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Dr. Bradley S. Chilton
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Dear Dr. Chilton:

Thank you for your letter of March 15, 2011, notifying the Commission on Colleges that Tarleton State University will offer, effective fall 2011, two new programs.

1. The University will offer a Bachelor of Applied Technology degree in Veterinary Technology. The program will be offered in a traditional face-to-face instruction mode on the approved Stephenville campus and in an online environment for distance learners.
2. The University will offer a Master of Science Degree in Accounting. This degree will be offered at the approved Texas A&M University-Central Texas campus.

To determine if these programs represent a significant departure from your approved curriculum, please provide the following information for each of the programs:

**Numbers of new faculty?
Numbers of new courses?
New library or other learning resources?
New equipment or facilities?
A new resource base?**

Please remember that if a prospectus is required, our policies require that it be submitted at least three months prior to implementation of the programs.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Belle S. Wheelan".

Belle S. Wheelan, Ph.D.
President

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cc: Dr. F. Dominic Dottavio, President
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