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ROBERT C. DYNES PRESIDENT

Re: Academic Council Endorsement of Proposed Revisions and Modifications to the Mortgage Origination Program

Dear Bob,

At its April 25, 2007, meeting, the Academic Council expressed unanimous support for the proposed revisions and modifications to the Mortgage Origination Program (MOP), as contained in Regents' discussion item J1 of the March 14, 2007, Regents' meeting. As such, the Academic Council fully supports presentation of the MOP-related proposals for action at the May Regents' meeting.

We note, however, that the proposed modifications to the Supplemental Home Loan Program (SHLP) require further consideration and refinement. On behalf of the Academic Council, we look forward to future discussions regarding SHLP, and strengthening this program for the benefit of the University.

Sincerely,

John B. Oakley, Chair Academic Council

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