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June 7, 2019

Dr. William Tsutsui  
President  
Hendrix College  
1600 Washington  
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Dear President Tsutsui:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning Hendrix College by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on June 3, 2019. The date of this action constitutes the effective date of the institution's new status with HLC.

**Action.** IAC continued the accreditation of Hendrix 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 6/1/2020 on Assessment of Student Learning.

**Rationale:** In the institutional response, the institution provided a brief summary of assessment initiatives with significant groundwork being laid between 2009 and 2013, and more obvious progress from 2011 forward. The institution's recent Quality Initiative Report (QIR) focused on assessment, and the QIR found that the institution showed genuine effort, demonstrating the seriousness, scope and impact of the undertaking; commitment to and engagement in the initiative; and adequate resources allocated to the initiative. Given these findings together with their current status regarding assessment, IAC determined an interim report was the only monitoring necessary at this time.

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 Barbara Johnson. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara Gellman-Danley".

Barbara Gellman-Danley  
President

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