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August 7, 2017

Dr. Betty Young President Hocking College 3301 Hocking Parkway Nelsonville, OH 45764

Dear President Young:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning Hocking College by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on July 31, 2017. The date of this action constitutes the effective date of the institution's new status with HLC.

Action with Interim Monitoring. IAC continued the accreditation of Hocking College with the next Reaffirmation of Accreditation in 2026-27. In conjunction with this action, IAC required the following interim monitoring.

Interim Report. Interim Report due 7/2/2018 on Institutional Policies and Procedures including Federal Compliance concerns re: Consistency of credit hour policy for on-line and hybrid courses; full implementation of existing policies and procedures of student complaint policy; development of policies and procedures ensuring accuracy of information re: institutional programs, fees, etc.; and publication of student data.

Focused Visit. Focused Visit by 3/2/2020: Implementation of policies and procedures addressed in 7/2/2018 report; shared governance; faculty qualifications; program review; and assessment plan.

In two weeks, this action will be added to the *Institutional Status and Requirements (ISR) Report*, a resource for Accreditation Liaison Officers to review and manage information regarding the institution's accreditation relationship. Accreditation Liaison Officers may request the ISR Report on HLC's website at http://www.hlcommission.org/isr-request.

Information on notifying the public of this action is available at http://www.hlcommission.org/HLC-Institutions/institutional-reporting-of-actions.html.

If you have any questions about these documents after viewing them, please contact the institution's staff liaison Mary Vanis. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Barbara Heerman Davley

Barbara Gellman-Danley President

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