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Dr. Peter Haynes, Dean  
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Dear Dr. Haynes:

Enclosed please find the final report of evaluation for the Louisiana State University School of Veterinary Medicine. **Congratulations on receiving full accreditation for a period up to seven years.** A copy of the final report has also been sent to the University Interim Chancellor Dr. William Jenkins.

As stated in the report's recommendations the Council on Education noted that the College must:

- Update the Council upon completion of the new large animal isolation facility
- Monitor the decreasing caseload in equine and food animal medicine and ensure it is adequate for student learning.

The Council will rely on the interim reports to track the School's progress in addressing the recommendations made in the report of evaluation.

On behalf of Dr. Herbert E. Whiteley, chair of the site visit team, and the site team members, thank you for the preparation, cooperation, and hospitality provided at every stage in the evaluation process. Thank you also to the staff, faculty, and students for their assistance.

If you have any questions regarding the recommendations in the report of evaluation, please contact Dr. David Granstrom, Director of the AVMA Education and Research division at 1-800-248-2862, ext. 6674 or e-mail [dgranstrom@avma.org](mailto:dgranstrom@avma.org).

Sincerely,

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Chair, Council on Education

Enclosure

c: Dr. Herbert E. Whiteley, Site Team Chair,

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