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Greetings,

After reviewing the 5-year Interim Progress Report (IPR) submitted by University of Houston, the National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB) has rejected the IPR as not having demonstrated progress toward addressing deficiencies identified in the most recent visiting team report. The program did not provide evidence for the three not-met SPC in the same realm (B.3 Sustainability, B.4 Site Design, and B.7 Financial Considerations). The program is required to provide this evidence to confirm progress, due by June 26, 2020, wherein the Board of Directors will vote at its July meeting to accept the revised 5-Year IPR, or advance the next accreditation sequence by a minimum of one year.

Please note that Statistical Reports are still due annually.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the NAAB office.

Very truly yours,

Barbara Sestak, FAIA

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