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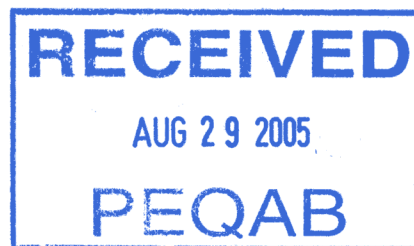
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Mr. Dave Cooke
Chair, Board of Governors
Seneca College of Applied
Arts and Technology
1750 Finch Avenue East
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Dear Mr. Cooke:

I am writing further to the letter of the previous Minister of Training, Colleges and Universities dated June 24, 2005. The letter advised you that pursuant to subsection 4 of the *Post-secondary Education Choice and Excellence Act, 2000*, it was the intent of the previous Minister to grant a consent to Seneca College of Applied Arts and Technology to advertise and offer in Ontario a Bachelor of Applied Technology (Informatics and Security).

As indicated in the above-noted letter, the intent to grant this consent was subject to the college accepting the terms and conditions set out in the letter, which included the Standard Terms and Conditions attached to the letter, and the college executing the Applicant Agreement Form attached to the Standard Terms and Conditions.

Pursuant to the letter, the consent would be for a period of five years, commencing on the date of written confirmation that the Minister is satisfied with the above-noted acknowledgment.

I would like to confirm that I have now received and am satisfied with the signed Applicant Agreement Form.

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I am pleased to advise you, therefore, that in accordance with the above-noted letter dated June 24, 2005 and subject to all the terms and conditions identified in that letter and its attachment, I am confirming that I have granted my consent to Seneca College of Applied Arts and Technology to advertise and offer in Ontario a Bachelor of Applied Technology (Informatics and Security). This consent is for a period of five years commencing from the date of this letter.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you much success in your new endeavour.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Christopher Bentley", with a large, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Christopher Bentley
Minister

c. Dale Patterson
Chair, Postsecondary Education Quality Assessment Board

Dr. Rick Miner
President