



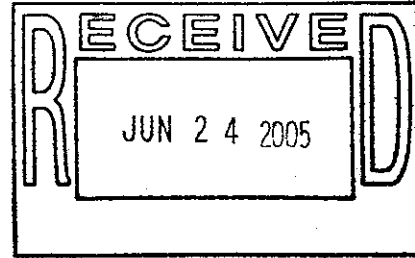
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Dr. Bernard Lander
President
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Dear President Lander:

At its session on June 15, 2005, the Committee on Substantive Change, on behalf of the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, acted to acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request submitted by Touro College and to include the Master of Business Administration degree program offered in conjunction with Moscow University Touro in Moscow, Russia, within the scope of the institution's accreditation. To remind the institution that a monitoring report is due by March 1, 2006, documenting: (1) development of measurable institutional goals and objectives stated as outcomes, (2) institution-wide and coordinated planning processes, with faculty involvement, which links long-range planning to the budgeting process, (3) evidence of methods of assessment of institutional effectiveness and student learning at the institution, program, and course levels, (4) development of an institution-wide faculty hiring plan, consistent with stated institutional goals and objectives, and (5) development of a plan for student support services, including steps taken to provide online registration. A small team visit will follow submission of the report. The Periodic Review Report is due June 1, 2009.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the Statement of Accreditation Status for your institution. The Statement of Accreditation Status (SAS) provides important basic information about the institution and its affiliation with the Commission, and it is made available to the public upon request. Accreditation applies to the institution as detailed in the SAS; institutional information is derived from data provided by the institution through annual reporting and from Commission actions. If any of the institutional information is incorrect, please contact the Commission as soon as possible.

Please check to ensure that published references to your institution's accredited status (catalog, other publications, web page) include the full name, address, and telephone number of the accrediting agency. Further guidance is provided in the Commission's policy statement, *Institutional Advertising, Student Recruitment, and Representation of Accredited Status*, a copy of which is enclosed.

Please be assured of the continuing interest of the Commission on Higher Education in the well-being of Touro College. If any further clarification is needed regarding the SAS or other items in this letter, please feel free to contact Dr. Elizabeth H. Sibolski, Executive Associate Director.

Sincerely,

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Executive Director
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