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Doug Darling, PhD  
President  
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Dear Dr. Darling:

The Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) is pleased to inform you of its vote on **May 18, 2018** to award **continuing accreditation** to the Personal Fitness Training program at Lake Region State College, Devils Lake, ND.

The recent peer review conducted by the Committee on Accreditation for the Exercise Sciences (CoAES) and CAAHEP's Board of Directors recognizes the program's substantial compliance with the nationally established accreditation Standards. The next comprehensive evaluation of the program, including an on-site review, is scheduled to occur no later than **2028**.

The CoAES will regularly monitor the program's compliance with the outcomes assessment thresholds through the program's Annual Report as well as other documentation that may be requested (Standard IV.B.).

The accreditation standards are established by CAAHEP, CoAES, American College of Sports Medicine, American Council on Exercise, American Kinesiotherapy Association, Cooper Institute, National Academy of Sports Medicine, and National Council on Strength & Fitness.

The commission commends you and your colleagues for your commitment to continuous quality improvement in education, as demonstrated by your participation in program accreditation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Carolyn O'Daniel', written in a cursive style.

Carolyn O'Daniel, EdD, RRT  
President

cc: Lloyd Halvorson, Vice President of Academic & Student Affairs  
Tammy Riggin, MS, Program Director, Personal Fitness Training  
Susan Muller, PhD, Chair, CoAES  
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