

3. DOUGLAS COLLEGE INTERNATIONAL ,d

Reference: A”d

<http://www.douglas.bc.ca/news/douglas-initiates-independen-review-of-chinese-partnership-programs.html>

4. PRESIDENT’S REPORT

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5. COMMITTEE, LIAISON REPORTS

5.1 Board Executive and Governance Committee (BEGC)

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5.2 Audit and Finance Committee (AFC)

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5.5 Report: Education Council Liaison

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5.6 Liaison Report: Douglas College Foundation

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6. BOARD CHAIR'S REPORT

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The Douglas College Board today announced it has initiated an independent review of the policies and procedures governing the college's partnership programs in China.

The review follows up on issues raised in a 2010 internal review of the college's partnership programs related to the Heilongjiang Institute of Science and Technology (HIST) in Harbin, China.

"Our internal review identified issues around English-language proficiency and supplemental exams, which led to changes that were implemented by faculty and administration in 2010 and 2011," says Paul Wates, Chair of the Douglas College Board. "The independent review is to ensure that those changes have been effective and sufficient in 2012 to meet Douglas College standards."

Following the internal review in 2010, changes were made to the program admission processes, and course marks awarded in place for the oversight of the programs in China. The findings of the report will be available to the public following its conclusion in March.

"We are committed to international education as part of our strategic plan," Wates says. "We are also committed to academic excellence, whether our programs are in Canada or around the world."