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## Notice of Official Comment to Commission Action: Withdrawal of Accreditation

(34 CFR §602.26(d) and NACCAS Rules of Practice and Procedure Section 11.6)

Case Management Team – San Francisco

July 18, 2016

### School Filing Official Comment

Santa Clara Beauty College  
2630 El Camino Real  
Santa Clara, CA 95051  
**Ref. # 014393-00**

### Notes:

- The Institution was notified by letter dated June 10, 2016 that its accreditation was withdrawn (all appeal rights exhausted) for failure to submit audited financial statements, as required by NACCAS' Rules of Practice & Procedure – *Rules of Practice and Procedure Section 5.1(a)*
- The Institution was further notified of its right to file written comments on this decision within sixty (60) days, and that such comments would be made available to the public.
- The United States Department of Education was notified of the Commission's action by E-Notice dated June 10, 2016.
- The attached Official Comment of the Institution was received by NACCAS on July 1, 2016.

### To The Following:

#### United States Department of Education

- Ms. Kathleen Hochhalter- Special Assistant-- Administrative Actions & Appeals Division
- Ms. Susan Crim- Director-- Administrative Actions & Appeals Division

- Department of Education Accreditation Division- USDOE-- Washington, DC
- Ms. Cathy Sheffield- Accreditation & State Liaison Office-- USDOE--- Washington, DC
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### **Accreditors**

- Mr. Bill Larkin- Executive Director-- ACCET
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### **State Authorities**

- Ms. Kristy Underwood- CA Board of Barbering & Cosmetology-- Sacramento, CA
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