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MOTION: Dr. Thompson moved that we do not allow resident credit to be given for extension or correspondence study courses offered off-campus. Seconded and carried.

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