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In reply refer to:

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Thomas Aquinas College 1520 Grand Avenue San Rafael, CA 94901

Gentlemen:

Purpose: Educational

Address Inquiries and File Returns with District

Director of Internal Revenue: San Francisco

Form 990-A Required:

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Accounting Period Endings June 30

On the basis of your stated purposes and the understanding that your operations will continue as evidenced to date or will conform to those proposed in your ruling application, we have concluded that you are exempt from Federal income tax as an organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Any changes in operation from those described, or in your character or purposes, must be reported immediately to your District Director for consideration of their effect upon your exempt status. You must also report any change in your name or address.

You are not required to file Federal income tax returns so long as you retain an exempt status, unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income imposed by section 511 of the Code, in which event you are required to file Form 990-T. Our determination as to your liability for the annual information return, Form 990-A, is set forth above. That return, if required, must be filed on at before the 15th day of the fifth month after the close of your annual accounting period indicated above.

Contributions made to you are deductible by donors as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers or gifts to or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes under the provisions of section 2055, 2106 and 2522 of the Coxle.

You are not liable for the taxes imposed under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (social accountly taxes) unless you file a waiver of exemption certificate as provided in such act. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act. Inquiries about the waiver of exemption certificate for social security taxes should be addressed to this office, as should any questions concerning excise, employment or other Federal taxes.

This is a determination letter.

Very truly yours,

Joseph M. Cullen

Department of the Treasury OCT 26 197

Internal Revenue Service

Washington, DC 20224

Date:

10-20-70

In reply refer to:

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AQUINAS COLLEGE THOMAS 1520 GRAND AVENUE SAN RAFAEL CA

Gentlemen:

Based on the information you recently submitted, we have classified you as an organization that is not a private foundation as defined in section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Your classification is based on the assumption that your operations will be as stated in your notification. Any changes in your purposes, character, or method of operation must be reported to your District Director so he may consider the effect on your status.

Sincerely yours,

Chief, Rulings Section Exempt Organizations Branch

FORM M-0714 (8-70) (CONTINUOUS)

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FRANCHISE TAX BOARD

-)25 P STREET SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA 95814

October 11, 1968

The Institute for Christian Education, Inc. c/o Cox & Cummins
P. O. Box 111
Martinez, CA 94553

Re: Exemption from franchise tax

Gentlemen:

It is the opinion of this office, based upon the evidence presented, that you are exempt from State franchise tax under the provisions of Section 23701d of the Revenue and Taxation Code, as it is shown that you are organized and operated exclusively as an educational organization.

Accordingly, you will not be required to file franchise tax returns unless you change the character of your organization, the purposes for which you were organized, or your method of operation. Any such changes should be reported immediately to this office in order that their effect upon your exempt status may be determined.

If in any year your gross income exceeds \$25,000, you are required to file an information return on Form 199 on or before the 15th day of the 5th month following the close of your fiscal year. These forms will be mailed to you if you provide us with your current postal address.

If you have income from an unrelated trade or business that is taxable under the provisions of Section 23731 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, you must file a return on Form 109 on or before the 15th day of the 3rd month following the close of your fiscal year. Copies of this form may be obtained from this office or any of its branches.

Contributions made to you are deductible by the donors in arriving at their taxable net income in the manner and to the extent provided by Sections 17214, 17215, 17216, and 24357 of the Revenue and Taxation Code.

If the organization is not yet incorporated or has not yet qualified to do business in California, this approval will expire unless incorporation or qualification is completed within 30 days.

Very truly yours,

James C. Stewart
Tax Counsel
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cc: Secretary of State