DATE: July 15, 2004

SUBJECT: Post Approval Monitoring Report

ACTION RECOMMENDED: Information

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: In accordance with the academic standards adopted by the Commission on November 14, 2002, new academic programs approved by the Commission must be monitored following their initial approval. Programs meeting benchmarks remain in the monitoring cycle of five years at the baccalaureate level and above and three years for pre-baccalaureate programs following the approval. The following programs were approved between July 2003 and April 2004:

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The following programs did not attain projected productivity levels and remain in the three and five year review cycles. Status reports will be in January 2005.

Graduate
- TSU: Computer & Information Systems Engineering (Ph.D.), 2000
- ETSU: Professional Communications (MS), approved 1999
- TSU: Physical Therapy (MPT), approved 1998
- UTMHSC: Epidemiology (MS), approved 1997

Baccalaureate
- ETSU: Dental Hygiene, approved 2000
- ETSU: Applied Science, approved 1999
- MTSU: Athletic Training, approved 1997
- MTSU: Organizational Communication, approved 1999
- MTSU: Entrepreneurship, approved 2000
- TTU: World Culture and Business, approved
- TTU: Computer Engineering, approved 1998
- UoM: Computer Engineering, approved 1999
Associate
JSCC  Graphics Design Technology, approved 1998
JSCC  Industrial Technology, approved 2001
NSCC  Early Childhood Education, approved 1999
NSCC  Sign Language Interpreting, approved 2000
NSTCC Medical Assisting, approved 1999
PSTCC Hospitality Management, approved 1997
STCC  Geographical information Systems, approved 1997
STCC  Landscape and Turfgrass Management, approved 1999

Certificate
DSCC  Medical Coding, approved 2000
NSCC  Music Technology, approved 1999
RSCC  Polysomnography Technology, approved 1997
STCC  Pharmacy Technology, approved 1997
VSCC  Diagnostic Medical Sonography, approved 1998

Program Productivity Plans
Follow-up to plans were submitted in December 2003 for correcting deficiencies. Status reports are due November 2004.

Pre-Baccalaureate:
• Industrial Maintenance Technology, A.A.S. – CSTCC
• Early Childhood Education, Certificate – DSCC
• Surgical Technology, Certificate – DSCC
• Horticulture, Certificate – JSCC
• Horticulture and Landscape Gardening, Certificate – NSCC
• Information Technology, Certificate – WSCC
• Geographic Information Systems, A.A.S. – PSTCC
• Geographic Information Systems, A.A.S. – RSCC
• Warehouse Management and Logistics, Certificate – VSCC
• Ophthalmic Medical Assisting, A.A.S. – VSCC
• Health Information Technology, A.A.S. – WSCC
• Paramedic Technology, A.A.S. – WSCC

Baccalaureate:
• Spanish, B.A. – APSU
• Allied Health, B.S.- ETSU
• Microbiology and Molecular Cell Studies, B.S. – UoM
• Hospitality and Resort Management, B.S. – UoM
• African and African American Studies, B.A. – UoM

Graduate:
• School Psychology, Ed.S. – TSU
• Biological Sciences, Ph.D. - TSU
• Environmental Sciences, Ph.D. - TSU
• Agriculture Operations Management, MSAOM – UTM
• Clinical Laboratory Sciences, MSCLS - UTMHSC