



March 16, 2015

Mr. Michael P. Schneider  
President  
McPherson College  
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Dear President Schneider:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning McPherson College by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on March 9, 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 McPherson College with the next Reaffirmation of Accreditation in 2024-25. In conjunction with this action, IAC required the focused visit be embedded as an emphasis of the visit in the Year 4 Assurance Review and Comprehensive Evaluation for the visit team to review the topics.

**Embedded Monitoring.** Year 4 Assurance Review and Comprehensive Evaluation will include an emphasis on graduate programs, assessment, planning, and distance delivery policies.

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 Steph Brzuzy. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

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

Barbara Gellman-Danley  
President

CC: ALO