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Dr. Mark Zacovic, President  
Cuyamaca College  
900 Rancho San Diego Parkway  
El Cajon, CA 92019

**President's Office  
Cuyamaca College**

Dear President Zacovic:

Cuyamaca College staff has informed the ACCJC that the College will be offering a new Associate of Science degree--Biological Sciences: Pre-Allied Health. The information provided indicates this degree does not contain new courses but instead repackages existing curriculum.

The program provides students with a pathway into allied health programs at baccalaureate institutions. Required science courses provide training in the methods of scientific inquiry, the fundamental principles of natural science, and the principle laws and theories governing physical and life sciences.

Based on the information provided, the aforementioned change does not require a substantive change review by the Commission.

Thank you for bringing this to the ACCJC's attention. It remains the College's responsibility to inform the Commission of any program change. Professional self-regulation is the most effective means of assuring educational quality, integrity and institutional effectiveness.

Sincerely,

Susan B. Clifford, Ed.D.  
Vice President

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