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8 **BEFORE THE**
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
9 **FOR THE BUREAU FOR PRIVATE POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION**
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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11 In the Matter of the Statement of Issues
Against:

Case No. 1001629

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13 **INTERCULTURAL INSTITUTE OF**
CALIFORNIA, a Non-Profit Corporation
14 **Korean Center, Inc., Parent nonprofit**
1362 POST STREET
SAN FRANCISCO CA 94109

WITHDRAWAL OF STATEMENT OF
ISSUES WITHOUT PREJUDICE

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16 **School Code No. 3801931**

17 Respondent.

18 Complainant alleges:

19 **PARTIES**

20 1. On or about October 7, 2016, Joanne Wenzel, Chief of the Bureau for Private
21 Postsecondary Education, Department of Consumer Affairs (Bureau), solely in her official
22 capacity, filed Statement of Issues number 1001629.

23 2. On or about June 24, 2004 the former Bureau for Private Postsecondary and
24 Vocational Education¹ issued a full approval to operate (Non-Accredited) to the Intercultural
25 Institute Of California, a Non-Profit Corporation, (School Code No. 3801931).

26 ¹ The former Bureau for Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education sunsetted on
27 July 1, 2007. On October 11, 2009, the Private Postsecondary Education Act of 2009 (AB 48)
28 was signed into law. The Act, which became operative on January 1, 2010, established the
Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education.

1 3. The approval to operate expired on May 20, 2011 and has not been renewed.


2 4. On or about May 16, 2011, the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education received
3 a renewal application for its approval to operate a non-accredited institution from the Intercultural
4 Institute of California. The members of the Intercultural Institute of California's Board of
5 Directors each certified under penalty of perjury to the truthfulness of all statements, answers, and
6 representations in the application. The Bureau denied the application on September 15, 2015.
7 The Intercultural Institute of California appealed that denial and a Statement of Issues is pending
8 against Respondent.

9 5. On or about September 21, 2015, Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education
10 received an Application for Approval to Operate an Accredited Institution from the Intercultural
11 Institute of California. The application referenced school code 3801931 on the application.
12 School Code 3801931 belongs to the Intercultural Institute of California which is owned by
13 Intercultural Institute of California, a non-profit corporation. The Bureau denied the application
14 on February 22, 2015 and subsequently filed Statement of Issues number 1001629

15 6. The basis for withdrawing the pending Statement of Issues number 1001629 is that
16 Respondent has now provided the documents and other information necessary to cure all
17 deficiencies and receive an Approval to Operate an Accredited Institution.

18 WHEREFORE, IN THE INTERESTS OF JUSTICE, Statement of Issues number 1001629
19 is hereby withdrawn without prejudice.

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21 DATED: 5-1-17


22 JOANNE WENZEL
23 Chief
24 Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education
25 Department of Consumer Affairs
26 State of California
27 *Complainant*
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