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Dear President/CEO Okada:

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, at its meeting June 9-11, 2009, reviewed the Midterm Report submitted by Guam Community College. The purpose of this review was to assure that the recommendations made by the evaluation team had been addressed by the institution and that the College has also provided an update on the self-identified planning agendas which were included in the institutional self study.

The Commission took action to accept the Midterm Report. Institutions are expected to meet Standards at all times during the six-year review cycle and to fully address recommendations made by previous teams by the time of the next comprehensive review. This will be confirmed at the time of the next regularly scheduled comprehensive visit. The Midterm Report will become part of the accreditation history of the College and should be used in preparing for the next comprehensive evaluation.

The Commission requires that you give the report and this letter appropriate dissemination to your College staff and to those who were signatories of your College report. This group should include campus leadership and the Board of Trustees. The Commission also requires that all reports be made available to students and the public. Placing copies in the College library can accomplish this. Should you want an electronic copy of the report, please contact Commission staff.

Please note that the next comprehensive evaluation of Guam Community College will occur in **Spring 2012**.

Ms. Mary Okada  
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On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express continuing interest in the institution's educational quality and students' success. Professional self-regulation is the most effective means of assuring institutional integrity, effectiveness and quality.

Sincerely,



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President

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cc: Dr. Ray Somera, ALO, Accreditation Liaison Officer  
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