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Dear Lt. Col. Hutton:

This letter is formal notification of the action taken by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) at its meeting on March 3-4, 2016. The Board of Commissioners received, reviewed, and accepted the Follow-Up Report of the associate nursing program, removed the conditions status, and affirmed the next visit for Spring 2021.

Deliberations centered on the Follow-Up Report and the recommendation of the Evaluation Review Panel. (See Summary of Deliberations and Recommendation of the Evaluation Review Panel.)

On behalf of the Board of Commissioners, we thank you and your colleagues for your commitment to quality nursing education. If you have questions about this action or about ACEN policies and procedures, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Marsal P. Stoll, EdD, MSN
Chief Executive Officer

Enc. Summary of Deliberations of the Evaluation Review Panel

**SUMMARY OF DELIBERATIONS AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE
ASSOCIATE EVALUATION REVIEW PANEL
FALL 2015 FOLLOW-UP REPORTS**

**BLINN COLLEGE
BRYAN, TX**

Accreditation Status

Last Evaluation Visit: Spring 2013

Last Commission Action: July 2013

Continuing accreditation with conditions as the program is in non-compliance with one (1) Accreditation Standard.

Follow-Up Report due in Fall 2015 addressing:

- Standard 6 Outcomes, Criteria 6.1, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4, 6.5.2, 6.5.3, and 6.5.4 (2008 Standards and Criteria)

Next visit in Spring 2021 if the Report is accepted by the Board of Commissioners.

Evaluation Review Panel Summary

Recommendation:

Accept the Follow-Up Report.