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December 17, 2010

Secretary of Labor
Top Hat Plan Exemption
Employee Benefits Security Administration
Room N-1513
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20210

Re: American Association of Colleges of Nursing 457(b) Eligible Deferred Compensation Plan

Dear Secretary:

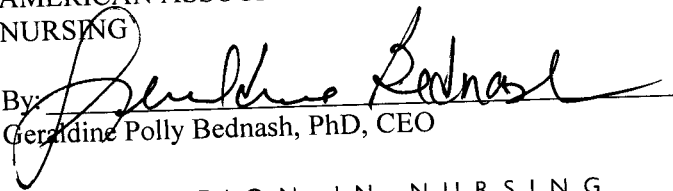
Under Section 2520.104-23 of your Regulations, this letter serves as notice that, with respect to the above-specified plan (the "Plan"), we intend to utilize the alternative form of compliance with the reporting and disclosure requirements of Part 1 of Title I of ERISA.

Pursuant to Regulations Section 2520.104-23(b), the following information is provided:

1. Name and Address of Employer -
American Association of Colleges of Nursing
One Dupont Circle, Suite 530
Washington, DC 20036
2. Employer's Employer Identification Number – 52-0971333
3. The Employer declares that it maintains the Plan primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation for a select group of management or highly compensated employees.
4. The Plan is the only plan currently maintained by the Employer for the purpose of providing deferred compensation for a select group of management or highly compensation employees. The number of participants in this Plan is expected to be one.

The Employer will provide Plan documents, if any, to the Secretary of Labor upon request as required by Section 104(a)(1) of ERISA.

Very truly yours,
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES OF
NURSING

By: 
Geraldine Polly Bednash, PhD, CEO

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