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Dear Brad,

Greetings in our Lord Jesus Christ!

Please receive ACTEA's heartfelt congratulations to the entire ACC community for the successful completion of the full accreditation process. With fullness of joy I officially communicate to you the affirmative vote by ACTEA's Executive Committee and concomitant award of Full Accreditation Status for the post-secondary programme assessed during the November 2018 ACTEA visitation at ACC.

Since ACTEA offers programmatic rather than institutional accreditation, it is ACC's Bachelor of Theology, inclusive of all three majors, Bible & Ministry, Organizational Leadership, and Counselling, offered in the residential format, which now may be publicized as possessing 'ACTEA Full Accreditation Status.'

The final revised copy of the Visitation Report (VR) is attached (the File is dated June 2019). The final edition has been corrected and includes some clarifications in accordance with the various reviews. All accreditation notations of the Visitation Report are classified as post-accreditation notations consistent with the first draft copy which ACC reviewed. The post-accreditation notations must be addressed within the time frames specified by the VR.

The period of ACTEA Accreditation lasts ten years. To maintain full accreditation, ACC must submit an Annual Report demonstrating that the College is maintaining accreditation standards (as well as removing the post-accreditation notations). In addition to the Annual Report ACC must also meet annual financial obligations. Please note that the ACTEA Executive Committee has established the general policy that any institution which fails to meet the annual financial obligations for two consecutive years will be stripped of their accreditation status and would be required to apply afresh to regain their former accreditation status. These stipulations serve to enhance the integrity of ACTEA accreditation so that member institutions may value the recognized status of their programmes.

In addition to the benefits of accreditation services, networking with African colleagues in theological education, and capacity-building services which ACTEA co-sponsors with international partners, ACC, now an ACTEA member with a fully accredited programme, is eligible to be represented at the ACTEA Council, the highest governance organ of ACTEA. The ACTEA office will also orient ACC to the current policies with respect to participation on the Council.

Lastly, ACTEA prays that ACTEA Accreditation may be an avenue for enrichment in fulfilling your mission of equipping men and women for excellent service for the glory of God. May the joy of the Lord abound to the ACC community in your significant achievement and use ACC for his glory in Eswatini and throughout Africa.

In His service,

(Revd Dr) David Tarus

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