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## **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 Babson College to offer a Doctor of Business Administration.

Babson College is an approved independent institution in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts located in Wellesley, Massachusetts and accredited by the New England Commission on Higher Education (NECHE), the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB), and the EMFD Quality Improvement System (EQUIS). Babson College is authorized to award the degrees of Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Master of Business Administration, Doctor of Laws honoris causa, Master of Science in Accounting, Master of Science in Management, Master of Science in Entrepreneurship, Master of Science in Business Analytics, and Master of Science in Finance.

In its current petition, the institution seeks authorization to award the Doctor of Business Administration.

The public comment period for the Articles of Amendment filed by Babson College to offer the Doctor of Business Administration begins on October 17, 2024, and will close three weeks thereafter, on November 7, 2024. Written comments on the proposed amendments may be submitted at any time prior to 5:00pm on November 7, 2024, by directing the same to the following:

## Email: PublicComment@dhe.mass.edu

Postal Mail: Massachusetts Department of Higher Education, One Ashburton Place, Room 1401 Boston, MA 02108, Attn: Christine Williams, Assistant Commissioner for Regulatory Affairs and Strategic Initiatives

Please submit electronic comments as an attached Word document and type "Babson College Doctor of Business Administration" in the subject line. All submissions must include the sender's full name and address. For special accommodations for the submission of public comments or information regarding the submission of public comments in an alternative format, please contact Christine Williams at <a href="mailto:cwilliams@dhe.mass.edu">cwilliams@dhe.mass.edu</a>.