Program Proposal
Form B

Academic Group (College): Engineering & Computer Science

Date of Submission to College Dean:

Academic Organization (Department): Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Requested Effective: Fall __, Spring __, 2009 __.

Department Chair: Dr. Suresh Vadhva

Contact if not Department Chair: Prceham B. Kumar

Title of the Program (Please be specific; indicate minor, undergraduate or graduate degree, etc.): Graduate Degree program (M.S.) in Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE)

Type of Program Proposal:

___ x ___ Modification in Existing Program:
  ___ Substantive Change
  ___ Non-Substantive Change
  ___ Deletion of Existing Program

___ New Programs
  ___ Initiation (Projection) of New Program on to Master Plan
  ___ New Degree Programs
      ___ Regular Process
      ___ Fast Track Process
      ___ Pilot Process
  ___ New Minor, Concentration, Option, Specialization, Emphasis
  ___ New Certificate Program

PLEASE NOTE: Form B is to be used only as a Cover Form. Additional information is requested for each of the above as noted in the corresponding procedure in the Policies and Procedures for Initiation, Modification, Review and Approval of Courses and Academic Programs found at http://www.csus.edu/manual/acad.htm

Briefly describe the program proposal (new or change) and provide a justification.

Currently the EEE graduate program allows students to take up to a maximum of 6 units or 2 3-unit courses from the undergraduate curriculum. The proposal is to increase the number of undergraduate units allowed from 6 units to 7 units. The justification for this proposed change is that many graduate several students take undergraduate courses which have 4 units, due to additional lab content. This modification in the existing program will allow graduate students to still take and obtain credit for 2 undergraduate courses; however, it will give them the option to take one 3-unit lecture course and one 4-unit lecture and lab course. The proposed 7 unit limit is well under the university graduate policy which allows a maximum of 9 undergraduate units.

Approvals:

Department Chair: 

Date: __/__/2008

College Dean: 

Date: __/__/2008

University Committee: 

Date:

Associate Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs: 

Date:

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