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Dr. Robert E. Johnson, Ph.D.  
Dean of the Seminary and Professor of Christian Heritage  
Central Baptist Theological Seminary of Kansas City, Kansas  
6601 Monticello Road  
Shawnee, KS 66226

Re: Central Baptist Theological Seminary of Kansas City, Kansas

Dear Dr. Johnson:

This letter corrects the corporate name to Central Baptist Theological Seminary of Kansas City, Kansas and supersedes the June 12, 2013 letter of approval to operate a private college or university in Michigan.

This letter may be used as evidence that in accordance with Public Act 327 of 1931, as amended, MCL 450.170-177, our office confirms that Central Baptist Theological Seminary of Kansas City, Kansas has demonstrated that: (a) the housing space and administration facilities that it possesses or proposes to provide for its declared field or fields of education are adequate; (b) its proposed educational program leading to the diplomas or degrees that it proposes to offer is adequate; (c) the laboratory, library, and other teaching facilities that it possesses or proposes to provide are adequate; (d) it has or proposes to employ an adequate staff, fully trained, for the instruction proposed; and (e) at least 50% of its capital, whether consisting of stock or in gifts, devises, legacies, bequests or other contributions of money or property, has been paid in or is in its possession.

Consistent with the accreditation from the Higher Learning Commission's North Central Association of Colleges and Schools as well as the Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada we are approving Central Baptist Theological Seminary of Kansas City, Kansas to conduct business in Michigan with the following purpose:

Operate a private postsecondary educational institution in Michigan, located at 517 East Washington Street, Ann Arbor, MI 48104. This is a class Y educational corporation. Degree programs authorized to be offered are as follows: Master of Arts (M.A.) in Theological Studies and the Master of Divinity (M.Div.). Master degree programs must consist of 30 semester hours of credit or equivalent of collegiate level study and shall be granted only after the successful completion of a bachelor's degree (120 semester credit hours or equivalent of collegiate level study).

LARA is an equal opportunity employer/program.

Auxiliary aids, services and other reasonable accommodations are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

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This approval is granted for the programs noted above. Offering additional programs is subject to approval by this office. This approval is granted for operation at the address noted above. Expansion of programs to an address not mentioned above is subject to approval by this office.

Before the institution can legally operate in Michigan, articles of incorporation for a domestic profit or nonprofit corporation, articles of organization for a domestic limited liability company, or a certificate of authority to operate as a foreign corporation must be filed with Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, Corporation Division. This approval letter to operate an educational corporation must accompany the filing. You may contact the Corporation Division at 517-241-6470 for assistance regarding filing or visit [www.michigan.gov/corporations](http://www.michigan.gov/corporations).

Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. James R. Farhat at (517) 241-4274 or e-mail at [farhatj@michigan.gov](mailto:farhatj@michigan.gov).

Sincerely,



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