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February 16, 2022

Dr. Jeffrey F. Bullock, President  
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**Sent via email:** [president@dbq.edu](mailto:president@dbq.edu)

Dear President Bullock:

I hope you are well, and we appreciate your institution's interest in supporting the mission of The United Methodist Church, through the provision of theological education.

On January 27, 2022, the University Senate of The United Methodist Church took the following action concerning **University of Dubuque Theological Seminary**:

"The Commission on Theological Education recommends that **University of Dubuque Theological Seminary** be **Approved for Listing** for the preparation of candidates for ordination in The United Methodist Church **without Qualification** pending receipt of the institution's 2021 audit, management letter, and A-133 report by **May 1, 2022.**"

Please submit the report electronically to this [Dropbox link](#) by **May 1, 2022.**

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the decision of the Commission on Theological Education, please contact the Rev. Shannon Conklin-Miller, Chief Relationship Officer ([sconklin-miller@gbhem.org](mailto:sconklin-miller@gbhem.org)).

The University Senate is grateful for your faithful work and your commitment to United Methodist theological education, and we extend our warm greetings and prayers for your fruitful ministry.

Sincerely,

Rev. Greg Bergquist  
General Secretary, GBHEM  
Acting Executive Secretary, University Senate

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