Middle States Commission on Higher Education
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Certification Statement:
Compliance with MSCHE Requirements of Affiliation
[For use by institutions addressing the Accreditation Standards in *Characteristics of Excellence: Requirements of Affiliation and Standards for Accreditation (12th ed., 2006)*]
Effective August 1, 2015

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(Name of Institution)

is seeking *(Check one)*: ___ Initial Accreditation
X Reaffirmation of Accreditation through Self Study
___ Reaffirmation of Accreditation through Periodic Review

An institution seeking **initial accreditation** or **reaffirmation of accreditation** must affirm that it meets or continues to meet established MSCHE Requirements of Affiliation.

This signed certification statement must be attached to the executive summary of the institution's self-study or periodic review report.

The undersigned hereby certify that the institution meets Requirements of Affiliation of the Middle States Commission on Higher Education as published in *Characteristics of Excellence: Requirements of Affiliation and Standards for Accreditation (12th ed., 2006).*

If it is not possible to certify compliance with all requirements specified herein, the institution must attach specific details in a separate memorandum.

___ Exceptions are noted in the attached memorandum *(Check if applicable)*

Patricia McGuire _____ ____1/20/2016_____
(Chief Executive Officer) (Date)

Patricia M. O'Brien SND _____ ____1/20/2016_____
(Chair, Board of Trustees or Directors) (Date)