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Dear Colleagues:

The attached proposal to increase the required hours for the major in English Education (B.S.Ed.) will be an agenda item for the March 20, 2009, Full University Curriculum Committee meeting.

Sincerely,

David E. Shipley, Chair
University Curriculum Committee

cc: Dr. Arnett C. Mace, Jr.
    Professor Jere W. Morehead
TO:        Arthur Horne, Dean
           COE Curriculum Committee
           College of Education

FROM:     Mark Faust, Head
           Department of Language and Literacy Education

TOPIC:    Increase in hour requirement for the English Education and Foreign Language majors

DATE:     November 12, 2008

On February 3, 2005, the Board of Regents approved a waiver of the 120 semester hour rule for some BSED majors in the College of Education including English education and foreign language education to require up to 129 hours. The faculty in the Department of Language and Literacy Education have voted to change the number of hours required for the English education and foreign language education majors from 120 to 129. This change in hours reflects a strengthening of intensive field-based experiences necessary to prepare high quality teachers. Upon approval I will submit the change in hours within the CAPA system. Please do not hesitate to contact me with questions.

Approved:

Arthur Horne, Dean

Chair, COE Curriculum Committee