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Dear Professor Rex.

At their July 2020 meeting, the directors of the National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB) streamlined the interim reporting process. The new reporting requirements change the Two-Year Interim Progress Report (IPR) in favor of a Three-Year IPR, effective September 1, 2020. Pursuant to this change, please note that your program's Two-Year IPR originally due on November 30, 2021 is now a Three-Year IPR, due November 30, 2022.

In addition, effective January 1, 2021, the Five-Year IPR submissions will now only be required for programs whose Two-Year or Three-Year IPR did not satisfy deficiencies stated in the previous VTR. The new reporting process, for both Three-Year and Five-Year IPRs, will be modeled after the 2020 Conditions and Procedures 'Plan to Correct' and will facilitate a smoother transition to the new set of Conditions and Procedures.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact accreditation@naab.org.

Very truly yours,

Barbara Sestak, FAIA President