

**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:** *October 21, 2014*

**Subject:** *Public Notice of Commission Action*

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF COMMISSION ACTION**

Pursuant to *Section X (C)(1), Rules of Process and Procedure, Standards of Accreditation*, the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges (ACCSC), 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 made by the Commission.

**WITHDRAWAL OF ACCREDITATION – SUBJECT TO APPEAL**

The following schools have chosen to appeal the Commission’s adverse accreditation decision. Pursuant to *Section VII(A)(2) Rules and Procedure, Standards of Accreditation*, an Accredited school remains accredited operating under a Probation Order, until the final disposition of the appeal. A summary of reasons for these actions can be found on the [Commission’s Public Notice of Withdrawal and Denial of Accreditation Actions](#).

<b>WITHDRAWAL OF ACCREDITATION – SUBJECT TO APPEAL</b>				
<b>School</b>	<b>School #</b>	<b>City, State</b>	<b>Withdrawal of Accreditation Date</b>	<b>Appeal Status</b>
Everest Institute	M000287	Cross Lanes, WV	October 10, 2014	Under Appeal
Everest Institute	B070774	Eagan, MN	October 10, 2014	Under Appeal

For information on the types of actions afforded to the ACCSC Commission under the *Standards of Accreditation*, please refer to the [ACCSC Commission Action Factsheet](#).

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](mailto:mccomis@accsc.org).

Sincerely,



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U.S. Department of Education – Chicago/Denver SPT  
U.S. Department of Education – Philadelphia SPT  
Accreditation Department, U.S. Department of Education – Office of Postsecondary Education

**STATE AGENCIES**

Minnesota Office of Higher Education - Institutional Registration & Licensing  
WV Council for Community and Technical College Education