



NOTICE TO COMPLY

CA-3703971-07162026

Institution Name:	California Hair Design Academy	Institution Telephone:	(619) 461-8600
Street Address:	8011 University Avenue, Suite A-2, La Mesa, CA 91942	Administrator Name:	Len Steinbarth
Institution Code:	3703971	School Code:	3703971
Inspection Date:	July 16, 2026		

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 § 94913 (a)(1)	Violation Description: The institution's website (https://chdaschools.com/bppe-naccas/bppe-information/) contains a catalog with violations identified in this NTC. Correction: Once the institution's catalog has been updated to remedy the violations, the institution shall update its website to provide the current/updated school catalog pursuant to CEC § 94913 (a)(1).
2	CEC § 94897 (l)	Violation Description: The institution's website (https://chdaschools.com/faqs/) under the "Is CHDA an accredited school?" tab claims and uses the term BPPE "approval" without clearly stating that Bureau approval means compliance with state standards as set forth in the CEC and 5, CCR. Correction: The institution shall either remove the non-compliant statement from its website or fix the statement

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		to add that Bureau approval means compliance with state standards as set forth in the CEC and 5, CCR.
3	CEC § 94909 (a)(12)	Violation Description: Although page 3 of the institution's 2026 catalog includes portions of the required bankruptcy disclosure, it does not contain the full statement required. "Whether or not the institution has a pending petition in bankruptcy, is operating as a debtor in possession, has filed a petition within the preceding five years, or has had a petition in bankruptcy filed against it within the preceding five years that resulted in reorganization under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. Sec. 1101 et seq.)." Correction: The institution shall update its catalog to include the above-mentioned required statement.

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:	Len Steinbarth, Owner
Bureau Compliance Analyst Name:	Beverly Tjokrosoeharto
Bureau Compliance Analyst Signature:	

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