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Dr. Belle Wheelan
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
Commission on Colleges
1866 Southern Lane
Decatur, GA 30033

Dear Dr. Wheelan:

Please be informed that one of Lanier Technical College's approved off-site locations – Jackson Comprehensive High School – is to be renamed as the Empower College & Career Academy. To the best of my knowledge, this name change will be effective July 1, 2021.

Additionally, this letter is a notification that Lanier Technical College plans to begin offering two technical certificate of credit programs for dual enrollment high school students at the Academy: Nurse Aide TCC and Technical Specialist TCC, beginning in the fall 2021 semester. The Commission has previously approved the college to offer both of these programs. Lanier Technical College has negotiated with the Jackson County School System to ensure that all necessary equipment, as specified by the LTC Program Coordinator, will be purchased and in place for instruction when the program opens.

Please respond with a letter indicating the Commission's judgment regarding LTC offering this program expansion.

Should you have any questions, please contact our Accreditation Liaison, Dr. Joanne Tolleson, at jtolleson@laniertech.edu or (678) 341-6640.

Sincerely,



Dr. Ray Perren, President
Lanier Technical College

cc: Dr. Joanne Tolleson