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Dear Dr. Kristensen:

On July 3, 2014, the U.S. Department of Education's (Department's) Federal Student Aid notified the University of Nebraska-Kearney (UNK or the University) of its intent to fine UNK a total of \$65,000 for violations of the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (the Clery Act) in Section 485(f) of the Higher Education Act, as amended (HEA). The proposed fine was based on the findings in a Final Program Review Determination (FPRD) issued on January 30, 2014. The letter stated that the fine would be imposed on July 23, 2014 unless UNK submitted a request for a hearing or written material indicating why the fine should not be imposed. As of the date of this letter, UNK has not submitted a request for a hearing or written material.

Since UNK has not appealed the proposed fine, the Department is imposing the proposed total fine of \$65,000 for the violations of the Clery Act described in our letter of July 3, 2014.

**The \$65,000 fine is due to the Department within 30 days of the date of this letter. Payment must be in the form of a certified or cashier's check, and made payable to the U.S. Department of Education.** If payment is not received by the Department within that 30-day time period, interest will accrue in monthly increments until payment is received. Please send your fine payment to me at the following address:

Administrative Actions and Appeals Service Group  
U.S. Department of Education  
Federal Student Aid/Program Compliance  
830 First Street, NE - UCP-3, Room 84F2  
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If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Lawrence Mwethuku of my staff at 202/377-3684.

Sincerely,

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