November 19, 1999

Dr. Gordon Lamb  
Interim Chancellor  
University of Missouri-Kansas City  
5100 Rockhill Rd.; Administration Center 301  
Kansas City, MO 64110

Dear Interim Chancellor Lamb:

This letter is formal notification of the action taken concerning University of Missouri-Kansas City by the Commission on Institutions of Higher Education. At its meeting on November 15, 1999, the Institutional Actions Council voted to continue the accreditation of University of Missouri-Kansas City, and to adopt any new items entered on the attached Record of Status and Scope. The Commission Board of Trustees validated that action through its validation process concluded on November 19. The date on this letter constitutes the effective date of this new status with the Commission.

The Record of Status and Scope summarizes the new, current relationship between the Commission and University of Missouri-Kansas City. Modifications to it may require prior approval from the Commission, although several sections of the Statement of Institutional Scope and Activity can be modified through submission of the annual report.

On November 12, the Commission adopted a new set of policies defining changes in your institution that would require further Commission action prior to their initiation. The new policies are found on the Commission's website: http://www.ncacihe.org/aice/policies/edinstic.html. They will be integrated into the online edition of the Handbook and the revised Handbook we anticipate publishing next fall. Processes for seeking approval of change continue to be found in Chapter 12 of Handbook of Accreditation, Second Edition. Please review these documents with care.

Information about informing the public of this action is found in Chapter 15 of the Commission's Handbook.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees I thank you and your associates for your cooperation. If you have questions about this action or about Commission policies and procedures please write or call Dr. Stephen D. Spangehl, who is the member of our staff responsible for providing continuing assistance to University of Missouri-Kansas City.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Steven D. Crow  
Executive Director

Enclosure: Record of Status and Scope

cc: Evaluation Team Members  
Chair of the Board