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Dr. Albert L. Meiburg has been unanimously elected as Dean of the Faculty at Southeastern. This action climaxes a process in which faculty, administration, trustees, students, and alumni at various points have participated. The process began with a revised job description for the Dean and a set of qualifications for the individual holding the office. In time, unanimous concurrence by the faculty, the president, and the trustees accompanied the recommendation of Dr. Meiburg as the fourth Dean at the Seminary.

DEAN

Dr. Meiburg comes highly qualified, with twenty years' experience in theological education. His particular strength has been in the development of models for clinical pastoral education. He is currently on the faculty at Colgate-Rochester/Bexley Hall/Crozer.

The Meiburgs will move to Wake Forest in time for him to begin work on August 1, 1975.

Two accrediting processes have flowed together this month. The Association of Theological Schools have reviewed our Doctor of Ministries program with the view of granting the program full accreditation sometime this summer.

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The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools has completed the initial visit to Southeastern. The team has filed its report. We have registered our response and look forward to be granted "candidate's status" this summer.

The North Carolina General Assembly has exempted Southeastern from provisions of G.S. 116-15. This bill requires liscensing of all schools in North Carolina by the State — renewable every two years. The action of the legislature exempts any theological seminary established in or chartered by the State of North Carolina prior to January 1, 1953.

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EXEMPT

Our appreciation is extended to Trustees Henry Bridges and David Britt for their assistance in this matter.

The United Methodist Student Fellowship at Southeastern have established a student loan fund. The fund is designed to assist any student who meets certain basic standards establishing need. It is projected to be a loan fund

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with the corpus retained.

The report of the Seminaries to the Southern Baptist Convention meeting in Miami Beach June 10, 1975, will be a bit different this year. President Lolley, as chairman of the SBC Seminary Council, is responsible for the report. It will be a video tape presentation of the work of the six seminaries — featuring footage provided by each school, as well as more than 20 minutes of footage produced by Jimmy Morriss, Fletcher Communications Center, North Carolina Baptist State Convention. Jerry Niswonger has worked with Mr. Morriss to provide a look at many persons engaged in ministry — "the products end of the theological educational process."

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