



Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges

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Memorandum

To: *U.S. Department of Education, Appropriate State Agencies, and Appropriate Accrediting Agencies*
From: *The Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges (ACCSC)*
Date: *March 16, 2016*
Subject: *Public Notice of Commission Actions*

SUMMARY OF ACTIONS

Pursuant to *Section X (C)(1), Rules of Process and Procedure, Standards of Accreditation*, the Commission, no later than 30 days after making the decision, will provide written notice to the U.S. Department of Education, the appropriate state licensing agency, and appropriate accrediting agencies of a decision by the Commission to grant initial accreditation or renewal of accreditation. The following schools have received a grant of initial or renewal of accreditation.

RENEWAL OF ACCREDITATION					
School	School #	City	State	No. of Years	Effective Date
All-State Career	M059349	Baltimore	MD	3	Feb 2015
Fortis College	M068504	Scranton	PA	5	May 2015
Fortis College	B072191	Phoenix	AZ	5	Jul 2015
Fortis College	B070992	Baltimore	MD	3	Feb 2013

RENEWAL OF ACCREDITATION WITH STIPULATIONS*					
School	School #	City	State	No. of Years	Effective Date
All-State Career School	B059271	West Mifflin	PA	3	Nov 2014
Fortis College	M000648	Centreville	OH	3	May 2013

*The Commission’s action to renew accreditation goes into effect upon a demonstration that the stipulations have been satisfied.

In accordance with *Section X (E)(1), Rules of Process and Procedures, Standards of Accreditation*, ACCSC will grant all reasonable special requests for accreditation information made by other accreditation agencies and government entities. Requests for information from such entities must be in writing, submitted to the Executive Director of ACCSC, and state the name of the school for which the information is sought and the nature of the information requested.

For assistance regarding the information included in this memorandum, please feel free to contact me directly at 703.247.4212 or at mccomis@accsc.org.

Sincerely,



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Executive Director

- c: **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**
U.S. Department of Education – Seattle SPT
U.S. Department of Education – Atlanta SPT
U.S. Department of Education – Kansas City, SPT
U.S. Department of Education – Chicago/Denver SPT
U.S. Department of Education – New York /Boston SPT
U.S. Department of Education – Dallas SPT
U.S. Department of Education – San Francisco SPT
U.S. Department of Education – Philadelphia SPT
U.S. Department of Education – Office of Postsecondary Education
U.S. Department of Education – Administrative Actions and Appeals Division
U.S. Department of Education – Foreign Schools SPT

ACCREDITING AGENCIES

Western Association of Schools and Colleges, ACCJC
New England Association of Schools and Colleges
Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association
Northwest Association of Colleges and Schools
Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools
Commission on Massage Therapy Accreditation
National Accrediting Commission of Career Arts and Sciences
Distance Education and Training Council
Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools
Council on Occupational Education
Middle States Commission on Higher Education
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Colleges
Accrediting Council for Continuing Education and Training
Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Senior
Commission on Accreditation on Physical Therapy Education

AZ - Teri Stanfill, Arizona State Board for Private Postsecondary Education
FL - Sam Ferguson, Florida Commission for Independent Education
MD - Alan Gallegos, Maryland Higher Education Commission/Career and Workforce Education/Academic Affairs
MD - Miya Simpson, Maryland Higher Education Commission/Career and Workforce Education/Academic Affairs
OH - John Carey, Ohio Board of Regents
OH - John P. Ware, Ohio State Board of Career Colleges and Schools
PA - Patricia Landis, Pennsylvania DOE/Bureau of Postsecondary and Adult Education/Division of Higher and Career Education