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March 1, 2021

Dr. Rodney K. Rogers
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Dear Dr. Rogers:

At its virtual Winter Meeting February 19, 2021, the Accreditation Committee and the Board of Trustees of the Aviation Accreditation Board International (AABI) acted on the application for initial accreditation submitted by Bowling Green State University March 19, 2018.

I am pleased to advise you that the Board action was to grant accreditation for five years for the following programs:

- B.S. in Aviation – Flight Technology and Operations (AABI Flight Education)
- B.S. in Aviation – Aviation Management and Operations (AABI Management)

The Board accepted the institution's responses to Recommendations 1, 4, and 6. For Recommendation 5, the Board requires an interim report, due by June 7, 2021, which provides the actions and information as specified below for Recommendation 5. Require a second interim report, due January 6, 2022, which provides the actions and information specified below for Recommendations 2 and 3:

- 2. Ensure that the program educational goals and the associated learning outcomes have an assessment process in place that ensures the achievement of these goals for both programs (AABI Criterion 3.2c).**

Provide evidence that the Program Educational Goals Mapping process has been implemented and is being used to ensure the achievement of these goals for both programs.

- 3. Develop and employ for FTO students a significant culminating upper division experience in flight education which captures the knowledge and skills attained in becoming a professional pilot (AABI Criterion 5.5.2).**

Provide evidence that the changes to the course used for the significant culminating upper division experience in flight education for FTO students have been fully approved and implemented, and the course captures the knowledge and skills attained in becoming a professional pilot.

- 5. Develop and implement a single, integrated, and verifiable formal aviation safety program (AABI Criterion 5.5.3.a.2).**

Provide evidence of development and implementation of a single, integrated and verifiable formal aviation safety program.

Enclosed with this letter is a public release policy, which has been excerpted from the AABI Policies & Procedures Manual. Please advise appropriate members of the faculty and staff of

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the necessity to adhere to this policy. A Certificate of Accreditation from AABI is also enclosed, along with a list of accredited programs.

On behalf of the AABI Board of Trustees, congratulations and thank you for the confidence you have placed in AABI and the commitment that you have evidenced toward quality aviation education through membership and successful initial accreditation of two programs. Since AABI accreditation for these programs will expire on February 28, 2026, we suggest that an application be submitted for reaffirmation of accreditation by February 2024 to allow approximately 24 months for the reaffirmation process.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Guy M. Smith". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Guy" being the most prominent.

Guy M. Smith, Ph.D.
President

Enclosures

cc: Dr. Thomas Q. Carney, Vice President of Accreditation and Chair, Accreditation Committee
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