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Dr. Matthew Wilson President University of Akron 302 East Buchtel Avenue Office of the President Akron, OH 44325-2901

Dear President Wilson:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning University of Akron by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on August 1, 2017. The date of this action constitutes the effective date of the institution's new status with HLC.

Action with Interim Monitoring. IAC accepted the team report for University of Akron. In conjunction with this action, IAC required the following interim monitoring.

Interim Report. An Interim Report due 12/31/18 on program review.

Interim Report. An Interim Report due 12/31/18 on evidence of financial stability and a long-term financial plan for funding maintenance and repair of facilities.

Interim Report. An Interim Report due 12/31/18 on shared governance and communication.

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 Mary Vanis. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Barbara Geeman Dalley

Barbara Gellman-Danley President

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