



## STATE OF CONNECTICUT

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

FOR THE STATE COLLEGES

1280 ASYLUM AVENUE HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT 06105

## RESOLUTION

concerning

Mr. Irving Stolberg

June 4, 1973

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees for the State Colleges of Connecticut authorizes the expenditure from the State College account, number 7800, the sum of \$25,000 or such as is awarded by the United States District Court for compensatory damages, attorneys' fees, interest, costs in the United States District Court, and costs of appeal in the case involving the State College Trustees and Mr. Irving Stolberg, subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Control.

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May 19, 1973

Attorney General's Office  
30 Trinity Street  
Hartford, Connecticut 06103

Attention: Sidney D. Giber, Esquire  
Assistant Attorney General.

Re: Stolberg v. Members of the Board of Trustees

Dear Mr. Giber:

Thank you for your letter of May 14, 1973, about the proposed stipulation in this matter. It was not a mistake on our part that led us to provide for Mr. Stolberg's return to Southern Connecticut at the rank of Associate Professor. If he were to return in the fall of 1974, and if he were to be considered in accordance with Judge Blumenfeld's order to have achieved such seniority as if he had been permanently on the staff, he would have behind him eight academic years of service, and I have no doubt that a proper evaluation of his performance after that period would leave him with the rank of Associate Professor.

If the stipulation is acceptable to the Board of Trustees, please let me know. It is acceptable to us as submitted to you. We will file appropriate motions Monday to bring the entire matter before the Court, and if we can agree to the stipulated settlement, we will simply withdraw those motions.

Very truly yours,

*Louis M. Winer*  
Louis M. Winer

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
FOR THE STATE COLLEGES

MAY 22 1973

*Dr. Frost  
Is this answer?  
Sed*

Attorney General

- (1) That the defendant Board of Trustees offer to reinstate the plaintiff as a faculty member with tenure at Southern Connecticut State College with the rank of Associate Professor for the 1974-1975 academic year with the same seniority as if his contract had been renewed in 1969, and that the plaintiff accept or reject such offer in writing by certified letter sent to the President of Southern Connecticut State College and to the Board of Trustees for the State Colleges of the State of Connecticut on or before March 15, 1974;
- (2) That the plaintiff recover of the defendants Hilton C. Buley, Clark Edwin Creed, Thomas A. Grasso, Richard Gurney, Margaret Gurney, Bernice C. Niejaelik, Alvin V. Wood and J. Eugene Smith the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000.00) as compensatory damages, and the further sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00) as attorneys' fees, interest, costs in this Court, and costs of appeal; and
- (3) That the plaintiff recover no compensatory damages of the defendants Frank P. Cammarano, Russell Fitz, Ernest A. Johnson, Laura Johnson, James F. McNally, John F. Robinson and Walter Werner.

*attached to  
5/8/73*

May 14, 1973

The Honorable Robert K. Killian  
Attorney General  
Attorney General's Office  
30 Trinity Street  
Hartford, Connecticut

Attention: Mr. Sidney D. Giber  
Assistant Attorney General

Dear Mr. Killian:

Thank you for your letter of May 9 and for the proposed stipulation intended to settle the case involving Mr. Stolberg. My understanding is that the payments to the plaintiff and his attorneys will be made from the General Fund of the State of Connecticut and that no payments will be required of members of the Board of Trustees, former members of the Board of Trustees, or employees of the Trustees. Will you please inform me of whether my understanding is correct?

When Mr. Stolberg left the faculty of Southern Connecticut State College he held the rank of Assistant Professor. The Board of Trustees and President Jennings had understood that Mr. Stolberg would return to the faculty in the same rank he left it, that is as Assistant Professor. Is this not the case?

Yours very truly,

James A. Frost  
Executive Secretary

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STATE OF CONNECTICUT

ROBERT K. KILLIAN  
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ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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May 9, 1973

Board of Trustees  
for the State Colleges  
1280 Asylum Avenue  
Hartford, Connecticut 06105

Re: Stolberg vs. Buley

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith is a copy of the proposed stipulation that I propose we enter into with Mr. Stolberg's attorney.

May I have your thoughts on this?

Very truly yours,

Robert K. Killian  
Attorney General

By

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sidney D. Giber".

Sidney D. Giber  
Assistant Attorney General

SDG:d

Enclosure

cc: Dr. Manson Jennings

SCSC

Professional Staff with Rank of Assistant Professor  
Who Do Not Hold the Doctorate Degree  
May 25, 1973

<u>Years of Service</u>	<u>Number of Staff Members</u>
30	1
29	1
26	1
19	2
18	1
16	2
15	1
14	1
13	2
12	2
11	2
10	2
9	7
8	9
7	18
6	9
5	16
4 <sup>1/2</sup>	2
4	16
3 <sup>1/2</sup>	1
3	27
2	10
1	18
Total .....	<u>151</u>

Equivalencies:

Geoffrey Martin - Associate Professor  
Robert Brown - promoted to Associate Professor (Sputnik)