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August 9, 2019

Dr. Larry Skogen
President
Bismarck State College
1500 Edwards Ave
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Dear President Skogen:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning Bismarck State College by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on August 6, 2019. 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 Bismarck State College with the next Reaffirmation of Accreditation in 2028-29. In conjunction with this action, IAC required the following interim monitoring:

Interim Report. An Interim Report due 10/1/2021 on institutional progress relative to the creation, assessment, and maintenance of various measures related to ensuring curriculum quality.

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 <https://www.hlcommission.org/isr-request>.

Within the next 30 days, HLC will also publish information about this action on its website at <https://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 Andrew Lootens-White. 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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