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Dear Dr. Kupchella:

At its January 2007 meeting, the Commission on Accreditation (CO A) reviewed the *Self-Study*, the *Accreditation Review Brief*, and the program's response to the *Brief* as the reaffirmation application for the combined social work program. TheCOA voted to reaffirm the program's accreditation for eight years, ending February 2014. (The program was granted a postponement in October 2004 allowing it to be reviewed at the February 2007 COA Meeting, held this year in January 2007, rather than its scheduled review date of February 2006.)

Attached is the *Timetable for Reaffirmation-Revised Protocol* which includes all of the steps in the reaffirmation process. Please be in touch with Dr. Judith Bremner, Accreditation Specialist in the Office of Social Work Accreditation and Educational Excellence, if there are any questions about this letter or the procedures and actions of the Commission on Accreditation.

Sincerely

Stephen M. Holloway, Ph.D., Chair  
Commission on Accreditation

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CC: Professor Thomasine Heitkamp, Chair  
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Enclosures: Timetable for Reaffirmation-Revised Protocol  
Reaffirmation Fees and Related Expenses\*

\*Current schedules may be found at <http://www.cswe.org/reaffirmation/>