



AMENDED NOTICE TO COMPLY

CA-1900941- 082024

Institution Name:	Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising	Institution Telephone:	(213) 624-1200
Institution Code:	1900941	Administrator Name:	Lisa Schoening
Street Address:	919 S. Grand Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90015	Inspection Date:	08/20/2024

The Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (Bureau) issues this Notice to Comply pursuant to California Education Code (CEC) section 94935 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations (5 CCR) section 75010.

California Private Postsecondary Education Act: https://www.bppe.ca.gov/lawsregs/ppe_act.pdf
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Violation	Code Section Violated	Description of the violation and required correction.
1	CEC § 94897(I)	<p>Violation Description: The institution's catalog included the statement that FIDM is approved by the BPPE, however failed to state clearly and conspicuously what approval to operate means.</p> <p>Correction: The institution's catalog shall update the above information, pursuant to CEC § 94897 (I).</p>
2	CEC § 94909 (a)(15).	<p>Violation Description: On page 184 of the Institution's catalog the institution inserted the institution's name within the section of the disclosure that requires the "name of the educational program" or if institution offers more than one educational program, "the educational program" may be inserted.</p> <p>Correction: The institution shall update the disclosure on page 184 of the catalog, pursuant to CEC § 94909 (a)(15).</p>

Violation	Code Section Violated	Description of the violation and required correction.
3	CEC § 94909 (a)(9) in conjunction with 5 CCR § 76120 (a)	<p>Violation Description: On page 171 of the institution's catalog, the institution failed to include the current STRF assessment fee, which is zero dollars (\$0.00) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000) of institutional charges.</p> <p>Correction: The institution shall update the catalog to reflect the current STRF assessment fee which is zero dollars (\$0.00) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000) of institutional charges, pursuant to CEC § 94909 (a)(9) and 5 CCR § 76120 (a).</p>
4	5 CCR § 71800 (b)	<p>Violation Description: The institution's enrollment agreement failed to include the period covered by the enrollment agreement.</p> <p>Correction: The institution shall update the enrollment agreement to include the period covered by the enrollment agreement, pursuant to 5, CCR § 71800 (b).</p>
5	CEC § 94909 (a)(15)	<p>Violation Description: Page 5 of the Institution's enrollment agreement contains the institution's name within the section of the disclosure that requires the name of the educational program or if institution offers more than one educational program, "the educational program" may be inserted.</p> <p>Correction: The institution shall update the disclosure on page 7 of the institution's enrollment agreement, pursuant to CEC § 94909 (a)(15).</p>
6	CEC § 94913 (a)(5)	<p>Violation Description: The institution's website failed to include the institution's most recent annual report submitted to the bureau for year 2022.</p> <p>Correction: The institution shall update its website to include the most recent annual report submitted to the bureau, pursuant to CEC § 94913 (a)(5).</p>

Pursuant to 5 CCR section 75010(d), the Institution may do either of the following:

- (1) Within 30 days from the date of the inspection, sign and return the notice to comply, declaring under penalty of perjury that the violation was corrected and describing how compliance was achieved; or

(2) Within 30 days from the date of the inspection, file with the Bureau a written notice of disagreement, specifying the minor violations described in the notice to comply with which the person approved to operate the institution disagrees, and appealing it by requesting an informal office conference. If a written notice of disagreement is not timely filed with the Bureau, the right to appeal is deemed to have been waived.

Pursuant to CEC section 94935(h), failure to comply with the notice to comply will result in the Bureau taking appropriate administrative enforcement action.

The Notice to Comply was given to the Institution's owner, person in control, chief academic officer, chief executive officer, chief operating officer, institution director, or any person delegated by any of the aforementioned persons to facilitate the inspection or accept such notice as set forth below.

Notice To Comply Given To Name & Title:	Barbara Bundy
Bureau Compliance Analyst Name:	Gurinder Sandhu
Bureau Compliance Analyst Signature:	<i>gSandhu</i>

NOTICE TO COMPLY DECLARATION

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I declare under penalty of perjury that each violation identified in this Notice to Comply has been corrected and attached with this declaration is evidence to support the correction of each violation identified.

Signature

Date

Print Name and Title