



DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
GENERAL COUNSEL DIVISION

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Re: Euclid University
DOJ File No. 575-005-GG0697-13

Dear Mr. Tollefsen:

Thank you for your letter from July 10, 2013. I apologize for my delay in responding to your letter. The Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC) has experienced a change in personnel [REDACTED]

As you are aware the Office of Degree Authorization (ODA) maintained an on-line list of schools the degrees from which are not authorized for use in Oregon without a disclaimer. The HECC no longer maintains the on-line list but does provide information to persons who seek general information on accreditation and use of degrees in Oregon. You can view the website at <http://oregonstudentaid.gov/oda.aspx>.

Finally, your letter indicates that you remain concerned that the HECC did not provide you with all non-exempt records in response to your 2011 public records request. The response you received from ODA dated June 29, 2012, suggested that redacted documents would be provided to you in addition to the documents provided with that letter. I have been working with staff affiliated with ODA to determine whether there are any additional records to provide to you because there are no further records responsive to your request or because the HECC is claiming an exemption. It is my understanding that there were no more non-exempt records to provide to you, and the June 29 letter was a miscommunication, but I am confirming that. If there is a claim for an exemption, the commission will contact you directly and describe the basis for the exemption. If you are no longer interested in the records because the on-line list has been taken down, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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