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December 10, 2019

Sally Holt, Site Director Central Baptist Theological Seminary 1008 19th Avenue, South Nashville TN 37212

Dear Ms. Holt:

Based on your request, certification, and the evaluation of your 2019-2020 catalog and accompanying documents received November 24, 2019 continuing approval is extended to Central Baptist Theological Seminary for the training of veterans and other eligible persons under laws administered by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. Accordingly, from the documents submitted, I am approving the following effective September 20, 2019:

The accredited degree program listed on the SAA Form 1 has been reviewed and found to meet the requirements of 38 USC 3672(b)(2)(A)(i) to be deemed approved. Also included in this approval:

- 1. Internships and practical training required for graduation
- 2. Independent Study/On Line/Distance Learning
- 3. Study Abroad

Authority for this approval is taken from Title 38, U.S. Code, Chapters 30, 32, 33 and 35; Title 10 U. S. Code, Chapters 1606 and 1607; and Title 38, U.S. Code, Section 3675 in that Central Baptist Theological Seminary is accredited by the Association of Theological Schools and the Higher Learning Commission, North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

Only those programs, policies and catalog certifications approved herein are in effect for veteran students and this approval is not final until accepted by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. You should receive Report Form 22-1998 that will communicate VA acceptance of this approval via email. VA may discontinue benefits payments if VA determines that the program fails to meet any of the requirements outlined in Title 38.

Regarding this approval:

- No extension or off campus sites were submitted for approval.
- The term "GI Bill" is trademarked by the US Department of Veterans Affairs. The trademark symbol "®" should be placed at the upper right corner of the trademarked phrase in the most prominent place at first usage; such as the title of a brochure, form, or webpage and include the trademark attribution notice prominently visible: "GI Bill® is a registered trademark of the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). More information about education benefits offered by VA is available at the official U.S. government website at http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill."
- Marketing materials cannot use the phrase "VA Approved". Please insure that your school does not utilize erroneous or deceptive advertising or enrollment practices.
- Also, please notify our office of any changes in policies and/or programs which would affect the training of veteran students.

Copies of this letter, your request and certification, along with a copy of the catalog and accompanying documents are being furnished to the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Thank you for your continuing support of our veteran students.

Sincerely,

Deborah Gardner, Director Veterans Education State Approving Agency

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C: Melissa Cole, VA/ELR