STATE OF COLORADO



DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

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Christopher Pena Research Analyst University of Denver 2199 South University Boulevard, 304 Mary Reed Bldg. Denver, CO 80208

Dear Mr. Pena:

We are in receipt of your annual survey, have reviewed your most recent accreditation documents, and have determined that the University of Denver continues to meet the compliance requirements promulgated by Title 23, Article 2 for authorization to operate in Colorado. Thank you for taking the time to update your institution's information.

The Colorado Commission on Higher Education has statutory responsibility for administration of Title 23, Article 2 of the Colorado Revised Statutes, (amended 2008), which authorizes certain types of institutions to offer degrees or degree credits. Persons or organizations which violate the provisions of the statute are subject to legal penalties.

Department records show the University of Denver is authorized by the Colorado Commission on Higher Education to offer postsecondary education and continues to hold institutional accreditation by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, a United States Department of Education recognized accreditation body.

If you have any questions or concerns about your authorization status, please let me know. I can be reached by phone at (303) 866-2723 or by email at heather.delange@dhe.state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Heather DeLange (

Degree Authorization Act Officer

Cc: Dr. Cheryl Lovell, Chief Academic Officer, Department of Higher Education