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FROM: Barbara A. Beno, Ph.D.

SUBJECT: Report on June 5-7, 2013 Commission Meeting

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, met on June 5-7, 2013, at the San Francisco Marriott Airport Hotel in Burlingame, California. Actions were taken on 45 institutions, including comprehensive evaluations, midterm reports, follow-up reports, special reports, a show cause report, and a closure report. The list of institutional actions is appended to this memorandum.

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COMMISSION ACTIONS ON INSTITUTIONS

At its **June 5-7, 2013 meeting**, the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, took the following institutional actions:

REAFFIRMED ACCREDITATION ON THE BASIS OF A COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATION

- Carrington College California
- Copper Mountain College
- Gavilan College
- Los Angeles County College of Nursing and Allied Health
- Los Angeles Pierce College
- San Joaquin Valley College

ISSUED WARNING ON THE BASIS OF A COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATION

- Coastline Community College
- Golden West College
- Imperial Valley College
- Los Angeles Mission College
- Los Angeles Valley College
- Orange Coast College

IMPOSED PROBATION ON THE BASIS OF A COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATION

- Hartnell College

ACTED TO TERMINATE ACCREDITATION

- City College of San Francisco

The Commission action on the accredited status of City College of San Francisco will become final upon completion or waiver of review and appeal. In the interim, the institution's status of Show Cause shall remain as it was prior to the Commission's action to terminate accreditation.

ISSUED WARNING ON THE BASIS OF A FOLLOW-UP REPORT

- College of the Marshall Islands

CONTINUED ON WARNING ON THE BASIS OF A FOLLOW-UP REPORT WITH VISIT

- Barstow Community College
- Hawai'i Tokai International College

REMOVED FROM WARNING AND REAFFIRMED ACCREDITATION ON THE BASIS OF A FOLLOW-UP REPORT WITH VISIT

- College of Alameda
- Merced College
- Merritt College
- West Los Angeles College

REMOVED FROM WARNING ON THE BASIS OF A FOLLOW-UP REPORT WITH VISIT

- Berkeley City College
- Laney College

REMOVED FROM PROBATION AND ISSUED WARNING ON THE BASIS OF A FOLLOW-UP REPORT WITH VISIT

- Los Angeles Southwest College

REMOVED FROM PROBATION AND REAFFIRMED ACCREDITATION ON THE BASIS OF A FOLLOW-UP REPORT WITH VISIT

- College of Micronesia-FSM
- Los Angeles Harbor College

THE COMMISSION RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING REPORTS

MIDTERM REPORT

- Allan Hancock College
- Chaffey College
- College of the Siskiyous
- Glendale Community College
- MiraCosta College
- Monterey Peninsula College
- Palau Community College
- Santa Monica College

FOLLOW-UP REPORT

- Feather River College
- Fullerton College
- Mt. San Jacinto College

FOLLOW-UP REPORT WITH VISIT

- College of the Desert

SPECIAL REPORT WITH VISIT – FINANCIAL REVIEW

- Los Angeles Community College District
- Palo Verde College

SPECIAL REPORT – FINANCIAL REVIEW

- American Samoa Community College
- Chabot-Las Positas Community College District
- College of the Marshall Islands
- Los Angeles Valley College
- Peralta Community College District

SPECIAL REPORT

- Southwestern College
- College of the Desert
- Santa Barbara City College

APPROVED REQUEST TO WITHDRAW FROM ACCJC ACCREDITATION

- Heald College

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SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE COMMITTEE ACTIONS
JANUARY 2013 THROUGH JUNE 2013

March 18, 2013 Meeting Actions

Cañada College: to offer 10 degrees and eight certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Carrington College California: to close the Emeryville Campus and consolidate the programs with those offered at the San Leandro Campus. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

College of San Mateo: to offer 17 degrees and eight certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Cuyamaca College: to offer 39 degrees and 32 certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Folsom Lake College: to offer 27 degrees and 16 certificate programs at 50% or more via distance education. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Los Angeles Pierce College: to offer two degrees and two certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Los Medanos College: to offer two degrees and seven certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Monterey Peninsula College: to offer 57 degrees and 22 certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

MTI College: to offer a new program for Application Development Diploma. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Sacramento City College: to offer 60 degrees and 19 certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal pending additional information.

Skyline College: to offer 26 degrees, 15 transfer degrees and 10 certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Taft College (2): to offer a new program in Direct Support Education and to offer a new program in Management. The Committee acted to approve both of the proposals.

Victor Valley College: for a new Regional Public Safety Training Center in Apple Valley. The Committee acted to deny the proposal and asked that it be resubmitted.

Additional Information Received for Previously Reviewed and Approved Proposals: Hartnell College, Imperial Valley College.



May 9, 2013 Meeting Actions

Carrington College California: to close the Antioch Campus and consolidate the programs with those offered at the Pleasant Hill Campus. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Cerro Coso Community College (2): for a change in mission and for new career and technical education programs. The Committee acted to approve the proposals pending evidence of approval from of California State Chancellor's Office.

Cosumnes River College: for a new program in Diagnostic Sonography. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Folsom Lake College: for new programs Medical Lab Technician/Phlebotomist. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Las Positas College: to offer four degrees and two certificate programs at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Los Angeles City College: to offer 29 degrees and 12 certificates at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Merced College: for a new Paramedic program. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Reedley College: for the Early Childhood Education program to be offered at 50% or more via distance education or electronic delivery. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Santa Rosa Junior College: for the Culinary Arts Program move to the new Burdo Culinary Arts Center. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Victor Valley College: for a new Regional Public Safety Training Center in Apple Valley. The Committee acted to deny the proposal.

Windward Community College: for a new Sustainable Agriculture program. The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

Additional Information Received for Previously Reviewed and Approved Proposals: Sacramento City College.