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DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

# APPEAL OF CITATION INFORMAL CONFERENCE DECISION: CITATION MODIFIED

April 8, 2020

Luis Rego, Owner Future-Net 4150 Latham Street, Suite H Riverside, CA 92501

Date of Issuance	Citation Number	Institution Code
April 8, 2020	1920201	3303591

On March 23, 2020, an informal telephone conference was held in the matter of Citation: Assessment of Fine and Order of Abatement No. 1920101 (Citation) against Luis Rego, Owner of Future-Net (Institution). In attendance were Beth Danielson, Enforcement Chief and Luis Rego, Owner.

Pursuant to Business and Professions Code, section 125.9; California Education Code, section 94936; and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, section 75020 and section 75040, the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (Bureau) renders the following decision relative to your appeal of the Citation No. 1920201.

It is the decision of the Enforcement Chief that on March 26, 2020 Citation No. 1920201 is <u>modified</u> and makes the following change(s):

## **VIOLATION CODE SECTIONS**

#	Below you will find the California Education Code (CEC) and/or Title 5 of the California	
	Code of Regulations (5, CCR code) section(s) of law you are charged with violating.	

## 1. **Violation:**

**CEC Section 94932.5 (a) – Announced and Unannounced Compliance Inspections** (a) As part of its compliance program, the bureau shall perform announced and unannounced inspections of institutions at least every five years.

## 5, CCR Section 71930 (e) - Maintenance of Records

(e) All records that the institution is required to maintain by the Act or this chapter shall be made immediately available by the institution for inspection and copying during normal business hours by the Bureau and any entity authorized to conduct investigations.

On July 15, 2019, at approximately 9:15 a.m., Bureau staff attempted to conduct an unannounced Compliance inspection at the Institution. Bureau staff called the Institution's main phone number, but only reached their voicemail. The Institution failed to have personnel available during the Institutions posted business hours of 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., in violation of 5, CCR section 71930 (e).

### **Order of Abatement:**

The Bureau orders the Institution to submit a written policy of how with 5, CCR section 71930 (e) will be maintained.

<u>Reason for modification</u>: New substantive facts were presented at the informal conference. The Order of Abatement has not been satisfied.

Fine amount: The fine for this violation is \$5,000.00.

The administrative fine for this violation has been modified from \$5,000.00 to \$1,000.00.

# **TOTAL MODIFIED ADMINISTRATIVE FINE DUE: \$1,000.00**

#### PENALTY - ASSESSMENT OF A FINE

Payment of the administrative fine is due within 30 days from the date of this decision. Please complete the Payment of Fine form. Payment must be made to the Bureau by check, or money order. Please include the citation number on the payment of the fine assessment. Payment of the administrative fine shall not constitute an admission of the violation(s) charged and shall be represented as satisfactory resolution of the matter for purposes of public disclosure. Payments may be mailed to:

Gabriella Perez, Discipline Citation Program Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education 1747 N. Market Blvd., Suite 225 Sacramento, CA 95834

## **APPEAL OF CITATION**

You *do not* have the right to request another Informal Conference to appeal this modified Citation. If you did not initially request an Administrative Hearing within 30 days from when the original citation was issued, you can no longer request one.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF CITATION AND FINE ASSESSMENT

This modified Citation is effective on April 8, 2020. The payment is due by May 7, 2020.

Failure to pay the administrative fine within the time allowed is grounds for denial of an application for an approval to operate or discipline. The Bureau will promptly take all appropriate action to enforce the Modified Citation and recover the civil penalties prescribed therein or found to be due after a hearing.

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

If you have any questions regarding this decision or desire further information, please contact Gabriella Perez, Citation Analyst, at (916) 574-8969 or at Gabriella.Perez@dca.ca.gov.

"Original signature on file"	"4/8/2020"	
Christina Villanueva Discipline Manager	Date	

**Enclosures** 

- Payment of Fine
- Declaration of Service by Certified and First-Class Mail