orm bill deferments to continue until aid is awarded

By Jim Beckman Staff Reporter

Residence hall students who have not received their financial aid awards will continue to have their housing payments deferred until they receive their awards, said Sue Gildersleeve, assistant director of University of Nebraska-Lincoln housing for business services.

However, only students who applied for financial aid by Aug. 1 will receive immediate attention said John Beacon, interim director of the Office of Scholarships and Financial

In August, Beacon said, he realhad not received their awards would probably not receive aid by the time deferments, Beacon said. tuition and housing bills were due.

Beacon said tuition payments will be deferred until Oct. 28.

Awards were delayed by a number of problems caused by a new software system being integrated with the old computer system at the office, Bea-

James Griesen, vice-chancellor for student affairs, and Doug Zatechka, director of housing, approved a letter Beacon sent to students in August explaining that their housing and tuition fees would be deferred until their awards were processed.

Beacon then gave the student list to UNL housing to verify which students were entitled to deferred pay-

ments. Students who applied for financial ized that about 2,800 students who aid in mid-August or later probably had not received their awards would will not receive housing payment

'We do realize," he said, "that make payments.

some students sent in late forms for legitimate reasons.

Gildersleeve said all students who have not received their awards should come to the housing office 1010 Seaton Hall to sign a form to acknowledge deferment of their housing fees.

'We hope that students won't wait for a deadline but will pay their bill as soon as their check comes in," Beacon

He also said he hopes students don't try to deceive the office by ignoring financial aid eligibility forms, which may report no need, just so they can continue to put off their payments.

Gildersleeve said she would defer payments for students who find they're not eligible for financial aid and have no other immediate means to

before Aug. I have been awarded.

About 10 percent of this group semester have not received awards yet, he said. Beacon said he thinks the software, after year," Beacon said.

Beacon said housing and tuition called the financial aid management payments will be deferred until the system, will be functioning properly original group of students that applied by next year and will allow fall awards to be sent out by the end of the spring

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By Bryan Thomas Staff Reporter

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coln will host the Fifth National Forum on Research in Aging today and Thursday at the Nebraska Center for Continuing Education on East Cam-

"One of the main goals of the forum is to re-emphasize the impor-

physical and mental health," said feature 50 separate sessions. Roselee Yeaworth, dean and professor for the College of Nursing.

Yeaworth also said that people in at how their decisions affect the social networks of all people.

will attend the forum.

tance of social support networks to represented at the forum, which will Yeaworth.

Some of the featured speakers include Andrew Achenbaum, research scientist at the University of policy-making positions need to look Michigan's Institute of Gerontology and professor of history at the Univertworks of all people. sity of Michigan; Reubin Andres, Doctors, nurses, social workers research fellow and honorary visiting and those doing research on aging physician in the Gerontology Research Center at the National Institute Between 20 and 28 states will be on Aging in Baltimore, Md.; and

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knowledge of the law."

Ellen Campbell, also from the Family Policy and Regulations Office in the Department of Education in Washington D.C., said the office has received "a lot of questions about

Campbell said these questions result from unclear language contained in the Buckley Amendment. While the law restricts the release of student files, it does not deal directly

law, there has been some change in volved, Rooker said.

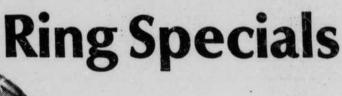
the method of grade listing.

"I have a recollection that at the time that (the law) went through, there was some discussion," said Edward Zimmerman, UNL physics and astronomy professor.

"Prior to that time, some people had posted grades by name," he said.

According to Rooker, while grades are still listed by name at some universities, there has never been a case where a school has had its funding cut. In all cases where complaints with the posting of grades.

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