LETTER OF NOTIFICATION – 11R

REVISION OF EXISTING DEGREE PROGRAM (Act 747)

- 1. Institution submitting request: University of Arkansas, Fayetteville
- 2. Contact person/title: Dr. Sharon Gaber, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Title of degree program: Human Environmental Sciences, BS Major: Food, Human Nutrition and Hospitality Concentration: Dietetics

- 3. CIP Code: 19.0501
- 4. Degree Code: 4160
- 5. Effective Date: Fall 2013
- 6. Reason for proposed change: Compliance with Act 747
- 7. Provide **<u>current</u>** and <u>**revised**</u> curriculum outline. (Indicate total credit hours for current degree and total credit hours for revised degree.)

Current degree: 124 hours Revised degree: 120 hours

See attached for current curriculum, showing tracked changes. Indicated curriculum changes to the FHNH major, DIET concentration have been recommended in an effort to bring the degree program into Act 747 compliance. 1) HESC 3604: separation into HESC 3603 Lecture and HESC 3601L Lab with the lecture portion required, but the lab no longer required for dietetics students due to change in the 2012 standards of the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND). 2) An additional 3 credit hours of electives have been eliminated from the curriculum to reduce total credit hours required from 124 to 120. The Dietetics faculty scrutinizes the dietetics curriculum annually, as required by ACEND, and have determined that no other required courses may be eliminated or combined at this time.

- 8. Institutional curriculum committee review/approval date for revised degree:
- 9. Provide additional program information requested by ADHE staff.

President/Chancellor Approval Date:

Board of Trustees Notification Date:

Chief Academic Officer:

Date: