November 09, 2017

Sister M. Elise Kriss President University of Saint Francis 2701 Spring Street Fort Wayne, IN 46808

Dear Sister Kriss:

The Accreditation Council of the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP) met on October 23, 2017, and I am pleased to inform you that the following accreditation status has been granted:

The Department of Education at University of Saint Francis is granted **accreditation for seven years** with areas for improvement (AFIs).

Details of the accreditation status are provided in the enclosed Accreditation Action Report. The enclosed Information on CAEP Accreditation provides further information on the CAEP process and provider responsibilities during the accreditation term.

Congratulations on your accreditation achievement. We appreciate your cooperation and commitment to CAEP Accreditation.

Sincerely yours,

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Christopher A. Koch, Ed.D. President

Enclosures: Accreditation Action Report, Certificate of Accreditation (sent to provider leadership), and Information on CAEP Accreditation

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