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March 27, 2026

Adina Zaharescu, President  
**Orange County Flight Center**  
19531 Campus Drive, Suite 4  
Santa Ana, CA 92707

**Facility Code: 26-0001-05**

**Subject: Notice of Reapproval– Flight Training Courses**

Dear President Zaharescu:

Your application to train veterans and eligible persons at **Orange County Flight Center**, 19531 Campus Drive, Suite 4, Santa Ana, CA 92707, under Title 38 U.S. Code, is approved by the California State Approving Agency for Veterans Education (CSAAVE), a division of the California Department of Veterans Affairs. The effective date of CSAAVE approval is **March 27, 2026**, and is based on information contained in your **Reapproval** for approval for the Veterans Information Bulletin (VIB) dated February 24, 2026.

This VIB approval shall remain in effect, in both content and policy, as certified true and correct by the institution. Any changes or revisions to the VIB must be submitted to the CSAAVE for approval. Subsequent changes or revisions to the institution, its VIB, programs, or ownership must be submitted to the CSAAVE for approval. Failure to properly advise CSAAVE of any change automatically voids this approval, effective the date of change. The VIB submitted for this approval expires **February 28, 2028**. Ensure an application is submitted for the new VIB prior to the VIB expiration date. **Prior to submitting the new catalog for approval, contact CSAAVE at [csaaveinfo@calvet.ca.gov](mailto:csaaveinfo@calvet.ca.gov) for submission instructions.**

This approval is granted in accordance with the responsibilities delegated to CSAAVE under 38 U.S.C. §§ 3671(a) & 3672(a).

Based on the institution's application submission, CSAAVE approval is granted as follows:

- Flight training courses deemed approved in accordance with 38 U.S.C. § 3672(2)(A)(ii):

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All program rates and hours are approved as reported in the submitted VIB.

This approval replaces and supersedes all prior approvals for flight training courses.

No flight training courses other than the courses listed in this Notice of Approval are approved for this institution.

- Based on a review of the documentation received from the institution for the Application for Approval, the SAA has made the determination that the institution is in compliance with 38 U.S.C. § 3696. The determination is based on the SAA's review of submitted advertising material and the institutions disclosure that the institution is currently not on sanction with any authorization entity, as related to the specific elements of the statute.

**Conditions of CSAAVE approval:**

The institution agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state statutory requirements for Title 38 approval.

The institution must immediately submit written notification to CSAAVE of any and all material facts regarding regulatory actions pertaining to the current status of the institution, its owners and/or ownership structure, policies, branch locations and educational programs, certificates, diplomas and degrees. A material fact is one that without CSAAVE's knowledge would reasonably result in a different approval determination. The institution must submit copies of official documentation, as issued by the agency represented. Notification must include a copy of the notice served upon the institution, the findings and recommendations, the response submitted by the institution and the final decision or action by the entity. A copy of all supporting documentation and attachments must be included with the submission.

The institution must disclose any and all information that could impact the ability to fulfill its commitments to provide education, ensure proper operation, and maintain sufficient financial resources for long-term fiscal soundness, as it pertains to the requirements and standards of the institution's accrediting body and the conditions of CSAAVE approval.

Failure to submit timely notification and/or deviation from information contained in the application, which served as a basis for this grant of approval, may result in an adverse administrative action.

Pursuant to 38 C.F.R. § 21.4258 a copy of this approval notice, including all attachments, has been submitted to the San Diego VA Regional Office. The payment of education benefits is administered by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs (DVA). CSAAVE's issuance

of approval is not a guarantee of payment. DVA may not release education payments for any programs that DVA determines do not meet the requirements of Title 38. Questions regarding the submission or processing of enrollment certifications for Title 38 beneficiaries at your institution must be directed to the VA Regional Office. Email: [compliance\\_liaison@va.gov](mailto:compliance_liaison@va.gov)

Should you have any questions regarding this reapproval, please contact me at (949) 473-0053 or [Ezekiel.hall@calvet.ca.gov](mailto:Ezekiel.hall@calvet.ca.gov). Please include your facility code in the subject line of email correspondence.

Sincerely,

*Ezekiel Hall*

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Education Specialist

cc: U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.  
Niki-Alexander Shetty, Managing Director

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