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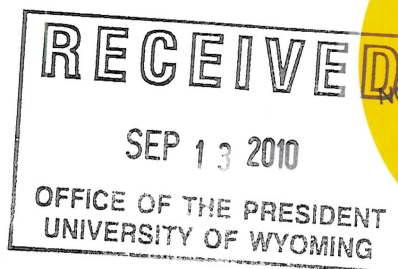
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As of July 9, 2010:

NCA Higher Learning Commission
280 S. LaSalle St., Suite 7-500
Chicago, IL 60604-1413

President Thomas Buchanan
University of Wyoming
1000 E. University Ave. Dept. 3434
Laramie, WY 82071

Dear President Buchanan:

This letter is formal notification of the action taken concerning University of Wyoming by The Higher Learning Commission. At its meeting on August 16, 2010, the Institutional Actions Council voted to continue the accreditation of University of Wyoming and to adopt any new items entered on the attached Statement of Affiliation Status (SAS). The date of this letter constitutes the effective date of your new status with the Commission.

I have enclosed your institution's *Statement of Affiliation Status (SAS)* and *Organizational Profile (OP)*. The *SAS* is a summary of your organization's ongoing relationship with the Commission. The *OP* is generated from data you provided in your most recent (2009-10) Annual Institutional Data Update. If the current Commission action included changes to the demographic, site, or distance education information you reported in your Annual Institutional Data Update, we have made the changes on the *Organizational Profile*. No other organizational information was changed.

The attached *Statement of Affiliation Status* and *Organizational Profile* will be posted to the Commission website on Tuesday, August 31st. Before this public disclosure however, I ask that you verify the information in both documents and inform Karen J. Solomon, your staff liaison, before Monday, August 30th, of any concerns that you may have about these documents. Information about notifying the public of this action is found in Chapter 8.3-3 and 8.3-4 of the *Handbook of Accreditation, Third Edition*.

Please be aware of Commission policy on planned or proposed organizational changes that require Commission action before their initiation. You will find the Commission's change policy in Chapter 7.2 of the *Handbook of Accreditation*. If you have any questions about how planned institutional changes might affect your relationship with the Commission, please write or call Karen J. Solomon.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I thank you and your associates for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Sylvia Manning
President

Enclosures: Statement of Affiliation Status
Organizational Profile

cc: Evaluation Team Members
Chair of the Board