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March 24, 2008

Dr. Mark Rocha
President
West Los Angeles College
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Dear President,

The Committee on Substantive Change of the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges met on March 21, 2008 to review the request submitted by West Los Angeles College:

- To offer 11 Certificates, 50% or more of each program is delivered through distance education: Travel Skill Certificate; Certificate of Completion in Accounting; Certificate of Completion in Advanced Travel; Certificate of Completion in Business; Certificate of Completion in Real Estate; Computer Network Management Skills Certificate; Computer Network Security Skill Certificate; Computer Network and Security Management Certificate of Completion; Computer Applications and Office Technologies, General Office Certificate of Completion; Jewish Studies Skill Certificate; and Real Estate Skill certificate.
- To offer 15 Associate Degrees, 50% or more of each program is delivered through distance education: AA in Accounting; AA in Administration of Justice including a transfer option; AA in Business; AA in Business Administration; AA in Computer Applications and Office Technologies (Word Processing Option); AA in Economics; AA in English; AA in History; AA in Liberal Arts; AA in Marketing; AA in Philosophy; AA in Political Science; AA in Real Estate; AA in Spanish; and the AA in Travel.

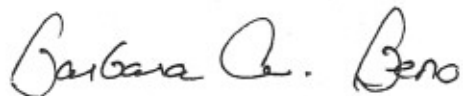
The Committee acted **to approve** the request. The Committee appreciated the information provided in the proposal and recognized that many of the programs are already being offered. The clarifications offered during the conference call by institutional colleagues were helpful to the Committee deliberation. In taking its action, the Committee expects that as the programs progress, the College continues to monitor student support services to ensure adequacy of student support for on-line courses.

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On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express continuing interest in the institution's educational programs and services. It remains the College's responsibility to inform the Commission of any program change. Professional self-regulation is the most effective means of assuring integrity, effectiveness and quality.

Please contact the ACCJC staff if you have further questions about the contents of this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara A. Beno".

Barbara A. Beno, Ph.D.
President

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