

MINUTES
FFA GOVERNING COMMITTEE

September 4, 1975

The meeting of the FFA Governing Committee was called to order by H. N. Hunsicker, Chairman. Persons participating included H. E. Edwards (contacted by telephone), Byron F. Rawls and Wm. Paul Gray.

It was moved by Mr. Rawls, seconded by Mr. Edwards and carried that a plaque be presented to each state for recognizing their first place state winning contest team, which will be competing in the official National FFA Contests. The costs of these plaques will be considered as a part of the budget of each National Contest. This plaque is presented on behalf of the National FFA Organization, and financed by the National FFA Foundation and its Special Project Sponsor/s for each Contest.

Respectfully submitted,



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Mr. C. M. Brewer, Mississippi State FFA Executive Secretary, called relative to Larry R. Coleman's eligibility for the American Farmer Degree. He indicated he had further investigated why the candidate's name was not on the State Roster and had discovered that he was attending Mississippi State University and apparently serving as President of the Collegiate FFA Chapter. He further stated that both the Collegiate and Local Chapter Dues were paid, but unfortunately this information was not relayed to the local chapter, and the new teacher not being aware of the situation, the name was not forwarded to the state office on the supplemental roster.

After discussing this with Mr. Edwards by telephone, and Mr. Rawls, who was in the office at the time, it was moved by Mr. Rawls, seconded by Mr. Edwards and carried that Larry R. Coleman, Mississippi, be declared eligible to receive the American Farmer Degree at the 1975 National FFA Convention.

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