



THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION
WASHINGTON, DC 20202

MEMORANDUM

TO: Cindy Marten
FROM: The Secretary
SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority

I. DELEGATION

By the authority vested in me by section 412 of the Department of Education Organization Act, 20 U.S.C. § 3472, I hereby delegate to you the authority to perform all the duties and functions of the Secretary, as articulated in 34 C.F.R. § 602.37, with respect to any appeal filed by the Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools (ACICS).

Unless otherwise noted in future delegations of authority, amendments to the authority delegated herein are included within the scope of this delegation.

II. RESERVATIONS

Unless otherwise noted in existing or future delegations of authority, the Secretary's duties and functions articulated in 34 C.F.R. § 602.37 pertaining to appeals filed by accrediting agencies, other than ACICS, are not hereby delegated.

Unless this delegation to you is terminated or superseded prior thereto, this delegation shall be immediately nullified upon your departure from your employment at the Department of Education.

III. REDELEGATION

This authority may not be redelegated.

IV. CERTIFICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE

This delegation is effective upon certification by the Department's Principal Delegations Control Officer and supersedes all previous redelegations of these authorities.

_____/s_____
Miguel A. Cardona, Ed.D.

OGC Concurrence and Date: Michael Taylor, 6/1/2021
Control Number: EA/EA/186
Date Certified: 6/21/21;
Delegations Control Officer: Jim Clemmens

