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RESOLUTION

concerning

DISCONTINUANCE OF DEGREE PROGRAMS

at

EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

May 1, 1992

RESOLVED, That the following three degree programs at Eastern Connecticut State University, having been reviewed in accordance with appropriate University procedures, are hereby closed to new admissions and shall be proposed to the Board of Governors for Higher Education for elimination according to a time schedule which will permit currently enrolled students to graduate:

M.S. in Marine Environmental Science  
M.S. in English Education  
M.S. in History/Social Sciences Education.

A Certified True Copy:

Dallas K. Beal  
President



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# EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

A campus of the Connecticut State University

Office of the President

April 17, 1992

Dr. Dallas Beal  
President  
Connecticut State University  
P.O. Box 2008  
New Britain, Connecticut 06050

Dear Dr. Beal:

This is to recommend to the Connecticut State University Board of Trustees the termination of three masters programs at Eastern Connecticut State University. The programs to be terminated are:

1. M.S. in Marine Environmental Science
2. M.S. in English Education
3. M.S. in History/Social Sciences Education

The above graduate programs are the only Eastern programs which appeared on the Department of Higher Education list of "Low Productivity Programs."

The recommendation for the termination of these programs is the result of a thorough program review conducted by the appropriate academic departments, Graduate Council, University Curriculum Committee, and the University Senate.

I will be happy to provide with any additional information you may need regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

David G. Carter  
President

cc: Dr. Thomas Porter ✓  
Dr. Dimitrios Pachis

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May 5, 1992

Dr. Andrew DeRocco  
Commissioner of Higher Education  
61 Woodland Street  
Hartford, CT 06105

Dear Commissioner DeRocco:

In my letter to you of March 2, 1992, regarding low enrollment degree programs in the Connecticut State University system, I requested deferral of action on a number of programs on the grounds that they were under active consideration for discontinuance or modification in our faculty governance processes.

All of us in the CSU system appreciate very much your willingness and that of the Board to permit us to work through our internal processes on these matters.

A number of these internal reviews have now been completed.

Enclosed is a resolution approved by the CSU Board of Trustees on May 1, 1992, approving the closure to new admissions and ultimate discontinuance of three M.S. programs at Eastern Connecticut State University: English Education (131305), History/Social Sciences Education (131317), and Marine Environmental Education (131399).

Also, the Faculty Senate at Western has signed off on two of the programs under review at that campus. These are the Masters in Social Sciences General (450101) and the Sixth Year Certificate in Reading (131315). The closure of these programs to new admissions and their ultimate discontinuance was approved in our Trustees Resolution of January 10, 1992, pending completion of campus review. A copy of this resolution is enclosed. Western's campus administration has now certified that the local review process is completed and that there was concurrence in the discontinuance of these two programs.

We still have a number of programs under internal review, and I will be giving you an up-date on these shortly. Again, many thanks for your patience in this matter.

Sincerely,

Thomas A. Porter  
Provost

cc: Dr. Beal  
University Presidents  
Academic Vice Presidents



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