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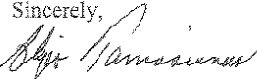
Dear Dr. Buettner:

On September 7, 2002, the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights (OCR), received a report from Fox Valley Technical College (College), pursuant to the Settlement Agreement (Agreement) submitted to OCR by the College on April 19, 1999. The Agreement was submitted in order to resolve the above-referenced complaint in accordance with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. § 1682, and its implementing regulations at 34 C.F.R. Part 106. The Agreement pertained to procedures for addressing student complaints alleging sex discrimination, including sexual harassment.

Prior to the College's latest report, OCR informed the College that it had implemented various requirements of the Agreement. Also, OCR provided technical assistance to the College to assist it complying with the Agreement. During this time, the College revised its procedures, which are contained in its "Discrimination Grievance Procedures." These revised procedures apply to students and staff and reflect appropriate and effective methods of responding to reported or suspected incidents of sex discrimination, including sexual harassment.

Accordingly, OCR has determined that the College has completed the implementation of the Agreement. Therefore, OCR has closed this case effective the date of this letter.

I wish to thank you and your staff, especially Ms. Jill McEwan, the College's Affirmative Action Officer, for the cooperation extended to OCR in this case. If you or your staff have any questions, please feel free to contact Mark Erickson of my staff at (312) 886-8415.

Sincerely,

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Director
Compliance Programs

cc: Jill McEwan