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Charles Sturt University
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Attention: Dr. R. Meyenn, Provost and Special Adviser, Ontario

In a letter dated May 10, 2010, I advised Charles Sturt University that pursuant to subsection 4(1) of the *Post-secondary Education Choice and Excellence Act, 2000*, it was my intent to grant a consent to Charles Sturt University to advertise and offer a Bachelor of Science (Forensic Biotechnology) program and to be known by the name of Charles Sturt University in Ontario in relation to this program.

The intent to grant consent was subject to Charles Sturt University accepting the terms and conditions set out in the letter of intent, which includes the Standard Terms and Conditions for a public institution. The letter also indicated that the consent would be for a period of five years, commencing from the date of my written confirmation that Charles Sturt University had satisfied the requirements for a consent.

I would like to confirm that I have received and am satisfied with the signed Applicant Agreement Form and the requirements for a consent as noted in the May 10, 2010 letter.

I am pleased to advise you that I am granting consent to the Charles Sturt University to advertise and offer a Bachelor of Science (Forensic Biotechnology) program and to be known by the name of Charles Sturt University in Ontario in relation to this program.

As you are aware my May 10, 2010, letter noted that the above program could be offered at the following two locations:

- The campus located at 860 Harrington Court, Burlington, Ontario; and
- Mohawk College of Applied Arts & Technology, 135 Fennell Avenue West, Hamilton, ON.

On May 13, 2010, you advised the ministry of an administrative oversight in the application that left out mention of a third site located at McMaster University. I am satisfied with the documentation you provided to the ministry that demonstrated that the Quality Assessment Panel did perform a site visit of the McMaster lab facilities as part of the assessment process.

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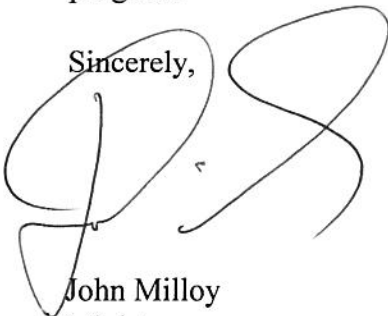
I would like to confirm that the consent is specific to the following three locations:

- The campus located at 860 Harrington Court, Burlington, Ontario, L7N 3N4;
- Mohawk College of Applied Arts & Technology, 135 Fennell Avenue West, Hamilton, Ontario, L9C 1E9; and
- McMaster University, 1280 Main Street West, Hamilton, Ontario L8S 4L8.

The consent is subject to the terms and conditions identified in the letter of intent to grant consent dated May 10, 2010 and is for a period of five years from the date of this letter.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish Charles Sturt University success in offering this program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'John Milloy', written over a large, light-colored scribble or stamp.

John Milloy
Minister

c.c. Dale Patterson
Chair, Postsecondary Education Quality Assessment Board