Committee on Educational Planning, Policies, and Programs

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9. Winston-Salem State University Request for Academic RestructuringSuzanne Ortega

Situation: Due to a recent decline in enrollment, Winston-Salem State University is pursuing

revisions to their organizational structure by consolidating the School of Education and Human Performance, the School of Business and Economics, and the College of Arts and Sciences. This newly formed consolidation will be named the College of Arts,

Sciences, Business and Education.

Background: The College will be administered by one dean and two senior associate deans. This

structural change does not threaten accreditation nor will it eliminate any programs

or faculty.

Assessment: In order to bring cost into alignment with available resources and organizational

needs it is recommended that the Board give consideration to this request for

academic restructuring at WSSU.

Action: This item is for a vote.