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June 29, 2015

Dr. Kathleen Hart
Superintendent/President
San Joaquin Delta College
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Dear President Hart:

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, at its meeting June 3-5, 2015, reviewed the Follow-Up Report submitted by San Joaquin Delta College. The Follow-Up Report was certified by the college president, the president of the board of trustees, and faculty and student organizations.

Based on the College Follow-Up Report and evidence submitted, the Commission finds that San Joaquin Delta College has addressed College Recommendations 1 and 4 from the last comprehensive evaluation and has resolved the deficiencies in College policies, procedures, and practices which led to noncompliance with Standards II.A.2, II.A.2.e, III.A.1.b-c, III.A.2, III.A.3.a, and III.A.5.a. In addition, the College reported on work completed to address Recommendations 2 and 3 for increased institutional effectiveness.

Institutions are expected to meet Eligibility Requirements, Accreditation Standards, and Commission policies at all times during the six-year review cycle. San Joaquin Delta College must demonstrate to the Commission at the time of the Midterm Report that the recent changes implemented to resolve deficiencies and meet Eligibility Requirements and Standards have been sustained. The College should submit the **Midterm Report** by **March 15, 2017**.¹

The Follow-Up Report submitted in March 2015 will become part of the accreditation history of the College. The Commission requires that you give the Follow-Up Report and this letter appropriate dissemination to your College staff and to those who were signatories of the Follow-Up Report. This group should include the campus leadership and the Board of Trustees. The Commission also requires that these documents be made available to students and the public by placing a copy on the College website. *Please note that in response to public interest in disclosure, the Commission now requires institutions to post accreditation information on a page no more than one click from the institution's home page.*

Dr. Kathleen Hart
San Joaquin Delta College
June 29, 2015

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to encourage your continued work to ensure San Joaquin Delta College's educational quality and to support students' success. Professional self-regulation is the responsibility of an accredited college and the accreditor. Thank you for sharing in that responsibility.

Sincerely,



Barbara A. Beno, Ph.D.
President

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¹Institutions preparing and submitting Midterm Reports, Follow-Up Reports, or Special Reports to the Commission should review *Guidelines for the Preparation of Reports to the Commission* found on the ACCJC website at: (<http://www.accjc.org/college-reports-accjc>).