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August 5, 2015

Dr. Morton O. Schapiro  
President  
Northwestern University  
633 Clark St.  
Evanston, IL 60208

Dear President Schapiro:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning Northwestern University by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on July 27, 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 Northwestern University with the next Reaffirmation of Accreditation in 2024-25. In conjunction with this action, IAC required the following interim monitoring.

**Interim Report.** An Interim Report due 6/30/16 on credit hour compliance.

**Interim Report.** An Interim Report due 6/30/16 on assessment.

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 Sunil Ahuja. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara Gellman-Danley".

Barbara Gellman-Danley  
President

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