## ITEM NO. 138-1004-R0108 Approval to Establish a Department of Communicative Sciences and Disorders

- **THAT:** In accordance with Montana University System Policy, the Board of Regents of Higher Education authorizes The University of Montana Missoula to establish a Department of Communicative Sciences and Disorders.
- **EXPLANATION:** The University of Montana Missoula requested and received approval of a Bachelor of Arts degree in Communicative Disorders and a Master of Science degree in Speech-Language Pathology during FY 07. Authorization to establish a Department of Communicative Sciences and Disorders to house the new B.A. and M.S. is requested in order to complete the establishment of these new degrees.