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Dr. Karen Adams, Dean
College of Education, Health & Human Services
Central Michigan University
307 Ronan Hall
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859

Dear Dr. Adams:

The Michigan Department of Education is pleased to inform you that Central Michigan University's application for a program to prepare teachers of Spanish (FF) has been approved. This program may be offered as an endorsement, major or minor for elementary teaching certificates or as a major or minor for secondary teaching certificates.

The program is subject to continuing approval based on a new schedule that is currently in development; you will be notified when review procedures and timelines are in place. During the next periodic review cycle, all program reapprovals will be based on outcome measures selected to demonstrate that the program has prepared well-qualified teachers. Your institution is encouraged to begin collecting outcome data that is aligned with the teacher preparation program standards approved by the State Board of Education for each specialty area.

Should you have questions regarding this approval or other aspects of this program, please contact Dr. Catherine Smith, Supervisor, Professional Preparation and Development Unit, at 517/335-0874, or Bonnie Rockafellow, Education Consultant, at 517/373-7861.

Sincerely,

Flora L. Jenkins, Ph.D.
Director
Office of Professional Preparation Services

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Enclosure

cc: Kate Jacobson
Catherine Smith
Bonnie Rockafellow

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