

VCU Board of Visitors

V i r g i n i a C o m m o n w e a l t h U n i v e r s i t y

February 10, 2010 **Meeting of the Audit and Compliance Committee** *Minutes*

A meeting of the Audit and Compliance Committee of the Board of Visitors of Virginia Commonwealth University was held on Wednesday, February 10, 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Richmond Salons located in the University Student Commons at 907 Floyd Avenue.

The meeting was called to order. Committee members present were: Dr. Broaddus, Chair; Messrs. Hurtado, Jones, McCandlish, Rosenthal and Siegel; and Mrs. Rhodes, Rector. Dr. Romano and Mr. Snead were absent. Also present were Drs. Rao and Gottfredson; Messrs. Bunce, Bennett, Litton, Napier and Ross; and Mesdames Atkinson, Balmer and Bishop. Messrs. Bialkowski and Stepp, with the Auditors of Public Accounts, were also present

On motion made and seconded, the Committee approved the Minutes of a Meeting held on November 11, 2009. The Auditor of Public Accounts: Report for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009, was presented for information.

The Policy on Reporting Suspected University Related Misconduct/ Noncompliance and Protection from Retaliation was presented. On motion made and seconded, the Audit and Compliance Committee recommended to the full Board the approval of the Policy on Reporting Suspected University Related Misconduct/ Noncompliance and Protection from Retaliation.

On motion made and seconded, the Committee convened into closed session to discuss certain personnel matters involving the performance of identifiable employees or faculty of VCU, and to discuss the evaluation of performance of departments or schools of VCU where such evaluation will necessarily involve discussion of the performance of specific individuals, including Audit Reports of individually identified departments and/or schools, and to consult with legal counsel and receive briefings by staff members regarding legal matters and actual or probable litigation relating to the aforementioned Audit Reports where such consultation or briefing in open session would adversely affect the negotiating or litigating posture of VCU, as may be necessary, as authorized by Section 2.2-3711 A(1) and A(7) of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act.

Following closed session, on motion made and seconded, the following resolution was approved by roll call vote:

The Audit and Compliance Committee of the Board of Visitors of Virginia Commonwealth University hereby certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements by Virginia law were discussed in the closed session meeting to which this certification resolution applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening the closed session meeting were heard, discussed or considered by the Audit and Compliance Committee of the Board of Visitors of Virginia Commonwealth University.

Roll Call Vote

	<u>Ayes</u>	<u>Nays</u>
Dr. J. Alfred Broaddus, Jr., Chair	X	
Mr. Arthur D. Hurtado, Vice Chair	X	
Mr. Maurice A. Jones	X	
Dr. Michele A. Romano	Absent	
Mr. Thomas W. McCandlish	X	
Mr. Stuart C. Siegel	X	
Mr. Thomas G. Snead, Jr.	Absent	
Mrs. Anne J. G. Rhodes, Rector	X	

Vote:

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

Absent during voting: 2

Absent during meeting: 2

Dr. Broaddus reported that no actions had been taken.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a.m.