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The Office of the Vice President for Administration would like to remind all faculty and staff members of the "Take Stock in America" Campaign currently underway. The Payroll Office in Room 100 of Madison Hall, has the forms necessary to sign up for payroll deduction and everyone is urged to give this type of savings serious consideration.

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Beginning with the Fall Term of the 1974-75 academic year at The University of Alabama in Huntsville, undergraduate fees will be increased from $175 per term to $198 per term. An additional fee of $20 per semester hour will be charged for each semester hour in excess of thirteen (13) per term. This change was approved by the University Board of Trustees at their May meeting.

Inflation was cited as a major factor for the increase, which is a percentage increase of 13.14%. Undergraduate students' fees were last increased in 1970, and the rate of inflation for the four year period since the last fee increase has been in excess of 25 percent. The University plans to use a major portion of the increase to finance expanded Union facilities and a student health service program. No change is being made in graduate fees.

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In the June 5, 1974, issue a brief statement notified all University employees earning salaries at a rate exceeding $12,000 annually that they were required to file a Statement of Economic Interests with the State Ethics Commission by July 1, 1974. As a consequence of legal action in which the University participated with other State universities the court has issued a temporary injunction thus temporarily suspending that requirement. Those of you affected by this requirement will be notified by the Office of the Vice President for Administration when the courts make a final ruling on the matter.