DATE: April 20, 2006

SUBJECT: Approval of New Programs under the Postsecondary Authorization Act

ACTION RECOMMENDED: Approval

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Commission, under the Postsecondary Authorization Act, has the “power and duty” to act upon applications for authorization of educational programs in the state. Applications have been reviewed and staff has determined that all necessary documentation for the institutions submitting new program applications is in accordance with the Act and postsecondary rules. The Committee on Postsecondary Educational Institutions, which is a review and advisory committee to the Commission, met on March 16, 2006 and affirmed staff recommendations for approval.

A. Belhaven College

Belhaven College is seeking authorization for one new program, a Master’s of Public Administration Degree. The program will be taught by faculty from their authorized site in Memphis, Tennessee.

Program: Public Administration
Credential Awarded: Master of Public Administration
Length of Program: 36 semester credit hours (18 months)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

B. DeVry University (Online)

DeVry University – Online is seeking authorization for two new programs, a Bachelor of Science in Game and Simulation Programming and an Associate of Applied Science in Accounting Technology. The institution is a recruitment only institution and all classes are available online.

Program: Game and Simulation Programming
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Science
Length of Program: 127 semester credit hours (120 weeks)

Program: Accounting Technology
Credential Awarded: Associate of Applied Science
Length of Program: 65 semester credit hours (180 weeks)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.
C.  **Draughons Junior College**  
Clarksville TN

Draughons Junior College - Clarksville is seeking authorization for one new program, General Education Core Classes that will lead to all programs offered at Draughons Junior College – Clarksville. The programs will be taught at their authorized site in Clarksville, Tennessee.

Program: General Education Core Courses  
Length of Program: Varies on course selection

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

D.  **Draughons Junior College**  
Murfreesboro TN

Draughons Junior College - Murfreesboro is seeking authorization for one new program, General Education Core Classes that will lead to all programs offered at Draughons Junior College – Murfreesboro. The programs will be taught at their authorized site in Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

Program: General Education Core Courses  
Length of Program: Varies on course selection

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

E.  **Draughons Junior College - 283 Plus Park**  
Nashville TN

Draughons Junior College - Nashville is seeking authorization for one new program, General Education Core Classes that will lead to all programs offered at Draughons Junior College – Nashville. The programs will be taught at their authorized site in Nashville, Tennessee.

Program: General Education Core Courses  
Length of Program: Varies on course selection

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

F.  **Draughons Junior College - 340 Plus Park**  
Nashville TN

Draughons Junior College - Nashville is seeking authorization for one new program, General Education Core Classes that will lead to all programs offered at Draughons Junior College – Nashville. The programs will be taught at their authorized site in Nashville, Tennessee.

Program: General Education Core Courses  
Length of Program: Varies on course selection

The institution participates in Title IV funding.
G. **High-Tech Institute**

High-Tech Institute – Phoenix, AZ is seeking authorization for three new Associate of Applied Science Degree programs in CAD/Drafting Technology, Computer Networking and Security, and Electronics Technology; and three new Diploma programs in CAD/Drafting Technology, Computer Networking and Security, and Electronics Technology. These programs are revisions and will replace the currently offered programs. The institution is a recruitment only institution and all classes are available online.

- **Program:** CAD/Drafting Technology  
  **Credential Awarded:** Associate of Applied Science  
  **Length of Program:** 81 semester credit hours (68 weeks)

- **Program:** Computer Networking and Security  
  **Credential Awarded:** Associate of Applied Science  
  **Length of Program:** 81 semester credit hours (68 weeks)

- **Program:** Electronics Technology  
  **Credential Awarded:** Associate of Applied Science  
  **Length of Program:** 81 semester credit hours (68 weeks)

- **Program:** CAD/Drafting Technology  
  **Credential Awarded:** Diploma  
  **Length of Program:** 44 semester credit hours (36 weeks)

- **Program:** Computer Networking and Security  
  **Credential Awarded:** Diploma  
  **Length of Program:** 44 semester credit hours (36 weeks)

- **Program:** Electronics Technology  
  **Credential Awarded:** Diploma  
  **Length of Program:** 44 semester credit hours (36 weeks)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

H. **Huntington College of Health Sciences**

Huntington College of Health Sciences is seeking authorization for one new Diploma program in Sports Nutrition. The program will be taught by faculty at their authorized site in Knoxville, TN.

- **Program:** Sports Nutrition  
  **Credential Awarded:** Diploma  
  **Length of Program:** 18 semester credit hours (15 months)

The institution does not participate in Title IV funding.
I. **Institute of Allied Health and Commerce**  
Memphis TN

Institute of Allied Health and Commerce is seeking authorization for one new Certificate of Completion programs in Medical Assistant – Distance Learning. Approximately seventy-five percent of class-time will be available at their authorized site in Memphis, Tennessee, while the other 25% will be available on-line.

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<td>Credential Awarded:</td>
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<td>Length of Program:</td>
<td>720 contact hours (5 months)</td>
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The institution does not participate in Title IV funding.

J. **Miller-Motte Technical College**  
Chattanooga TN

Miller – Motte Technical College - Chattanooga is seeking authorization for one new Certificate of Completion program in Sterile Processing Technician. The program will be taught by faculty at their authorized site in Chattanooga, TN.

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<td>Credential Awarded:</td>
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<td>Length of Program:</td>
<td>50 quarter credit hours (9 months)</td>
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The institution participates in Title IV funding.

K. **New Dimensions Bible College**  
Memphis TN

New Dimensions Bible College is seeking authorization for one new Certificate of Completion program in Non-Profit/Church Management. The program will be taught by faculty at their authorized site in Memphis, TN.

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<td>Credential Awarded:</td>
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<td>Length of Program:</td>
<td>2,160 contact hours (12 months)</td>
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The institution does not participate in Title IV funding.

L. **South College**  
Knoxville TN

South College is seeking authorization for one new program, a Bachelor of Science in Pharmaceutical Science. The program will be taught by faculty from their authorized site in Knoxville, Tennessee.

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<td>Credential Awarded:</td>
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<td>Length of Program:</td>
<td>189 quarter credit hours (42 months)</td>
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The institution participates in Title IV funding.

M. Strayer University – Online  Lorton VA

Strayer University – On-line is seeking authorization for eight new Bachelor of Business Administration degrees in: Acquisition and Management, Banking, E Business, Finance, Human Resources Management, Legal Studies, Management, and Marketing. The institution is a recruitment only institution and all classes are available online.

Program: Acquisition and Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Banking
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: E – Business
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Finance
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Human Resource Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Legal Studies
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Marketing
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

N. Strayer University – Shelby Oaks  Memphis TN

Strayer University – Shelby Oaks is seeking authorization for eight new Bachelor of Business Administration degrees in: Acquisition and Management, Banking, E
Business, Finance, Human Resources Management, Legal Studies, Management, and Marketing. The institution is a recruitment only institution and all classes are available online.

Program: Acquisition and Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Banking
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: E – Business
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Finance
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Human Resource Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Legal Studies
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Marketing
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

O. Strayer University – Thousand Oaks

Strayer University – Thousand Oaks is seeking authorization for eight new Bachelor of Business Administration degrees in: Acquisition and Management, Banking, E Business, Finance, Human Resources Management, Legal Studies, Management, and Marketing. The institution is a recruitment only institution and all classes are available online.

Program: Acquisition and Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)
Program: Banking  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: E – Business  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Finance  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Human Resource Management  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Legal Studies  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Management  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Marketing  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

**P. Strayer University**

Strayer University – Nashville is seeking authorization for eight new Bachelor of Business Administration degrees in: Acquisition and Management, Banking, E Business, Finance, Human Resources Management, Legal Studies, Management, and Marketing. The institution is a recruitment only institution and all classes are available online.

Program: Acquisition and Management  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Banking  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration  
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: E – Business  
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)
Program: Finance
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Human Resource Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Legal Studies
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

Program: Marketing
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Business Administration
Length of Program: 180 quarter credit hours (60 months)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

Q. **Troy University**  
Clarksville TN

Troy University is seeking authorization for six new programs, two Bachelor of Applied Science degrees in Resources and Technology Management, offered online and in a traditional format; two Associate of Science degrees, one in General Education and Business Administration and one in General Education and Criminal Justice, both are offered online and in a traditional format. The programs will be taught by faculty from their authorized site in Clarksville, Tennessee.

Program: Resources and Technology Management (On-Site)
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Applied Science
Length of Program: 120 semester credit hours (48 months)

Program: Resources and Technology Management (On-Line)
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Applied Science
Length of Program: 120 semester credit hours (48 months)

Program: General Education and Business Administration (On-Site)
Credential Awarded: Associate of Science
Length of Program: 60 semester credit hours (24 months)

Program: General Education and Business Administration (On-Line)
Credential Awarded: Associate of Science
Length of Program: 60 semester credit hours (24 months)
Program: General Education and Criminal Justice (On-Site)
Credential Awarded: Associate of Science
Length of Program: 60 semester credit hours (24 months)

Program: General Education and Criminal Justice (On-Line)
Credential Awarded: Associate of Science
Length of Program: 60 semester credit hours (24 months)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

R. University of Phoenix  Memphis TN

University of Phoenix – Memphis is seeking authorization to offer one new program, Master of Arts in Education/Curriculum and Instruction. The program will be taught by faculty from their authorized site in Memphis, Tennessee.

Program: Curriculum and Instruction
Credential Awarded: Master of Arts in Education
Length of Program: 31 semester credit hours (15 months)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

S. University of Phoenix (Online)  Phoenix AZ

University of Phoenix – On-line is seeking authorization for one new program, a Bachelor of Science in Organizational Security and Management. The institution is a recruitment only institution and all classes are available online.

Program: Organizational Security and Management
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Science
Length of Program: 120 semester credit hours (200 weeks)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.

T. Webster University  Millington TN

Webster University is seeking authorization for two new programs, a Master of Arts in Computer Resources and Information Management and a Master of Arts in Human Resources Management with a Dual Master of Arts in Computer Resources and Information Management. The programs will be offered at their approved site in Millington, Tennessee.

Program: Master of Business Administration with an emphasis in Computer Resources and Information Management
Credential Awarded: Master of Business Administration
Length of Program: 36 semester credit hours (154 weeks)
Program: Human Resources Management/ Computer Resources and Information Management
Credential Awarded: Master of Arts
Length of Program: 36 semester credit hours (154 weeks)

The institution participates in Title IV funding.