NOTICE OF COMMENT PERIOD

Notice is hereby given pursuant to M.G.L. c. 69, § 30 and the Massachusetts Board of Higher Education's Policy Establishing a Process for Public Comment on Articles of Organization and Foreign Certificates of Institutions of Higher Education that the Massachusetts Department of Higher Education will open a comment period relative to the Articles of Amendment filed by Springfield College to offer the Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Leadership.

Springfield College is an approved independent institution in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with the authority to grant the degrees of Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Physical Education, Bachelor of Social Work, Master of Education, Master of Humanities, Master of Physical Education, Master of Science, Master of Social Work, Master of Business Administration; Doctor of Physical Therapy, Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Education, Doctor of Philosophy in Sport and Exercise Psychology, Doctor of Philosophy in Exercise Physiology, Doctor of Psychology, Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study in the following programs: Art Therapy; Athletic Counseling; Educational Administration; Health Education; Industrial/Organizational Psychology, Marriage and Family Therapy; Mental Health Counseling; Occupational Therapy; Physical Education; School Guidance Counseling; Special Education; Student Personnel Administration; and such honorary degrees as are usually conferred by colleges in this Commonwealth. Springfield College is now seeking the authority to offer the Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Leadership.

The public comment period for the Articles of Amendment filed by Springfield College to offer the Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Leadership begins on April 1, 2022 and will close three weeks thereafter, on April 22, 2022.

Written comments on the proposed amendments may be submitted at any time prior to 5:00pm on April 22, 2022, by directing the same to the following:
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ksstone@dhe.mass.edu

Postal Mail:
Massachusetts Department of Higher Education
One Ashburton Place
Room 1401
Boston, MA 02108
Attn: Kristen Stone, Assistant Director for Academic and Veterans Affairs

Please submit electronic comments as an attached Word document and type "Springfield College PhD Educational Leadership" in the subject line. All submissions must include the sender's full name and address. For special accommodations for submission of public comments or information regarding submission of public comments in an alternative format, please contact Kristen Stone.