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

10 In the Matter of the Statement of Issues
11 Against:

12 **AMERICAN SCIENCE UNIVERSITY;**
13 **PETER WADA**
803 South Inglewood Avenue
14 Inglewood, CA 90301

15 **Application to Operate an Institution – Non-**
16 **Accredited**

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18 Respondent.

Case No. 999519

OAH No. 2015060879

STIPULATED SETTLEMENT FOR
CONDITIONAL APPROVAL
PURSUANT TO 5 CCR 71400(d)

19 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties to the above-
20 entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:

21 PARTIES

22 1. Joanne Wenzel ("Complainant") is the Bureau Chief of the Bureau for Private
23 Postsecondary Education. She brought this action solely in her official capacity and is
24 represented in this matter by Kamala D. Harris, Attorney General of the State of California, by
25 Antonio Lopez, Jr., Deputy Attorney General.

26 2. Respondent American Science University; Peter Wada ("Respondent") is representing
27 himself in this proceeding and has chosen not to exercise his right to be represented by counsel.
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1 **ORDER**

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3 1. **Conditional Approval Process**

4 Pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 5, section 71400 (d), the Bureau shall issue
5 American Science University; Peter Wada (Respondent) a conditional approval of their application
6 for its Traditional Chinese Medicine degree program. The conditional approval shall be valid for six
7 (6) months from the effective date of this Decision during which time Respondent shall obtain
8 approval from the Acupuncture Board of California for its Traditional Chinese Medicine degree
9 program, pursuant to California Education Code section 94899. The six month conditional approval
10 will allow time for the Bureau to approve the pre-accreditation plan pursuant to section 71105.

11 2. **Restrictions on Offering of Programs**

12 Respondent shall not offer any program in Traditional Chinese Medicine, or any other program,
13 until the approval from the Acupuncture Board is received and processed by the Bureau for Private
14 Postsecondary Education.

15 3. **Six Month Extension Procedure Pursuant to Section 71400**

16 If Respondent is not able to obtain program approval within the six (6) month conditional
17 approval period, pursuant to section 71400(d)(1), Respondent may request an additional six month
18 extension as long as they demonstrate to the Bureau that they are making a good faith effort to correct
19 any deficiency. At the end of the stated period, the application will be deemed denied if the
20 deficiencies are not removed. All the provisions of section 71400 shall control this process.

21 4. **Accreditation Requirements**

22 Respondent must comply with the accreditation requirements pursuant to Education Code
23 section 94885.5.

24 5. **Provisional Approval**

25 If Respondent is able to satisfy the requirements during the conditional approval period, the
26 Bureau shall issue a provisional approval pursuant to section 94885.5.

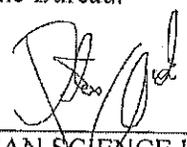
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ACCEPTANCE

I have carefully read the Stipulated Settlement and Order. I understand the stipulation and the effect it will have on my Conditional Approval to Operate an Institution - Non-Accredited. I enter into this Stipulated Settlement and Order voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound by the Decision and Order of the Bureau.

DATED: 08/11/16

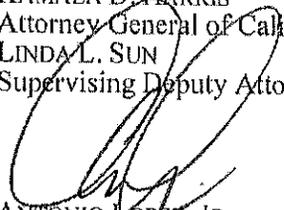


AMERICAN SCIENCE UNIVERSITY; PETER WADA
Respondent

ENDORSEMENT

The foregoing Stipulated Settlement and Order is hereby respectfully submitted for consideration by the Bureau.

Dated: 8/11/16

Respectfully submitted,
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ORDER OF DECISION

Applicant for Approval to Operate and Offer
Educational Programs For Non-Accredited
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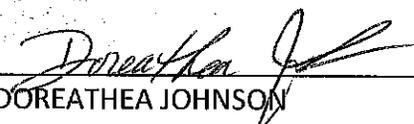
Respondent.

DECISION AND ORDER

The attached Stipulated Settlement and Order is hereby accepted and adopted by the Director of the Department of Consumer Affairs as the Decision and Order in the above entitled matter.

The Decision shall become effective OCT 28 2016.

DATED: 9/22/16



DORATHEA JOHNSON
Deputy Director, Legal Affairs
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