brownlee stated that the board was meeting in open session following several days of hard work on the search for a president of the University of Northern Iowa. He noted that the board, having gone into executive session by a vote of at least two-thirds majority on June 8 beginning at 3:30 p.m., arose therefrom at 5:03 p.m. on Friday, June 16, 1983. (See minutes pp. 686-687)

President Brownlee said because the board viewed its responsibilities towards this great university, the University of Northern Iowa, seriously, it felt the task it had embarked on was one of the most significant and important things it does. It was President Brownlee's understanding that after some intensive reflection the board was ready to make a decision at this time. He opened the floor to a possible motion for the presidency of the University of Northern Iowa.

MOTION:

Mrs. Anderson moved that Dr. Constantine W. Curris be elected president of the University of Northern Iowa effective August 1, 1983, at a salary of \$73,500 per year plus usual fringe benefits and moving expenses with the understanding that Dr. Curris is required in the performance of his official duties to live in the residence provided for the president on the campus of the University of Northern Iowa, and further that the board recognizes its commitment for the provision of leave if a change of academic status is desirable. Mr. Duchene seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

President Brownlee asked board members if there were additional items to be raised for discussion. There were none.

ADJOURNMENT. The meeting of the State Board of Regents adjourned on Friday, June 17, 1983, at 9:05 a.m.


R. Wayne Richey
Executive Secretary