September 25, 2009

Abbas Aminmansour, Chair
Senate Committee on Educational Policy
Office of the Senate
228 English Building, MC-461

Dear Professor Aminmansour:

Enclosed is a copy of a proposal from the Graduate College and College of Fine and Applied Arts to eliminate the MS in Music Education.

This proposal has been approved by the College and the Graduate College Executive Committee. It now requires Senate review.

Sincerely,

Kristi A. Kuntz
Assistant Provost

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Enclosures

c:  D. Dutta
    K. Kramer
    C. Livingstone
    E. Rath
    M. Stone
September 10, 2009

Kristi Kuntz
Assistant Provost
Office of the Provost
207 Swanlund, MC-304

Dear Kristi:

Enclosed is the ‘Proposal for Removal of M.S. degree in Music Education’. The Graduate College Executive Committee voted unanimously to approve it.

I send it to you now for further review.

Sincerely,

Debasish Dutta
Dean of the Graduate College

Enclosure

c:  E. Rath
    M. Stone
Proposal to the Senate Educational Policy Committee

PROPOSAL TITLE: Removal of M.S. degree in Music Education, School of Music

SPONSOR: Edward Rath, Jr., Associate Director, School of Music, erath@illinois.edu, 217.244.2670, 3030 Music Bldg., MC-056

COLLEGE CONTACT: Marian Stone, Assistant to the Associate Dean of Undergraduate Affairs, mastone@illinois.edu, 217.333.6063, 110 Architecture Bldg., MC-622

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: The School of Music requests that the M.S. degree in Music Education be terminated.

JUSTIFICATION: The M.S. degree in Music Education has not been active for years. It is the predecessor of the Master of Music Education (M.M.E.) degree in which students are currently enrolled. Its counterpart at the undergraduate level was the B.S. in Music Education, which the School of Music abandoned in favor of the B.M.E. degree. These changes took place sometime in the 1990s.

BUDGETARY AND STAFF IMPLICATIONS: none

DESIRED EFFECTIVE DATE: immediately
CLEARANCES: (Clearances should include signatures and dates of approval) - These signatures must appear on a separate sheet. If multiple departments or colleges, add lines.)

Signatures:

Unit Representative: ____________________________ 5-5-09

College Representative: ____________________________ 5-5-09

Graduate College Representative: ____________________________ 9-11-09

Provost Representative: ____________________________

Educational Policy Committee Representative: ____________________________

Date: ____________________________

Date: ____________________________

Date: ____________________________

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