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MARJORIE LONGO, CHAIR
Faculty Executive Committee
College of Engineering

RE: Proposal to Discontinue the Optical Science Engineering (OSE) Major

The Davis Division of the Academic Senate forwarded the referenced proposal to all divisional standing committees as well as Faculty Executive Committees within each college/professional school. Comments from Undergraduate Council and the Committee on Planning and Budget were received.

Unfortunately, the discontinuation of the Optical Science Engineering Major is tied to the disestablishment of the Department of Applied Science. As you are aware, the Davis Division of the Academic Senate was “not” satisfied with the process used to disestablish the Department of Applied Science. However, the Davis Division of the Academic Senate has approved the discontinuance of the Optical Science Engineering Major.

Sincerely,

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