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APPLY TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR  
APPROVAL OF THE ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED  
SCIENCE IN AVIATION SCIENCE: AIRPLANE WITH  
FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR FOR PORTLAND COMMUNITY  
COLLEGE

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REPORT: PCC needs to separate its Aviation Science: Airplane  
degree into two separate degrees in order to reduce  
confusion to students, Veteran Affairs, financial aid, the  
academic department, the Community College and  
Workforce Development, the curriculum office, and the  
graduation department. A majority of the coursework in  
the Aviation Science Airplane with Flight Instructor  
degree is shared with the existing Associate of Applied  
Science in Aviation Science degree so by state standards  
it is considered a degree option.

RECOMMENDATION: That the College be authorized to submit an application  
to the Oregon State Board of Education for an Associate  
of Applied Science in Aviation Science: Airplane with  
Flight Instructor for Portland Community College.