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Minister Michelle Hooyboer-Winklaar
Ministry of Education, Family Policy & Lifelong Learning
L.G. Smith Boulevard 76
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Dear Minister Hooyboer-Winklaar,

This letter confirms that the Board of Trustees of Coastal Carolina University passed a resolution on August 7, 2015 approving the offer of a nonresident fee waiver for students who are citizens of Aruba studying at Coastal Carolina University as this location is one in which official sister-state agreements have been established. This resolution was passed in support of developing a broadly engaging and dynamic student environment at Coastal Carolina University. This waiver will remain effective as long as Aruba remains a sister-state of South Carolina as provided to Coastal Carolina University in annual disclosures through the South Carolina Commission on Higher Education, pursuant to SC 59-112-70.

The resolution further stipulated that, in the interest of transparency and consistency, should Aruba be removed from the list during the time period that a student from said location has already matriculated as a degree-seeking student at CCU under the non-resident tuition waiver, that CCU's Board of Trustees approves that the student will receive the non-resident fee waiver through the timely completion of the major he or she is seeking.

We look forward to welcoming many more additional talented students from Aruba to Coastal Carolina University and to exploring, where appropriate, additional cooperation that enhances our mutual abilities to deliver on the goals of engaged learning that is based on transparency, integrity, and excellence.

Sincerely,

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President