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TO: Deans and Heads of Teacher Education

FROM: Peter L. LoPresti, Executive Secretary *PL*

SUBJECT: Collaboration in Program Development, Implementation and Evaluation

At its June 5, 1975 meeting, the Commission for Teacher Preparation and Licensing requested that institutions be reminded that the Commission is particularly concerned that institutions meet the intent of the guideline element in their approved program which deals with participation of community, students, teacher candidates, and teachers in program development, implementation, and evaluation. In addition, it is important to note that this participation should insure participation representative of racial and ethnic groups in the community served.

Many excellent plans for insuring this involvement have been submitted. Some plans were approved on the condition that improvements would be made. Program Approval Review Documents for any new programs will be given particular attention concerning the collaborative part of the program planning.