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January 29, 2010

Mr. Eloy O. Oakley
Superintendent/President
Long Beach City College
4901 East Carson Street
Long Beach, CA 90808

Dear President Oakley:

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, at its meeting January 6-8, 2010, reviewed the Follow-Up Report submitted by Long Beach City College and the report of the evaluation team which visited Tuesday, November 10, 2009. The Commission took action to accept the report, **remove Warning**, and reaffirm accreditation.

The Follow-Up Report will become part of the accreditation history of the college and should be used in preparing for the next comprehensive evaluation. I have previously sent you a copy of the Evaluation Team Report. Additional copies may now be duplicated. The Commission requires that you give the report and this letter appropriate dissemination to your college staff and to those who were signatories of your college report. This group should include campus leadership and the Board of Trustees. The Commission also requires that all reports be made available to students and the public. Placing copies in the college library can accomplish this. Should you want an electronic copy of the report, please contact Commission staff.

All colleges are required to submit a Midterm Report in the third year after each comprehensive evaluation. Long Beach City College should submit the Midterm Report by **October 15, 2011**. A Midterm Report indicates resolution of any team recommendations made for improvement, includes a summary of progress on college-identified plans for improvement as expressed in the Self Study Report, and forecasts where the college expects to be by the time of the next comprehensive evaluation.

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express continuing interest in the institution's educational quality and students' success. Professional self-regulation is the most effective means of assuring institutional integrity, effectiveness, and quality.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara A. Beno".

Barbara A. Beno, Ph.D.
President

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cc: Dr. Eva Bagg, Accreditation Liaison Officer
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