



ACCREDITING COMMISSION for COMMUNITY and JUNIOR COLLEGES
Western Association of Schools and Colleges

Richard Winn, Interim President
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March 27, 2017

Dr. Kathleen Burke
President
Pierce College
6201 Winnetka Avenue
Woodland Hills, CA 91371

Dear President Burke:

The Committee on Substantive Change of the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges met February 27, 2017 to review the Substantive Change Application from Pierce College to offer:

- Distance Education: Certificate of Achievement in International Business, Marketing, Retail Management (WAFC), and Tax Preparation.

The Committee acted to approve the substantive change.

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express appreciation for the work that the College undertook to prepare this Application for Substantive Change. If you should have any questions concerning this letter or the Committee action, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Norval L. Wellsfry".

Norval L. Wellsfry, Ed.D.
Vice President

cc: Ms. Sheri Berger, Accreditation Liaison Officer
Martina Fernandez-Rosario, U.S. Department of Education Chair, Substantive Change Committee