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APPLY TO THE HIGHER EDUCATION
COORDINATING COMMISSION FOR APPROVAL OF
THE EYE TECHNICIAN ONE-YEAR CERTIFICATE FOR
PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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STRATEGIC THEME: Workforce: Respond to community and workforce needs by developing a culture of agility

REPORT: The proposed Eye Technician One-Year Certificate is designed to prepare students who wish to work in the field of ophthalmology. This 58-credit certificate is a revision of the 2-year degree, allowing students to complete their award faster and still meet industry demands.

RECOMMENDATION: That the College be authorized to submit an application to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission for the Eye Technician One-Year Certificate for Portland Community College.