MINUTES PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION COUNCIL Wednesday, December 14, 2005 – 3:30 pm Academic Complex – 118

<u>Members present</u>: Retta Poe, Kathryn Abbott, Mark Robinson, Heather Johnson, Janice Ferguson, Cynthia Mason, Carl Myers, Thad Crews, Nathan Love, Jane Brantley, Beverly Siegrist, Lauren Bland, David Lenoir (for Alex Poole), Jeanne Fiene (for Chris Wagner), Kaye Gordon, Jeanine Huss (for Rico Tyler), Ric Keaster, Robyn Swanson, Sherry Powers, Joe Tinius

Dr. Poe, Vice Chair, called the meeting to order. The minutes from the November 9, 2005 meeting were approved as they appear on the web. Dr. Poe introduced Mr. Joe Tinius, Superintendent of Bowling Green Independent Schools, as the newest member to the Council. Also, she announced that beginning with the January 2006 meeting, the Council would be meeting in Tate Page Hall 131.

New Business

From the Office of Teacher Services

Presentation of Candidates Completing Requirements for Admission to the Professional Education Unit November 9, 2005 through December 14, 2005 (The list was provided at the meeting.) Jeanne Fiene moved approval of the candidates, seconded by Nathan Love. Council members reviewed the list and after some short discussion the list was approved noting one exception that will be discussed at a future meeting.

From Potter College-Department of Modern Languages

- 1. Proposal to Revise a Program—French Major, 36 hrs.
- 2. Proposal to Revise a Program—German Major, 36 hrs.
- 3. Proposal to Revise a Program—Spanish Major, 36 hrs.
- 4. Proposal to Revise a Program—French Minor, 30 hrs.
- 5. Proposal to Revise a Program—German Minor, 30 hrs.
- 6. Proposal to Revise a Program—Spanish Minor, 30 hrs.

It was agreed to take these six proposals as a group. Robyn Swanson moved approval, seconded by Kathryn Abbott. Nathan Love explained the rationale for these revisions. The motion then passed.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 3:45.

Susan Krisher, Secretary