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September 20, 2018

Dr. Cristobal Valdez
President
Richland Community College
1 College Park
Decatur, IL 62521

Dear President Valdez:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning Richland Community College by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on September 17, 2018. The date of this action constitutes the effective date of the institution's new status with HLC.

Action. IAC voted to extend the reaffirmation date for accreditation to 2023-2024 for Richland Community College. All future required accrediting pathway activities will be aligned with the new reaffirmation date.

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/Accreditation/institutional-status-and-requirements-report.html>.

Within the next 30 days, HLC will also publish information about this action on its website at <http://www.hlcommission.org/Student-Resources/recent-actions.html>.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara Gellman-Danley". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Barbara Gellman-Danley
President

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March 18, 2015

Dr. Gayle M. Saunders
President
Richland Community College
One College Park
Decatur, IL 62521-8512

Dear President Saunders:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning Richland Community College by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on March 10, 2015. 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 Richland Community College with the next Reaffirmation of Accreditation in 2022-23. In conjunction with this action, IAC required the following interim monitoring.

Interim Report. An Interim Report due 12/1/15 on general education student learning outcomes; data from general education assessment processes; and identification of targets for improvement or actions taken based upon these data.

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

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