



## VERIFICATION OF EXEMPTION

December 10, 2024

Mr. Anton Tambi  
Calwest University  
20011 Gresham Street  
Northridge, CA 91324

RE: Verification of Exempt Status – Application No. 37204

**INSTITUTION:** Calwest University

**BASIS FOR EXEMPTION:** Sponsored Membership - Education Code section 94874(b)(1)

The Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (Bureau) has completed the review of your Institution's Application for Verification of Exempt Status pursuant to the California Private Postsecondary Education Act of 2009 (Act) based on the application received on April 2, 2024.

The application demonstrates that Calwest University has met the qualifications for exemption from regulation under the Act, pursuant to California Education Code (CEC) section 94874(b)(1): *"An institution offering educational programs sponsored by a bona fide trade, business, professional, or fraternal organization, solely for that organizations membership".*

Pursuant to CEC §94874.7, this verification of exemption shall remain valid until December 10, 2026, as long as the institution maintains full compliance with the requirements of this exemption. Any of the following conditions will deem the institution ineligible for this exemption:

- the institution is no longer sponsored by a bona fide trade, business, professional, or fraternal organization, solely for that organization's membership;
- the institution is approved to participate in veterans' financial aid programs pursuant to Section 21.4253 of Title 38 of the Code of Federal Regulations;
- or any other factor, that would render the institution ineligible for an exemption under the CEC section 94874(b)(1).

Additionally, exempt institutions shall comply with CEC §94927.5 regarding the retention of student records and transcripts and their submission to the Bureau prior to closing.

If you require additional assistance on this matter, please contact Lucy Castillo-Riley at (279) 895-6049 or at [Lucy.castillo-riley@dca.ca.gov](mailto:Lucy.castillo-riley@dca.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

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ASH SINGH,  
Licensing Manager