

Aviation Accreditation Board International July 19, 2024

SUMMARY OF RECENT ACTION

The Aviation Accreditation Board International (AABI) is required to inform the public about its accreditation decisions. One of the ways AABI does this is to provide the public with information about the accreditation decision process, the nature and scope of AABI accreditation activity and the importance and value of accreditation. AABI also provides the public with detailed descriptions of its accreditation policies and procedures by publishing its Accreditation Criteria Manual (Form 201) and Policies & Procedures Manual (Form 225), along with all the AABI forms, on its website: http://www.aabi.aero/forms.html (Standard 2.A., October 4, 2021, CHEA Standards and Procedures for Recognition).

Interim Report:

Bridgewater State University

The Board action was to accept the institution's responses to Recommendations 5 and 6.

As was noted in the Board action letter of March 5, 2024, an interim report is required, due by January 6, 2025, which provides the evidence specified below for Recommendations 2-4.

Recommendation 2: Hire faculty (full-time or adjunct) to bring the teaching load of faculty to the campus standard of 12 credits per semester (Criterion 3.5.4).

Provide evidence of progress in bringing the teaching load of faculty to the campus standard of 12 credits per semester.

Recommendation 3: Continue efforts to hire additional CFIs to retain Flight Training students (Criterion 3.5.7).

Provide evidence of progress toward efforts to hire additional CFIs to retain Flight Training students.

Recommendation 4: Careful consideration must be given to assure there is an adequate number of aircraft available for students to complete the program in a reasonable period of time. If acquiring additional aircraft is not feasible, the program should consider limiting the number of admitted students each year (Criterion 3.6.2).

Provide evidence of progress on Recommendation 4, to assure there is an adequate number of aircraft available for students to complete the program in a reasonable period of time.