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Membership Dues Increase

The AAAS Board of Directors has approved an increase of $4 in dues for Regular members and an increase of $5 for Student and Emeritus members receiving Science. Institutional subscriptions will increase by $5. Spouse memberships will remain the same at $17 as will Emeritus memberships not including Science.

While some Association costs have remained relatively constant or increased only slightly in the last year, others have risen dramatically. Two of these, paper and printing, have an inordinate impact on the AAAS budget, primarily because of publishing Science each week. In addition, a postage increase will occur early in 1985. It was these financial considerations that necessitated the Board action.

Members’ dues and voluntary contributions furnish the critical base upon which AAAS activities stand or fall. Those activities include internationally recognized publications; leadership in science and mathematics education, scientific freedom and human rights, opportunities in science and engineering for minorities, women, and the disabled, and science policy; radio programs that reach a large public; fellowship programs with the Congress and the media; and cooperative projects with other scientific, engineering, and educational organizations.

Regular, Student, and Emeritus members and institutional subscribers whose memberships/subscriptions expire at the end of March 1985 or later will find the new dues/subscription rate on their renewal notices. New members joining AAAS as of 1 April 1985 also will be paying the new rates ($60 for Regular membership, $40 for Students and Emeritus receiving Science, $98 for institutional subscriptions).

Proposals and Resolutions Invited for 1985 Council Meeting

The AAAS Council will hold its next meeting on 30 May 1985 during the Association’s Annual Meeting in Los Angeles. Organizations or individuals who wish to present proposals or resolutions for possible inclusion in the meeting agenda should send them in writing to the Executive Officer at 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036, for receipt no later than 25 March 1985, so that they may be considered by the Committee on Council Affairs at its spring meeting. The Committee asks that the following guidelines be observed:

1) All proposals and resolutions should be consistent with the objectives of the Association and deal with matters appropriate for consideration by the council of a scientific organization.

2) Resolutions should be written in the traditional format, beginning with one or more “whereas” statement-oftact clauses and concluding with a “therefore be it resolved” paragraph which presents a position that follows logically from the stated premises.

3) Proposals and resolutions that deal with technical matters must be accompanied by substantive supporting data and references.

4) Any proposal involving substantial expenditure of AAAS funds—such as a recommendation for the establishment of a study or investigative committee—should be presented in the form of a research proposal, with budget included, so that the financial implications of positive action are clearly stated.

5) All proposals and resolutions adopted by the Council at its forthcoming meeting will be published in the Proceedings Issue of Science. Proponents who wish the AAAS to undertake any wider distribution are requested to submit with their proposals or resolutions the names and addresses of individuals, organizations, or publications to which they would like to have copies sent.

An open hearing will be held by the Committee on Council Affairs at 2:30 P.M. on 27 May in the Westin Bonaventure Hotel to give interested persons an opportunity to speak for or against duly submitted resolutions or proposals.

At a meeting immediately following the hearing, the Committee will consider for possible inclusion in the Council agenda any late proposals or resolutions delivered to the Executive Officer in advance of the hearing, provided they deal with urgent matters and are accompanied by a written explanation of why submission was not made on or before 25 March. The Committee also will review and take appropriate action on requests from persons who wish to address the Council on particular agenda items. Such requests must be delivered to the Executive Officer, William D. Carey, or to the Committee Chair, Gerard Piel, in advance of the 27 May Committee meeting.

Summaries of the Council meeting agenda will be available at the AAAS Information Desks in the Westin Bonaventure Hotel and the Los Angeles Hilton Hotel. The full agenda may be inspected, upon request, in the AAAS offices in the two hotels.

Reminder—Help AAAS Membership Office Stop Repetition

Some AAAS members occasionally receive promotional materials encouraging them to join the Association when they are already members. When this happens members are confused and we are embarrassed. We take great pains to try to ensure that this does not happen and we are asking for your assistance in making our system more effective. The AAAS, like other membership organizations, is not static. To maintain our member base, we must continually recruit new members, more than 25,000 each year.

By far the largest and most effective AAAS recruitment tool we have is the direct mail membership campaign, conducted three times a year. Even though we make every effort to screen out cur-

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rent members' names from the lists we use, the system is not foolproof. One reason for this is the variation between names and addresses as they appear on our membership file and how they appear on the lists we acquire. Another reason is that our member files contain either a home or business address for each member but not both.

You can help us to reduce further the likelihood that you receive promotional mailings. To do that we need to you to provide us with a current mailing label from Science and your "other" address(es). These other addresses will be for internal use only and will not be used for purposes other than our own screening process described above.

The merging/purging system will never be perfect. However, we believe that the above procedure is one more step toward avoiding inconvenience to you and toward further controlling our costs. Please direct your responses and any questions to Carol L. Rogers, head, Office of Communications and Membership, AAAS, 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036, or telephone 202-467-4460.

Grants to Self-Sponsored Foreign Graduate Students to Attend 10th AAAS R&D Colloquium

AAAS expects a limited number of grants of up to $250 to be available to assist self-sponsored foreign graduate students currently studying in the United States to attend the 10th AAAS Colloquium on R&D and Public Policy in Washington, D.C., 3 and 4 April 1985. Registration for successful applicants will be paid by AAAS.

Applicants should submit: (i) curriculum vitae, including telephone number; (ii) budget (roundtrip to Washington and estimated living expenses); and (iii) a short statement (250 to 300 words) describing the focus of current research, career plans, how training is expected to be applied on return to home country, and interest in attending the R& D Colloquium. Material should be sent to Denise Weiner, Office of International Science, AAAS, 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036. Deadline for receipt of applications is 1 February 1985.

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