

Nathan Baum/Lib 01/04/2006 10:28 AM To F.Jason Torre/Lib@SUNYSB cc bcc Subject Re: Plagarism service/database

Hi Jason,

sorry for not getting back to you sooner.

By coincidence I found that Waldo is no offering Turnitin (see attached info sheet), but it would cost approx. \$13,000 per year. Not a very good year for us to make that kind of investment. I think that the library could make the necessary arrangements to purchase through Waldo, but the cost would have to be covered by someone else: DoIT? Provost?

--Nathan



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Nathan,

I went to the University senate campus computing and communications com. meeting today and reported that the library would be willing to look into the licensing of such a service on behalf of the university. I had recalled reporting to the library faculty and couldn't remember exactly what you had said to me when you questioned me on it during the meeting so I said you had said you had given the research into the topic your blessing and we would look into it and price it out. They've asked us to sound out various members in our departments as to the need of the service and then they'd make a formal request. I hope this was okay? We've talked about so many differnt things that I just can't keep things straight. I apologize for oversteping my bounds.

Is this something that I would need to do and come back to you, or can Aimee look into this for the library?

Let me know what if anything we can do or you want me to do.

Jason

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