

10 on Board oppose Cassano

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Ten members of the Board of Deans have signed a petition stating they believe "...that Dr. (Paul) Cassano does not satisfy the essential criteria for the office of President of this University."

The document was prepared for the Chairman of the Search Committee and copies were sent to the Senate and the Board of Governors. A copy was obtained by the Brunswickan Wednesday.

The following names are on the list: Dr. D. A. MacIver (Education), Dr. R. J. Kavanagh (Acting V.P. Academic), Dr. Kepros (Arts), Dr. Paton (Physical Education), Dr. Ian Cameron (Physics, UNBSJ), Dr. Burrige (Engineering), Dr. Ker (Forestry), Dr. Rowan (Graduate School), Dr. Veitch (Law), and Dr. Leckie (Nursing).

The remaining two members of the Board of Deans, Dr. Thompson (Students) and Dr. Brewer (Science), did not sign the list.

Many of the deans who signed the document were contacted for their comments by the Brunswickan. While two felt it inappropriate to comment at this time, the general feeling among the remainder was the same: Dr. Cassano does not have enough experience, and his c.v. (list of degrees and papers published) was not appropriate enough for a man who would assume the top position in a university of this stature.

A joint Senate/Board of Governors meeting today will decide the fate of Dr. Paul Vincent Cassano, the only candidate presented by the presidential Search Committee which was created earlier this year following the retirement of Dr. John Anderson.

We, the undersigned members of the Board of Deans, believe that Dr. Cassano does not satisfy the essential criteria for the office of President of this University.

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cc Chairman of Search Committee
Chairman of Senate
Chairman of Board of Governors

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