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MEMO TO: Chief Executive Officers, Accreditation Liaison Officers,
Interested Others

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SUBJECT: Report on January 10-12, 2012 Commission Meeting

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges met on January 10-12, 2012, at the Hyatt Regency SFO Hotel in Burlingame, California. Actions were taken on 44 institutions, including comprehensive evaluations, initial candidacy, midterm reports, follow-up reports, eligibility report, closure report, and special reports. The list of institutional actions is appended to this memorandum.

CORRECTED ACCJC REPORT OF INSTITUTIONAL ACTIONS
FROM THE JANUARY 10-12, 2012 COMMISSION MEETING

At its meeting, January 10-12, 2012, the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, took the following institutional actions:

Reaffirmed Accreditation on the Basis of a Comprehensive Evaluation

DeAnza College
Foothill College
Lake Tahoe Community College
Mt. San Jacinto College

Placed on Warning on the Basis of a Comprehensive Evaluation

Columbia College
Fresno City College
Reedley College
Solano Community College

Placed on Probation on the Basis of a Comprehensive Evaluation

Modesto Junior College
Shasta College

Placed on Show Cause on the Basis of a Comprehensive Evaluation

College of the Redwoods

Initial Candidacy Deferred

Willow International Center

Eligibility Denied

Community Christian College

Placed on Show Cause on the Basis of a Follow-Up Report with Visit

Cuesta College

Placed on Probation on the Basis of a Follow-Up Report with Visit

Moorpark College

Removed from Warning and Placed on Probation on the Basis of a Follow-Up Report with Visit

Oxnard College
Ventura College

Continued on Probation on the Basis of a Follow-Up Report with Visit

Northern Marianas College
San Jose City College

Placed on Warning on the Basis of a Follow-Up Report with Visit

College of Marin

Continued on Warning on the Basis of a Follow-Up Report with Visit

Evergreen Valley College
San Diego Miramar College

Removed from Warning and Reaffirmed Accreditation on the Basis of a Follow-Up Report with Visit

Irvine Valley College
Saddleback College
Taft College

Placed on Probation on the Basis of a Special Report on Fiscal Condition

Palo Verde College

The Commission required institutions to resubmit the following reports:

Resubmit Focused Midterm Report

Diablo Valley College

Resubmit Midterm Report

American Samoa Community College

The Commission received the following reports:

Focused Midterm Report

Contra Costa College
Los Medanos College

Midterm Report

College of the Canyons
Crafton Hills College
El Camino College
Long Beach City College
Rio Hondo College
San Bernardino Valley College
Santa Ana College
Santiago Canyon College

Follow-Up Report

Citrus College
Monterey Peninsula College
San Joaquin Valley College
Sierra College

Special Report

MiraCosta College

Closure Report

National Polytechnic College of Science

Actions taken by the Substantive Change Committee between June 2011 and January 2012 to Approve the Following:

American Samoa: to offer a Bachelor of Arts in Education/400 level courses.

Antelope Valley College: for 1) the expanded Antelope Valley College Center in Palmdale, CA, and 2) eight certificates and twelve associate degrees offered at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Bakersfield College: offering 75 associate degrees and 16 certificate programs at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Cañada College: to offer the “San Mateo Program” at Tianhua College, Shanghai, China

Cerro Coso Community College: to offer 27 associate degrees and 22 certificate programs at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Citrus College: for the Public Works Program at worksite locations.

College of the Marshall Islands: for the Carpentry Program at the new Arrak Facility which underwent a site visit in March 2011 as requested by the Committee at its November 2010 meeting.

College of the Sequoias: for a new Physical Therapy Assistant Associate degree program.

College of the Sequoias: for 16 associate degrees and seven certificate programs to be offered at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Columbia College: to offer 19 associate degrees and seven certificate programs at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery.

Cypress College: for 14 new programs, four of which consist of 50% or more new courses.

Diablo Valley College: to offer 24 associate degrees and 49 certificates at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

East Los Angeles College: to offer three associate degrees and seven certificates at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Feather River College: to offer an Associate of Arts degree program at 50% or more via correspondence education to incarcerated students.

Golden West College: to offer seven associate degrees and 16 certificate programs at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery.

Hald College: to offer programs at Kaneohe Marine Corps Base in Kaneohe, HI.

Kapi'olani Community College: to offer four associate degrees and seven certificates at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Mendocino College: to offer 24 associate degrees and seven certificates 50% or more at the Lake Center.

Mission College: to offer 20 associate degrees and 38 certificate programs at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Moreno Valley College: two proposals approved 1) to offer two certificate programs at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery, and 2) to change the location of the dental programs from an off-site location to the main campus.

MTI College: to add a new Associate of Applied Science in Salon Management degree.

Ohlone Community College: to add 12 associate degrees and 16 certificate programs at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery.

Orange Coast College: to offer nine associate degrees and six certificate programs at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Porterville College: to offer 18 associate degrees and five certificate programs at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Sacramento City College: for a change in location of the SCC Davis Educational Center to a new location in the "West Village" development on the UC Davis campus.

San Diego City College: to offer the Black Studies Program at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

San Joaquin Valley College: for the migration of three programs currently offered as degrees to different locations to be offered as certificates.

San Joaquin Valley College: for a new location called the Akers Campus.

Solano Community College: to offer 22 associate degrees and five certificate programs at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Taft College: to offer 18 associate degrees and 11 certificate programs at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.

Victor Valley College: for an Associate of Science in Aeronautical and Aviation Technology, a certificate in Aviation Airframe Mechanics and a certificate in Aviation Powerplant Mechanics.

West Los Angeles College: for eight associate degrees, 19 certificate programs and six skills certificates to be offered at 50% or more via a mode of distance education or electronic delivery.