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**Commission for Independent Education
Meeting**

Mission Resort and Club
10400 County Road 48,
Howey-In-The-Hills, FL 34737
352-324-3101
July 30, 2026
Beginning at 9:00 A.M.

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

II. WELCOME

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES May 28, 2026 May 29, 2026

IV. REPORTS

A. Executive Director Report

1. Student Protection Fund

2. Citations

B. Legal Counsel Report

V. INFORMAL HEARING

1. JB FUST-Florida University of Science and Theology llc, Orlando - #13060

VI. IMPROPER SCHOOL CLOSURE

1. JB American College of Applied Science, Inc., Crescent City - #3145

VII. FINAL ORDERS

1. JB FUST- American Christian School, Orlando - #13488
2. JB Justee College, Ft. Pierce - #9069
3. SS Veni Creator Christian University, Celebration - #7622

VIII. DEGREE INSTITUTIONAL LICENSURE ISSUES

A. Institutions Ordered to Submit Reports to the Commission

1. BH Aspatria Institute, Jacksonville - #10300
2. CS Cambridge College of Health Care & Technology, Delray Beach - #2843
3. BH Florida Christian University, Orlando - #6361
4. ABS International Institute of Clinical Sexology, Miami Shores - #5475
5. BD New Professions Technical Institute, Inc., Miami - #1556
6. CS Panamerican University, Coral Gables - #10198
7. SB Pulse Radiology Institute, St. Augustine - #7806

B. Application for Provisional Licensure

1. ABS Avila University, Miami - #13568
2. ABS Caelum University, Jacksonville - #13723
On-Line Delivery
3. BD Cedarville University, Clearwater - #13682
On-Line Delivery

4. MMB Florida Business & Technology University, Miami - #13572
On-Line Delivery
5. SB Incae Business School, Miami - #13728
On-Line Delivery
6. CS Miami Metropolitan University, Ft. Lauderdale - #13722
On-Line Delivery
7. MMB MILA University College of Higher Education, Sunny Isles Beach - #13645
On-Line Delivery
8. VS Unifour University, Miami - #13708
On-Line Delivery
9. BH University of East London Americas, Fort Lauderdale - #13687
On-Line Delivery

C. Return to Annual License

1. AS Essential School of Nursing, Inc., Miami Gardens - #6219
On-Line Delivery
New Programs:
Home Health Aide - 165 Hours – Diploma
Medical Assistant – 600 Hours – Diploma
Patient Care Assistant – 600 Hours – Diploma
Phlebotomy – 165 Hours - Diploma

D. Application for Annual License

1. AKS CEO US University, Orlando - #13310
2. VS Florida Coastal University, Jacksonville - #13279
3. BD Florida Tech University, Jacksonville - #13324
4. AS Stride University, Orlando - #13289

E. Application for Extension of Annual License

(NONE)

F. Application for Annual Renewal

1. AS Active Health Institute, Inc., Miami - #3430
2. BH Aden University, Coral Gables - #5480
3. ABS Broward International University, Miami - #4619
4. AS Carver University, Orlando - #12743
New Programs:
Artificial Intelligence, Law and Digital Governance - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Business Analytics and Data Science - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Circular Economy - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Cybersecurity - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Geriatrics and Gerontology - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Human Resources Management - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
International Relations - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
5. JB College of Health and Allied Development, West Palm Beach - #5126
6. VS CUC University, Doral - #11411
7. BD Eagle Nursing School, Tampa - #12871
8. ABS Evidentia University of Behavioral and Forensic Sciences, Kissimmee - #9097
9. ABS Excelsior University, St. Petersburg - #12928
10. CS Florida College of Integrative Medicine, Orlando - #2621
11. ABS Florida Global University, Doral - #3180
12. MMB Hearts Associates Institute, Boynton Beach - #7925
13. AKS International College of Health Sciences, Boynton Beach - #4655
14. SB Jose Maria Vargas University, Pembroke Pines - #2788
15. ABS Kepler Space University, Bradenton - #6133
16. MMB Learning Alliance Corporation, Tampa - #5422
17. VS Miami Technology & Arts University, Coral Gables - #6477

18. ABS Modern Sex Therapy Institutes, West Palm Beach - #6467
19. AS North Palm College of Nursing, Altamonte Springs - #11493
20. KJ Palm Beach University, West Palm Beach - #8968
21. AS Renaissance Career Institute, North Miami Beach - #7944
22. BD The Roskamp Institute, Inc., Sarasota - #12963
23. MMB UTH Florida University, Miami - #5315
 - On-Line Delivery
 - New Programs:
 - Artificial Intelligence in Business - 42 Credit Hours - Masters - New
 - Digital Marketing - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors - New
 - Educational Leadership - 42 Credit Hours - Masters - New
 - Logistics Management - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors - New
 - Project Management - 42 Credit Hours - Masters - New

G. Application for License by Means of Accreditation

1. CS Hope College of Arts and Sciences, Pompano Beach - #4548

H. Annual Review of License By Means of Accreditation

1. KJ Activa Training Center, Miami - #5829
2. BH Babson College, Miami - #5832
3. ABS Chi University, Reddick - #5319
4. KJ Larkin University, Miami - #5133
5. ABS Millennia Atlantic University, Doral - #3384
6. VS National Aviation Academy, Clearwater - #1785
7. AS NRI Institute of Health Sciences, Wellington - #1768
8. BD Ultimate Medical Academy, Clearwater - #1606
9. BD Ultimate Medical Academy Online, Tampa - #4379

I. Application for Program Approvals/Modifications

1. MMB Shenandoah Medical University, West Palm Beach - #12958
On-Line Delivery
Home Health Aide - 75 Hours - Diploma - New
Nursing Assistant - 120 Hours - Diploma - New
Phlebotomy Technician - 120 Hours - Diploma - New
2. BH Summa University, Doral - #5790
On-Line Delivery
New Programs:
AI Applied to Education - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Educational Innovation and Digital Transformation - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Educational Psychology and Cognitive Development - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Human Rights - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
International Cooperation - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Public Policy - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Software Engineering - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Student Well-Being and Learning Support - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
3. RD Universal Technical Institute South Florida, LLC, Miramar - #9036
Aviation Maintenance Technology – 1950 Clock Hours/69 Credit Hours – Occupational Associate Degree - New
4. KJ Westcliff University, Orlando - #11421
Artificial Intelligence (MSAI) - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Computer Science (DCS) - 60 Credit Hours - Doctoral - New
Data Science (DDSci) - 60 Credit Hours - Doctoral - New
Information Technology (DIT) - 60 Credit Hours - Doctoral - New
5. MMB Woodmont College, North Miami Beach - #4600
On-Line Delivery
Accounting - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors - New
Business - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors - New
Psychology - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors - New

J. Motion for Extension of License

1. SB Metropolitan International University, Pembroke Pines - #5079

K. Motion for Request for Extension of Time to Comply with Contingencies

1. VS Dragon Rises College of Oriental Medicine, Bradenton - #12582

2. BD Fortis College, Orange Park - #2090

L. Substantive Change Approval

1. AS FVI School of Nursing and Technology, Miami - #3441
(Accreditation)
2. AS FVI School of Nursing and Technology, Miramar - #6010
(Accreditation)
3. CS Hajjden International College, Orlando - #5486
(Other)
4. BD Kennedy University of Leadership, Miami - #12748
(Financial Soundness)
5. SB Meridian West Central College, Sarasota - #7814
(Other)
(Purpose)
(Credentials)
New Programs:
Advanced Renal Care Technician - 650 Hours/5 Credit Hours - Diploma - New
Behavioral Health & Human Services- Generalist - 1490 Hours/68 Credit Hours -
Associate of Applied Science - New
Bitcoin-Blockchain Analytics - 51 Credit Hours - Masters - New
Care Coordination / Patient Navigation - 608 Hours/5 Credit Hours - Diploma -
New
Chronic Kidney Disease Management - 600 Hours/5 Credit Hours - Diploma -
New
Clinical Hemodialysis Technician - 645 Hours/8 Credit Hours - Diploma - New
Clinical Medical Assistant - 600 Hours/8 Credit Hours - Diploma - New
Data Analytics - 1025 Hours/68 Credit Hours - Associate of Applied Science -
New
Obstetric Technician - 608 Hours/6 Credit Hours - Diploma - New
Renal Care Technology - 1440 Hours/63 Credit Hours - Associate of Applied
Science – New

6. ABS Orlando Medical Institute, Orlando - #3264
 (Credentials)
 New Programs:
 Dental Assisting - 915 Hours/30.5 Credit Hours - Diploma - New
 Dental Assisting - 1410 Hours/60.5 Credit Hours - Associate in Science - New
 Healthcare Management - 62 Credit Hours - Associate in Science - New
 Medical Assisting - 915 Hours/32.5 Credit Hours - Diploma - New
 Medical Assisting - 1410 Hours/62.5 Credit Hours - Associate in Science - New
 Medical Billing & Coding Specialist - 930 Hours/37 Credit Hours - Diploma - New
 Practical Nursing - 1350 Hours - Diploma - New
 RN to BSN - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors - New
7. BD Orlando School of Nursing, Lake Mary - #12838
 (Financial Soundness)
8. BD University of Technology Entrepreneurship and Leadership, Doral - #13016
 (Credentials)
 On-Line Delivery
 Business Administration - 60 Credit Hours - Doctoral - New
 Business Analytics and Data Science - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
 Educational Leadership - 60 Credit Hours - Doctoral - New
 Executive Master of Business Administration - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
 Industrial Engineering - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors - New
 Marketing - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors - New
 Project Management - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
 Software Engineering and Management - 36 Credit Hours - Masters - New
 Technology Management and Innovation - 60 Credit Hours - Doctoral - New

M. Branch Campus Applications

(NONE)

N. Name Change

(NONE)

O. Religious Colleges - Sworn Affidavits Submitted

1. SS Agathon University of Applied Faith, Mary Esther
2. SS American Bible University, Inc., Jacksonville
3. SS American University of Religious Awareness, Altamonte Springs
4. SS Anchor Christian University, Vero Beach
5. SS Berakah International Theological Seminary, Jacksonville
6. SS Bethel Ministries International Inc (BMI) University, Bushnell
7. SS Blue Christian University, Miramar
8. SS Bodhisastra University, Miami
9. SS Bible Seminary of Faith Institute (B.S.F.I), Sanford
10. SS Bishop's Teacher College, Clearwater
11. SS Bread of Life Church Bible College, Ft. Pierce
12. SS Charis Bible College, Sanford
13. SS CUFS University Advanced Studies in Theology and Ethics, North Miami
14. SS Dhikra University of Theology and Religion, St. Petersburg
15. SS Eagle Christian International University, Davenport
16. SS FaithBridge Bible University, Boca Raton
17. SS Florida International Seminary, San Antonio
18. SS Harvesttime Bible Institute and Seminary, Ft. Pierce
19. SS Higher Dimension Christian College, Lakeland
20. SS In His Hands International Bible College, Stuart
21. SS Ivy Enber Christian University, Orlando
22. SS Jehovah Bible Based Theological Seminary, Sanford
23. SS John Hobson Ministries Bible Training Center, Daytona Beach
24. SS Kairos University, Ft. Myers
25. SS Life House Christian University, Orlando
26. SS Living Stones Christian University Inc, St. Petersburg
27. SS Manna University, Niceville
28. SS MICAR Chaplain International, Kissimmee
29. SS New Day Mercies Bible Institute, Inc., Haines City
30. SS New Life Seminary and Training Institute Inc, Pompano Beach
31. SS North Florida Christian College & Theological Seminary, Tallahassee
32. SS Northpoint Christian University, Orlando
33. SS Northwestern Christian University, Spring Hill
34. SS Northwestern Theological Seminary, Spring Hill
35. SS Raising Phoenix Temple University, Wesley Chapel
36. SS Redime Christian University, Orlando
37. SS Reformed Theological Seminary of Florida, Inc., Oviedo
38. SS Rise and Shine Christian Academy Inc., South Bay
39. SS River School of Ministry, West Palm Beach
40. SS Sai Ayurvedic Institute, Hollywood
41. SS Saint Lukes College of Theology, Ocala
42. SS SEBTS/C@SE Field Minister Program,
43. SS SEMINARIO REFORMADO LATINOAMERICANO, Ocala
44. SS Shalom Theological University, Miami
45. SS Southeast Christian College, Leesburg
46. SS Talmudic College of Florida, Miami Beach
47. SS The Institute for Clinical Pastoral Training, Clermont
48. SS Yeshiva Metaversity LLC, Jacksonville

P. Agent Training Programs

(NONE)

IX. RECESS