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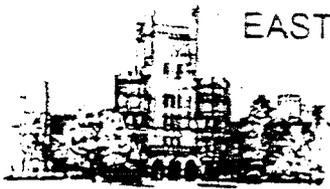
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CHARLESTON, IL--Appointment of faculty and staff members to a steering committee for preparation of the institutional self-study required for re-accreditation by the North Central Association (NCA) was the first official act of Dr. Stanley Rives, Acting President of Eastern Illinois University.

Rives assumed the position on July 1, the effective date of President Daniel E. Marvin's resignation.

The NCA accreditation team is scheduled to visit the campus in November 1984 and make a recommendation on re-accreditation.

"Our most important single objective during the 1983-84 academic year," Rives said, "is adequate preparation through a well-done self-study indicating that we continue to offer quality educational programs and services to students."

Rives said Dr. Margaret Soderberg, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs, will chair the committee and that "broad participation in the self-study will be sought."

Members of the committee and their areas of responsibility include:

Dr. Jon Laible, instructional programs; Dr. Sam Taber, student services; Dr. Robert Barger, faculty and professional staff; Dr. Wilson Luquire, academic support services; Dr. Robert Whittenbarger, research and scholarly activities; Vice President George Miller, finances; Dr. Virginia Vogel, physical facilities; and Dr. Charles Switzer, governance.

Dr. Glenn Williams, Vice President for Student Services, and Rives will serve on the committee and consultants will be Dr. Richard Liu, planning and budget analysis; and Ronald Leathers, School of Education.

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Committee

The committee will determine membership of working committees, which will include a broad representation of University personnel, Rives said.

The Acting President said "intensive work on the project will begin with the opening of the fall semester."