

**ACADEMIC AND STUDENT AFFAIRS**  
**Montana State University-Billings**  
**Lewis and Clark Room, Student Union Building**  
**Wednesday, September 19, 2007**  
**12:30 – 4:00 PM**

12:30 PM Roll Call and Review of Minutes

**ACTION**

- 12:35 PM
- a. Exception to Policy 301.12, Aviation Technology, UM-Helena.  
ITEM 136-103-R0907
  - b. Compliance report on Policy 301.12, Undergraduate Degree requirements. ITEM 136-104-R0907
  - c. Recommendation on College Preparatory Program exemptions.  
ITEM 136-106-R0907

**Level II Items**

- d. Minor in Health Communication, MSU-Billings. ITEM 136-2701-R0707
- e. Certificates of Applied Science in Network Infrastructure and EMT – Intermediate 99, MSU-Great Falls COT. ITEM 136-2851-R0707
- f. Bachelor of Science in Athletic Training, UM-Missoula.  
ITEM 136-1002-R0707
- g. Department of Educational Leadership and Department of Counselor Education, UM-Missoula. ITEM 136-1003-R0707
- h. Montana Center for Work Physiology and Exercise Metabolism, UM-Missoula. ITEM 136-1004-R0707
- i. The College of Letters, Sciences and Professional Studies, Montana Tech-UM. ITEM 136-1503-R0707
- j. Certificates of Applied Science in Bookkeeping, Small Business Entrepreneurship Technology, Computer Assistant, Carpentry, Machine Tool Technology, Welding Technology, and Office Assistant, UM-Helena COT. ITEM 136-1901-R0707
- k. Associate of Applied Science degree in Electrical Technology, Flathead Valley Community College. ITEM 136-301-R0707

## **INFORMATION**

- 2:30 PM
- a. Update on student loan issues – Commissioner Stearns and OCHE staff.
  - b. Preview of admissions/placement/remediation policies – Jan Clinard, OCHE.
  - c. Teacher education accreditation – Provost Dooley, MSU-Bozeman.
  - d. Indian Education for All: MSU-Bozeman’s recent grant – Provost Dooley, MSU-Bozeman.
  - e. Distance education initiatives from the OCHE/campus match program – Tom Gibson, OCHE.
  - f. Update on nursing programs
    - 1. Recent decisions by the State Board of Nursing.
    - 2. Report on PN Nursing at Flathead Valley Community College.

## **CONSENT**

- 3:40 PM Level I memorandum.
- 3:45 PM Public Comment
- 4:00 PM ADJOURN