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## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Julio Frenk  
University President

**From:** Tomás A. Salerno  
Chair, Faculty Senate

**Date:** March 31, 2016

**Subject:** Faculty Senate Legislation #2015-24(B) – Recommendation to Continue Faculty Senate’s Review of Undergraduate Certificate Programs Where the Majority of University Credits are Completed Through Distance Learning [Extension as noted in Legislation #2013-26(B)]

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The Faculty Senate, at its March 30, 2016 meeting, recommended continuing the Faculty Senate’s review and approval of certificate programs for undergraduate students where University credits are awarded and the majority of the credits are completed through distance learning. As noted in the certificate program guidelines established in Faculty Senate Legislation #2013-26(B), the Faculty Senate’s approval of such certificate programs was required prior to the establishment of such programs, and the Faculty Senate approval requirement was set to terminate on June 1, 2016, unless extended.

This legislation is now forwarded to you for your action.

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cc: Thomas LeBlanc, Executive Vice President and Provost  
All Academic Deans

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APPROVED:   
(President’s Signature)

DATE: 4/4/16

OFFICE OR INDIVIDUAL TO IMPLEMENT: Faculty Senate

EFFECTIVE DATE OF LEGISLATION: \_\_\_\_\_  
(if other than June 1 next following)

NOT APPROVED AND REFERRED TO: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS (IF NOT APPROVED): \_\_\_\_\_