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Dr. Alisa White
President
Austin Peay State University
601 College Street
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Dear President White:

Pursuant to THEC Academic Policy A1.0 (*New Academic Programs: Approval Process*), THEC staff will support the proposed Master of Speech-Language Pathology (MSLP) program. This proposed program has satisfied all of the requirements with conducting a site visit and responding satisfactorily to all suggestions and recommendations by the external reviewers. Dr. Alexander Goberman of Bowling Green State University and Dr. Karen Fallon of Towson University served as external reviewers.

Austin Peay State University may now seek approval from the Board of Trustees (BOT). Contingent upon approval by the BOT and a formal request indicating that such approval has been granted, APSU may request the Master of Speech-Language Pathology program be placed on the Commission's agenda for approval.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mike Krause".

Mike Krause
Executive Director

cc: Dr. Rex Gandy
Dr. Lynne Crosby
Betty Dandridge Johnson
Dr. Corey Gheesling