## **MEMORANDUM**

## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20202-\_\_\_\_

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FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Request to Revise the Expiring Annual Performance Report for the

Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs

(GEAR UP) program.

The annual performance report package for the GEAR UP program expires on December 31, 2006. The Office of Postsecondary Education is requesting approval of the attached revised package.

GEAR UP grantees are required to submit an annual performance report to the GEAR UP program office in the spring of each year. The information collected in the annual performance report allows the Department to determine grantee eligibility for continuation awards and to collect data addressing the performance of the GEAR UP program in accordance with the Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA) of 1993.

As required, the OMB 83-I and other supporting documents are attached.

If you have any questions regarding this clearance package, please contact Marie Buker, Program Officer, GEAR UP program at 202-502-7796.