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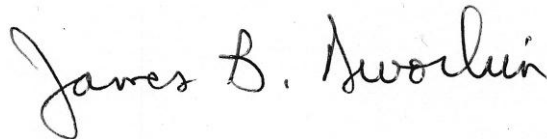
Dear Dr. Appleson:

Please accept this letter as Purdue University North Central's formal written response to the evaluation team's report and recommendations after its visit to the campus on April 18-20, 2011. We have carefully reviewed the findings in the report and are satisfied with both the findings and the recommendations. We request that you send the materials to an appropriate Reader's Panel as the next step in the process.

The evaluation team did a very nice job. They were very professional and very thorough in their conduct of the visit. They took the time to visit every constituency on the campus. They asked probing questions and listened carefully to answers and explanations. They made many thoughtful observations and suggestions. I know that you selected the team very carefully and were mindful of the complex governance issues in your selection process. We thank you for your efforts in the selection process and for working with us as we prepared for the visit.

Finally, we look forward to the Commission's final decision on the accreditation status for our campus. Thank you for your assistance in this important process.

Sincerely,



James B. Dworkin
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CC: Evaluation Team
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