Education

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Dan King, President Red Lake Nation College 15480 Migizi Drive P.O. Box 576 Red Lake, MN 56671

Dear President King:

The Minnesota Department of Education has received your letter requesting Red Lake Nation College to be an eligible institution to offer Postsecondary Enrollment Options (PSEO) courses in Minnesota. Your information has been reviewed by the PSEO Internal Advisory Committee, and Red Lake Nation College is approved to offer PSEO non-sectarian courses or programs. A Statement of Assurance Form is reviewed and signed annually by each postsecondary institution to ensure that the PSEO courses offered to Minnesota high school students can be defined as nonsectarian in nature.

Red Lake Nation College offered PSEO courses in the past as an additional location of Leech Lake Tribal College, an institution approved to offer PSEO. Now that Red Lake Nation College will be operating independently, you may continue to offer PSEO courses to Minnesota high school students.

For reference purposes, please contact the following with any questions: PSEO Finance- Jeanne Krile, <u>jeanne.krile@state.mn.us</u>; 651-582-8637 PSEO Program- Beth Barsness, <u>beth.barsness@state.mn.us</u>; 651-582-8336 PSEO Vendor Payment Info- Ann VanDiest, <u>ann.vandiest@state.mn.us</u>; 651-582-8745.

Thank you for providing the opportunity for Minnesota high school students to earn both high school and college credits through PSEO.

Sincerely,

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Dr. Brenda Cassellius Commissioner

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