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Statement of intent by the Long Range Planning Committee and the Executive Committee

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TO: The Faculty

FROM: The Long Range Planning Committee and
The Executive Committee

The following resolution was passed unanimously as a statement of intent by the Long Range Planning Committee and the Executive Committee. The Committees recommend it for faculty approval.

Resolution:

We urge the Board of Trustees of Denison University to commit the necessary resources to recruit and support, both academically and socially, a significantly increased number of black students for the academic year 1969-70, and thereafter.

In recognition of the urgency of this program, we, the faculty, pledge to aid in its implementation by contribution of our personal and professional resources.

We urge the immediate appointment of a faculty member as a program director to work closely with the administration in developing the programs necessary to the achievement of this goal. The faculty member would also serve as a liaison with students and fellow faculty in the implementation and evaluation of new programs.

In order to implement this proposal we suggest that the Long Range Planning and Executive Committees, in consultation with the President, work out specific details for transmittal to the Board of Trustees.

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