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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**

**September 26, 2025
Beginning at 9:00 A.M.**

Agenda

X. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

XI. WELCOME

XII. INTRODUCTION OF VISITORS

**Tiffany Hurst, Executive Director
Commission for Independent Education**

XIII. INFORMAL HEARING

1. JB Florida HealthCare Academy, Orlando - #5971

XIV. FINAL ORDER

1. JB Beacon Hill Career Training, Fort Lauderdale - #5636
2. JB Miami Technical Institute, Miami - #5209
3. JB OceanPointe Dental Academy of North Florida, Jacksonville - #7763
4. JB Sunshine Training Center, North Miami Beach - #3216

XV. IMPROPER SCHOOL CLOSURE

1. JB Center for Professional Training and Development, Orlando - #2786
2. JB Eternity Cosmetology School Corp., West Palm Beach - #2852
3. JB Glensford Beauty Academy, Tampa - #5341
4. JB Vocational Training Institute, Inc., Greenacres - #3790

XVI. NON-DEGREE INSTITUTIONAL LICENSURE ISSUES

A. Institutions Ordered to Appear Back Before The Commission

1. MMB Emergency Training Academy, Miami - #4770
2. ABS Medical Institute of Palm Beach, Inc., Greenacres - #3263
3. AKS Miami Ad School, Miami - #3086
4. KJ Nouveau Contour Academy, Orlando - #4028
5. SB Professional Academy of Health, Kissimmee - #3128
6. ABS Smart Horizons Institute, Pace - #4498

7. AKS TI Institute, Orlando - #7705
8. SB Word of Life Bible Institute, Hudson - #4602

B. Application for Provisional Licensure

1. SB 1st Class CDL Truck Training, Tampa - #13252
2. BH Acqua Esthetics Academy LLC, Kissimmee - #13343
3. BD Amazing Smile Dental Assisting School, Sanford - #13369
On-Line Delivery
4. MMB Barber Zone Academy, Lakeland - #13055
5. ABS Beauty Pro Academy, Plantation - #13390
6. ABS CDL Training of Tampa, Tampa - #13432
7. MMB East Coast Training Group, Palm City - #13329
8. AS Fenix Truck School LLC, Jacksonville - #13368
9. BD K & E Medical Training Center, Lehigh Acres - #13386
10. BD New Beauty Company Aesthetics Academy, St. Johns - #13029
11. BD RC Health Services EMS Academy, Jacksonville - #13459
On-Line Delivery
12. MMB Underwater Academy, Jacksonville - #13140
13. KJ West Florida Professional Center, Punta Gorda - #13151

C. Return to Annual License

1. KJ Florida Massage and Beauty Institute, Tampa - #4477
2. MMB Miami Jewelry Institute, Miami - #65
3. BD Robert Fiance Beauty Schools, Boynton Beach - #6380
4. MMB The Commercial Driver's License School, Miami - #1431

D. Application for Annual License

1. BD Barber Academy by Sean Casey, Fort Myers Beach - #12978
2. KJ CW Training Academy, Daytona Beach - #11418
3. ABS Healthcare Educational Center of Florida, Kissimmee - #12941
4. BD Orlando Health School of Health Sciences, Orlando - #12858

E. Application for Extension of Annual License
(NONE)

F. Application for Annual Renewal

1. AS AB Academy, Orlando - #10296
2. ABS Ability Career Institute, Stuart - #4649
3. MMB Advanced Health Care Institute, Tamarac - #4459
4. MMB Affordable Training, Jacksonville - #2829
5. BD Applied Technology Academy, Fort Walton Beach - #7734
6. MMB Calypso Pro Dive Academy, Tampa - #8992
New Program:
Instructor Development Course (IDC) – 72 Clock Hours - Diploma
7. ABS Career Tech, Lakeland - #4325
8. BH Center for Technology Training, Tampa - #3094
9. VS Chic Image Academy, Tampa - #6444
10. BH Clarkes Cosmetology School, Lakeland - #10149
New Program:
Nail Specialist - 240 Hours - Diploma - New

11. BH Commonsense Childbirth School of Midwifery, Winter Garden - #4052
12. VS Crystal River Health & Rehabilitation Center School of Health Sciences, Crystal River
#6252
13. BH Easy Hair Beauty and Barber School, Orlando - #4373
14. VS eMerge Career Education, Tampa - #9112
New Program:
IT Associate- CompTIA - 144 Hours - Diploma
15. KJ ESS Academy, Tarpon Springs - #5198
16. SB Florida Bartending School, Melbourne - #5452
17. VS Florida Bartending School, Orange Park - #5208
18. BD Florida Institute of Ultrasound, Inc., Pensacola - #2115
19. ABS Fmor Skin Care Institute, Orlando - #7684
20. MMB Gulf Coast Academy, Ft. Myers - #5222
New Programs:
Electrology Hybrid - 320 Hours - Diploma
Facial Specialist Hybrid - 220 Hours - Diploma
On-Line Delivery
21. ABS Investigative Training, LLC, North Palm Beach - #3978
22. VS Medical Training Institute Inc., Lake Worth - #6518
23. BD Meraki Esthetics Institute, Altamonte Springs - #11483
24. ABS Neo Aesthetics & Medical International Academy, Hallandale Beach - #7661
25. ABS Northwest Lineman Center, Edgewater - #5447
26. VS OneStop Institute LLC, Lakeland - #9090
27. VS Oriental Beauty School, Hialeah - #3490
28. MMB Palmetto Medical Institute, Palmetto Bay - #11381
29. AS Paul Mitchell The School Sarasota, Sarasota - #11374

30. BD PBCMSS Institute for Learning, West Palm Beach - #10238
31. KJ PC Professor, West Palm Beach - #2153
32. KJ PC Professor, Boca Raton - #1590
33. VS Polished Nail Academy, LLC, Ocala - #7844
34. BH Pro-Nails & Beauty School, Inc., Orlando - #3111
35. BD Sea Experience Diving Schools, Ft. Lauderdale - #4610
36. AKS Second Harvest Food Bank Culinary Training Program, Orlando - #5672
37. BD South Florida Academy of Air Conditioning, Fort Lauderdale - #4564
38. VS The Academy, Miami - #3051
New Program:
AI Engineer - 360 Hours - Diploma
On-Line Delivery
39. BD The Healthcare Assisting and Team Institute, Palm Beach Gardens - #7917
New Programs:
Home Health Aide - 75 Hours - Diploma
Nursing Assistant - 120 Hours - Diploma
Program Modification:
Phlebotomy Technician - 104 Hours - Diploma
On-Line Delivery
40. MMB The Lighthouse Medical Academy, Longwood - #3460
41. MMB Truck Driver Institute, Milton - #2437
42. SB Vision Nail Academy, Inc., St. Petersburg - #5189
43. MMB Vocational Academy of Makeup and Prosthetics, Orlando - #5527
44. MMB World of Beauty Academy, Orlando - #4992
45. VS World Trichology Academy, Jacksonville - #9143
46. VS Zeal Technical Institute, North Fort Myers - #4651

G. Application for License by Means of Accreditation

1. AS Aveda Institute – Brandon, Brandon - #7682
2. ABS Elevate Salon Institute - Miami Beach, Miami Beach - #6438
3. AS Hollywood Career Institute, Hollywood - #5721
4. SB Institute of Health Careers, Inc., Lehigh Acres - #5511
5. ABS Treasure Coast Medical and Fire Institute, Ft. Pierce - #5638

H. Annual Review of License By Means of Accreditation

1. ABS American Academy of Cosmetology, Orange Park - #3158
2. AS Aveda Institute - Fort Myers, Ft. Myers - #1171
3. MMB Center For Neurosomatic Studies, Clearwater - #4768
4. VS F.I.R.S.T. Institute, Orlando - #3250
5. MMB Florida Academy of Health & Beauty, Oakland Park - #2066
6. VS Florida Barber Academy, Plantation - #2170
7. MMB National Personal Training Institute of Tampa, Tampa - #3997
8. MMB National Personal Training Institute, Inc., Orlando - #2442
9. VS Nouvelle Institute, Hialeah - #2074
10. VS Nouvelle Institute, Miami - #1393
11. MMB Pets Playground Grooming School, Inc., Pompano Beach - #2359
12. ABS Ruben's Five Star Academy, Lake Wales - #5487
13. MMB Sarasota School of Massage Therapy, Sarasota - #2281
14. JB South Florida Institute of Technology, Miami - #2003
15. ABS Summit Salon Academy, Tampa - #3303
16. ABS Summit Salon Academy-Gainesville, Gainesville - #3388

17. VS The Beauty Institute, West Palm Beach - #1939
18. ABS The Salon Professional Academy - Melbourne, Melbourne - #2787

I. Application for Program Approvals/Modifications

1. ABS A1 Allied Health Training, West Palm Beach - #12682
Home Health Aide - 75 Hours - Diploma - New
Nursing Assistant - 125 Hours - Diploma - New
Phlebotomy Technician - 166 Hours - Diploma - New
2. MMB Dental Training for You, Casselberry - #12533
Dental Administrative Assistant - 120 Hours - Diploma - New
Dental Insurance and Billing Specialist - 120 Hours - Diploma - New
Dental Laboratory Assistant - 164 Hours - Diploma - New
Expanded Functions Dental Assistant (EFDA) – On-the-Job Training - 160 Hours - Diploma - New
On-Line Delivery
3. VS Donatello School of Nursing and Healthcare, Apopka - #9048
Medical Assistant - 900 Hours - Diploma - New
4. KJ Gulfside Medical Training Institute, Ft. Myers - #10285
Paramedic - 1220 Hours - Diploma - New
5. MMB Health Care Training Corp, Lehigh Acres - #11408
Medical Assistant - 750 Hours - Diploma - New
Phlebotomy Technician - 120 Hours - Diploma - New
On-Line Delivery
6. KJ Military Transition Academy, Indialantic - #7862
Vets2PM ACP Boot Camp Plus - 28 Hours - Diploma - New
Vets2PM Master Project Leadership Boot Camp Plus - Course - 63 Hours - Diploma - New
Vets2PM Master Project Leadership Boot Camp Plus - Workshop - 280 Hours - Diploma - New
On-Line Delivery
7. VS Roadmaster Drivers School of Jacksonville, Inc., Jacksonville - #1998
Class A ELDT Behind-the-Wheel Training - 180 Hours - Diploma - Modification
8. VS Roadmaster Drivers School of Orlando, Apopka - #2473
Class A ELDT Behind-the-Wheel Training - 180 Hours - Diploma - Modification
9. VS Roadmaster Drivers School, Inc., Tampa - #1757
Class A ELDT Behind-the-Wheel Training - 180 Hours - Diploma - Modification

10. BD Sage Truck Driving Schools, Plant City - #12677
Class B CDL 80 Hour Straight Truck Driver Training Program (STB 80) - 80 Hours -
Diploma - New
11. BD Sage Truck Driving Schools, Ft. Pierce - #12678
Class B CDL Straight Truck Driver Training Program STB80 - 80 Hours - Diploma -
New
12. KJ The Academy of Nail Careers, Sanford - #12570
Facial Specialist - 220 Hours - Diploma - New
Full Specialist - 400 Hours - Diploma - Modification
On-Line Delivery
13. KJ The Advanced Academy, Jensen Beach - #10170
Barbering - 900 Hours - Diploma - Modification
Cosmetology - 1200 Hours - Diploma - Modification
Facial Specialist - 220 Hours - Diploma - New
On-Line Delivery
14. VS The Salon Professional Academy, Ft. Myers - #3397
Cosmetology/Barber - 1500 Hours - Diploma - New

J. Motion for Extension of Provisional License for One Year

1. BD Preserva Institute, Lake Wales - #12975

K. Motion for Extension of License

1. SB 4Geeks Academy, Miami - #5904
2. KJ Barber & Beauty Institute, Inc, Maitland - #3939
3. MMB Beaut Academy - Wellness Center, Orlando - #13054
4. SB Cindy Lee's Facial and Nail Institute, Inc., Daytona Beach - #1704
5. ABS Eastern Academy of Scuba Education, Vero Beach - #1522
6. MMB Elise Esthetics Institute, Longwood - #4621
7. MMB Global Medical & Technical Training Institute, Miami - #3436
8. SB Heritage Career Institute, Greenacres - #9086
9. KJ Interstate Commercial Driving School, Crystal River - #4646

10. SB KairInstructors Healthcare Training Center, Palm City - #9131
11. SB LifePoint Career Institute, Jacksonville - #4454
12. ABS Master Tattoo Institute, Miami Beach - #5278
13. SB Rainbow Reef Instructor Development Center, LLC., Key Largo - #2954
14. KJ Smile Smart Dental Assisting School, Bradenton - #4371
15. SB Soler & Soler CDL School Corp, Miami - #6461
16. AKS Tampa Vocational Institute, Tampa - #4614
17. SB The Academy Esthetics and Nails, Ocala - #7590
18. BH The Nursing Academy, Hallandale Beach - #12959
19. BD Who's Next Institute, Jacksonville - #12565

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

1. BH Truth Health Academy, Sunrise - #6471
2. MMB Yolle Institute, Haines City - #13341

M. Substantive Change Approval

1. MMB Camsen Career Institute, Jacksonville - #4704
(Ownership)
2. MMB Community Barber Schools, Jacksonville - #4724
(Financial Soundness)
3. ABS Cozmo Beauty School, Bonita Springs - #3253
(Financial Soundness)
4. KJ Heritage School of Midwifery and Natural Health Sciences, North Port - #5610
(Credentials)
New Programs:
Maternal Health Medical Assisting - 780 Hours - Diploma
Midwifery - 120 Credit Hours - Bachelors
On-Line Delivery

5. BD Institute of Interpersonal Hypnotherapy, Tampa - #3448
(Location)
6. VS North Florida Cosmetology Institute, Tallahassee - #936
(Other)
7. MMB Soothing Arts-Healing Therapies School of Massage, Santa Rosa Beach - #2189
(Financial Soundness)

N. Branch Campus Applications

(NONE)

O. Name Change

(NONE)

P. Agent Training Programs

(NONE)

XVII. PROGRAM TERMINATIONS

XVIII. APPROVED APPLICANT LETTERS SENT

XIX. LICENSES SENT

Provisional

Annual

License by Means of Accreditation

XX. CLOSED SCHOOL REPORT

XXI. COMMENTS OF COMMISSION MEMBERS

XXII. ADJOURN

XXIII. RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

6E-5.001 - Notice of Development of Rulemaking