

# Recommendations Probe In Campus Unrest Offered

LANSING (AP) — Here are staff recommendations of the Senate Committee investigating campus unrest. They cover six areas: legislation, governance, academic affairs, campus security, coordination and communication.

### LEGISLATION

1. "No new laws, or modifications of existing laws, are necessary either to enumerate new crimes or to make more serious offenses of existing crimes in order to deal with campus disorder."
2. "Publicly endowed scholarship funds should be withdrawn, withheld or denied only for reasons directly related to scholarly achievement."
3. "It should be made clear, through legislation if this should prove necessary, that campus rules and regulations apply to all persons who enter the campus."
4. "Legislation affecting such issues as control of drugs or abortions should be deliberated based on the assumption that these are broad societal issues rather than issues of a peculiar application to college campuses."
5. "Provision for legislative appropriations to support institutions of higher education should be made in such a manner as to both allow and encourage a maximum amount of internal flexibility within the operations of each institution and to consider a motion of confidence in the abilities and capacities of the institutions of higher education within this state to manage their own internal affairs in a proper and desirable manner."
7. "Collegiate institutions must undertake the reveal to the Legislature the nature of their efforts to fulfill their educational mission."

### GOVERNANCE

1. "The role of the president should be carefully redefined at all colleges."
2. "Devices must be found through which the collaborative power of people working together can be used to improve the entire institution, not just in a department or two."
3. "It is strongly recom-

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mended that institutions look seriously at the ad hoc committee concept whereby a committee is appointed to do a single job and then disbanded."

4. "We recommend the establishment of communication facilitating groups and individuals such as campus-wide senators and ambassadors."
5. "Trustees must take the initiative in establishing formal and informal contacts with on-campus groups."
6. "If institutions decide to alter their governance structures, it is vital that they give some thought to the problem of assessing whether the new structures are functioning better than the old ones."

### COMMUNICATIONS

1. "On each college campus there must be a clear channel for just and adequate redress of grievances."
2. "Noncrisis communication channels must be constructed and sustained."
3. "Institutions of higher education must recognize that verbal or even written communication will fail unless there is a mutual respect among persons attempting to communicate."
4. "Even while regular communication channels are designed, implemented, maintained and developed, extraordinary avenues must be provided to deal with the exceptional case."
5. "Each institution should delineate clearly the role, function, and status of anyone performing the tasks of a public information officer."
6. "An education information clearinghouse of an impeccable, research-oriented nature must be provided, whose mission is to collect, assess, coordinate and disseminate relevant information concerning higher education in Michigan; this clearinghouse must at all times be user-oriented."

### ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

1. Problems of open admission must be postulated on the assumption that the student will continue in school, not on the assumption that he will stay for a semester and be dismissed for not meeting standards."
2. "Greater articulation between junior colleges and senior colleges and universities must occur in order to promote greater consistency and rationality in the academic programs of all institutions."
3. "The procedures for the granting of tenure should be reviewed on most campuses; it is not clear to students that the best faculty are being retained."
4. "The undergraduate curriculum should be modified to account for the increasing sophistication of today's students."
5. "It is strongly recommended that student personnel programs be associated with the academic program rather than being set apart"
6. "A public institution has an obligation to the state to be of as much service as possible to all the people of the area; thus every campus which claims public support needs to be reminded that it is in this sense a regional campus."
7. "If an institution wishes to institute or continue black studies courses and programs, it should have a clear cut ration-

ale for so doing and a way of modifying other courses in the curriculum to take account of the contributions of minority groups to American culture."

3. "Institutions must develop ways of really rewarding good teaching."

### COORDINATION

1. "It is urgently recommended that a cooperative study be undertaken by the State Legislature and the institutions themselves to define the mission of each institution of post-secondary education, both public and private, in the state."
2. "There is clearly a need for a state-level agency capable of providing supportive services to institutions, both public and private, attempting to define and to implement their educational mission."
3. "It is recommended that all institutions, within the state, undertake as soon as possible the further codination of continuing education programs to provide efficient accessibility of

### CAMPUS SECURITY

1. "It is recommended that all possible steps be taken to eliminate the concept that a campus is a sanctuary, both in the minds of persons on-campus and off-campus."
2. "Relating specifically to campus security agencies and personnel:
  1. "Campus security officers should be viewed and should view themselves as an integral and necessary part of a functioning campus."
  2. "Two distinct categories of campus security personnel must be made on every campus: (1) those persons having police functions and (2) those having essentially watchman functions. These two functions must be defined clearly and must be respected by the employment of distinct personnel for each function."
  3. "Regulations regarding the use

of necessary police equipment should be consistent with the local campus need, the functions and responsibilities of security officers, and their training background."

"The chief of campus security should be made responsible to the major internal affairs officer of each institution."

"The following series of recommendations should be viewed with an eye toward legislative action:

"A statewide definition of 'peace officer' is needed by all law enforcement agencies and should be spelled out."

"Campus security officers having essentially police functions should be given peace officer status (in this case full authority to enforce state statutes); campus security officers should also be deputized under the state police so that they may function on all campuses of the state in time of emergency."

"It is urgently recommended

that minimum hiring and training standards for all law enforcement agencies within the state be established and enforced; certainly, campus security officers should have training equivalent to that of the state police, and after such training should receive compensation commensurate with that training."

"Legislation should be consti-

dered that would allow the state police to be the first outside force called to assist campus security officers when extra manpower is needed and to provide that any additional police agencies called to the campus would be under unified state police command or, alternatively, all forces would be under the unified command of the chief executive of the college or university.

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