March 8, 2021

Dr. Stanford Angion, President Selma University 1501 Boynton Street Selma, AL 36703 c/o

Dear President Angion:

The ABHE Commission on Accreditation reviewed your institution at its February 13-17, 2021 meeting and took the following action:

Continue Selma University (AL) on probation and continue accreditation for a second year in light of the Commission on Accreditation's judgement that the institution fails to comply with the ABHE Institutional Accreditation Standards listed below, require an updated financial recovery plan to be submitted by May 15, 2021, followed by a focused evaluation team visit, and require a special progress report, due November 15, 2021 addressing these concerns:

- COE 15 (Sustained and viable student enrollment in its educational programs over the past two years)
- COE 18 (Institutional stability and capacity (document with evidence that the institution has a pattern of stability in enrollment and finances)
- COE 19 (Financial base indicating that the institution can achieve its mission and goals within a balanced budget and at a safe level of debt)
- Standard 3: EE 7 (documentation that the institution demonstrates integrity in financial matters and in compliance with applicable legal and governmental regulations)
- Standard 6b: EE 3 (documentation of adequate revenue streams sufficient to realize institutional goals, including a detailed accounting of the status, and any actions already taken, of the efforts and results of the financial recovery plan)
- Standard 6b: EE 6 (documentation of sufficient financial reserves to enable effective response to unforeseen financial circumstances and enrollment fluctuations)
- Standard 10: EE 10 (effective library leadership by a credentialed director)

Until the institution is removed from probation, the institutional website must disclose that the institution is on probation status (Policy on Communication of Accreditation Decisions).

The effective date of this action is February 17, 2021. Please see the Report Guide at www.abhe.org/accreditation/accreditation-documents/ for assistance in formatting and submitting any required reports to the Commission.

Voice: 407.207.0808 Email: coa@abhe.org If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or Associate Director Shane Wood. May God bless your continued engagement in biblical higher education!

Sincerely,

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Director, Commission on Accreditation

cc: Mr. Darryl Caldwell, Board Chair, c/o