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MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 6, 2017

TO: Dr. Anahid Petrosian, Interim VP for Academic Affairs

FROM: Dr. Ali Esmaeili, Dean of Math, Science and Bachelor's Programs

Dr. Kelli Davis, University Relations, Transfer and Articulation Center Officer

RE: Academic Partnership Agreement between South Texas College and Excelsior College

It is our pleasure to recommend the signing of an Academic Partnership Agreement between South Texas College and Excelsior College. This agreement is primarily designed to enable our A.A.S. degree earners to have another path to baccalaureate degree attainment and was spearheaded by Dean Mario Reyna.

Through this agreement, Excelsior College will transfer up to 90 credit hours and will entitle both South Texas College Alumni and Staff to a tuition reduction. Excelsior College is accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, and offers degrees in the following areas: Business, Health Sciences, Liberal Arts, Nursing, Public Service and Technology.