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9 **BEFORE THE**
10 **DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS**
11 **FOR THE BUREAU FOR PRIVATE POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION**
12 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

13 In the Matter of the Statement of Issues
14 Against:
15 **WILLIAM M. MAGUY SCHOOL OF**
16 **EDUCATION, A DIVISION OF**
17 **PROTEUS, INC.**
18 **Applicant for Renewal of Approval to**
19 **Operate and Offer Educational Programs**
20 **for Non-Accredited Institutions**
21 **School Code No. 21343357**
22 Respondent.

Case No. 1006652
OAH No. 2021040302
NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF
STATEMENT OF ISSUES

23 TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

24 **PARTIES**

25 1. On or about March 26, 2021, Leeza Rifredi, in her official capacity as Acting Chief of
26 the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (Bureau) , Department of Consumer Affairs
27 (hereinafter "Bureau"), filed Statement of Issues No. 1006652. Deborah Cochrane (Complainant)
continues this action in her official capacity as Chief of the Bureau.

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1 2. On or about February 14, 2019, the Bureau received an application for Renewal of
2 Approval to Operate and Offer Educational Programs for Non-Accredited Institutions from
3 William M. Maguy School of Education, a Division of Proteus (Respondent). On or about
4 February 11-12, 2019, Juanita Martinez, Maria Lemus, Victor Salazar, Elizabeth Nunez,
5 Francisco Pineda, David Mendoza, Richard Rodriguez, Larry Gonzales, Victorio Rojas, Barbara
6 Carillo Zambrano, Armida Espinoza, Paul Espinosa, Jr., and Robert Alcazar certified under
7 penalty of perjury to the truthfulness of all statements, answers, and representations in the
8 application. After follow-up correspondence between Respondent and the Bureau regarding the
9 application, the Bureau denied the application on November 2, 2020.

10 3. The basis for withdrawing the Statement of Issues in Case No. 1006652 is that
11 Respondent has now provided the documents and other information necessary to cure all
12 deficiencies and receive an Approval to Operate and Offer Educational Programs for Non-
13 Accredited Institutions.

14 4. **WHEREFORE, IN THE INTEREST OF JUSTICE**, Statement of Issues No.
15 1006652 is hereby withdrawn without prejudice.

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18 DATED: “7/19/2021”

“Original signature on file”

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