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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Dr. Kate Hudepohl, Chair, University Senate

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

India Pilot Project and International Graduate Student Recruitment

The India Pilot Project admission process is complete. WKU and the relevant departments are welcoming the admitted students to campus and to their academic programs. The Graduate School will track the academic progress of these students, will remain in contact with relevant academic programs and the International Student Office, and will coordinate any academic support services that may be needed.

Academic Affairs, The Graduate School, Enrollment Management, and relevant colleges/programs are currently discussing future strategies and procedures for international graduate student recruiting efforts with an eye to addressing the concerns the Senate has expressed. Department faculty will be fully involved in this process, and Memoranda of Agreement will be developed to guide any future initiatives.

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xc: Dr. David Lee, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs