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Dr. Dawn Marie Elliott, Director Biomedical Engineering Program College of Engineering 125 E. Delaware Avenue Newark, Delaware

Dear Dr. Elliott:

The Department of Biological Sciences has considered your request that we support the Biomedical Engineering (BME) curriculum revision. Our Department By-Laws require that any such request be considered by our Undergraduate Programs Committee and by the Department as a whole in a subsequent faculty meeting. The application has been reviewed by our Undergraduate Programs Committee and by the Department during a faculty meeting held on March 27, 2015, and both groups have recommended to support your curriculum revision. The faculty recognize BME is an important major on campus. In particular, we can provide BISC207 taught in fall semesters for up to 60 BME majors. If student numbers exceed this amount, the Department of Biological Sciences will need to reconsider its commitment. We understand that BISC208 will no longer be a requirement for BME majors but will be listed as a BME-technical elective.

Best regards,

Professor and Interim Chair