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MEMO TO: Chancellors, Superintendents, Presidents, and

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FROM: Barbara A. Beno, President Buhawa a Beno

SUBJECT: Meeting of the Accrediting Commission for

Community and Junior Colleges to be held June 4-6,

2014; Preliminary Public Session Agenda

The June meeting of the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC) scheduled for June 4-6, 2014, is being held at the Citizen Hotel, Sacramento, California. The Commission will meet in Closed Session to consider institutional actions, June 4-6, 2014. The Public Session will be held June 6, beginning at 1:00 p.m. It is open to members of the public; as per normal practice, there will be approximately 20 seats available. We encourage you to post this to your website or otherwise publicize this information. Please note the new Accreditation Standards are scheduled for adoption at this meeting.

The Commission has scheduled 15 minutes for public comment. Individuals will be asked to provide their name, organizational affiliation, and the subject of their comments when they sign the roster for public comment. Individuals are generally provided three-five minutes for their comments; however, that time may be shortened at the prerogative of the Chair to accommodate more presenters.

PRELIMINARY PUBLIC SESSION AGENDA

June 4-6, 2014 1:00 p.m.

1. CHAIR'S WELCOME AND OPENING

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

3. STAFF REPORTS

President's Report - Barbara Beno

Vice President's Report – Susan Clifford

Vice President's Report – Krista Johns

Vice President's Report - Jack Pond

Associate Vice President's Report - Norv Wellsfry

4. POLICY COMMITTEE

Second Reading Revised Policies – for adoption

- a. Policy and Procedures for the Evaluation of Institutions in Multi-College/Multi-Unit Districts or Systems
- b. Policy on Institutional Degrees and Credits
- c. Policy on Complaints Against the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges
- d. Policy on Closing an Institution
- e. Policy on Commission Actions on Institutions

First Reading Policies and Documents

Note: The Policy Committee has not yet met to forward First Reading materials for Commission Review. This section of the preliminary agenda will be updated in early May.

5. STANDARDS REVIEW COMMITTEE

Second Reading Revised Eligibility Requirements and Accreditation Standards – for adoption

6. OPERATIONS

ACCJC Operations Report Budget and Personnel Committee Report

7. AGENCY RELATIONS

California Community Colleges Report

Hawai'i Colleges Report

Western Pacific Colleges Report

Council of Regional Accrediting Commissions Report (CRAC)

Council for Higher Education Report (CHEA)

WASC – Board of Directors Report

8. COMMISSION ELECTION PROCESS

Nominating Committee Report Election Report

9. OTHER COMMITTEES

Financial Review Task Force Report

CALENDAR

ACCJC Commission Meeting: January 7-9, 2015, Sacramento ACCJC Commission Development Workshop, March 18-20, 2015, San Diego Substantive Change Committee Meetings - TBD