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

12 In the Matter of the Statement of Issues  
Against:

Case No. 1003057

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14 **ONLINE VOCATIONAL ACADEMY,**  
**INC.**

**WITHDRAWAL OF**  
**STATEMENT OF ISSUES**

15 **Approval to Operate an Institution Non-**  
16 **Accredited Applicant**

17 Respondent.  
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19 TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

20 1. On or about December 8, 2015, the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education  
21 received an application for an Approval to Operate an Institution Non-Accredited from Online  
22 Vocational Academy, Inc. (Respondent) with George Hobson designated as its Chief Executive  
23 Officer and 100 percent owner. On or about September 28, 2017, after providing Respondent  
24 with multiple opportunities to cure various deficiencies in its application, the Bureau denied  
25 Respondent's Application for Approval to Operate an Institution Non-Accredited.

26 2. On or about July 24, 2019, Dr. Michael Marion, Jr., solely in his official capacity as  
27 Chief of the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, Department of Consumer Affairs filed  
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1 Second Amended Statement of Issues No. 1003057, which is currently pending against  
2 Respondent.

3 3. On or about August 27, 2019, Respondent withdrew its appeal of the denial and  
4 request for hearing of its Application for Approval to Operate an Institution Non-Accredited.

5 4. Accordingly, Second Amended Statement of Issues No. 1003057 filed against  
6 Respondent is hereby withdrawn without prejudice and the denial of its application is affirmed.

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8 DATED: 8/27/19   
9 DR. MICHAEL MARION, JR.  
10 Chief  
11 Bureau for Priyate Postsecondary Education  
12 Department of Consumer Affairs  
13 State of California  
14 *Complainant*

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