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Academic Affairs

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Dr. Ray Keck Interim President Texas A&M University-Commerce P.O. Box 3011 Commerce, TX 75428

Dear Dr. Keck:

Thank you for your letter of September 16, 2016, notifying the Commission of a new off-campus instructional site where students will have the opportunity to earn less than 25% of an academic program, effective spring 2017. The location of the site is:

Collin College Preston Ridge Campus 9700 Wade Blvd. Frisco, TX 75035

We accept notification and request no additional information.

If the institution begins to offer 50% or more of the credit for at least one program at an off-campus instructional site, a prospectus for approval of the site should be submitted **prior** to reaching the 50% threshold. Effective January 1, 2017, due dates for submission of a prospectus are:

July 1 for implementation January 1-June 30 of the following year January 1 for implementation July 1-December 31 of the current year

The required elements for a prospectus may be found in Appendix B of the Substantive Change for SACSCOC Accredited Institutions policy available on our website, www.sacscoc.org. Should you need assistance, please contact Dr. Mary P. Kirk at 404-679-4501, ext. 4522, or via email at mkirk@sacscoc.org.

Best regards,

Sarah L. Armstrong, Ph.D.

Director of Substantive Change

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cc: Dr. Shonda Gibson, Executive Director for Institutional Effectiveness and Research

Dr. Mary P. Kirk