

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

October 16, 2023

Richard Buskirk Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Laureate Education, Inc. PMB 1158 1000 Bricknell Avenue, Suite 715 Miami, FL 33131

> Re: Laureate Education, Inc. Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2022 Filed February 23, 2023 File No. 001-38002

Dear Richard Buskirk:

We have reviewed your filing and have the following comment. In our comment, we may ask you to provide us with information so we may better understand yourdisclosure.

Please respond to this letter within ten business days by providing the requested information or advise us as soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe our comment applies to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing your response to this letter, we may have additional comments.

Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2022

Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Non-GAAP Financial Measure, page 39

1. We note that your calculation for EBITDA begins with income (loss) from continuing operations rather than net income (loss). Please explain why you believe this presentation is appropriate or revise. Refer to Question 103.02 of the Non-GAAP Financial Measures Compliance and Disclosure Interpretations.

We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff. Richard Buskirk Laureate Education, Inc. October 16, 2023 Page 2

Please contact Blaise Rhodes at 202-551-3774 or Angela Lumley at 202-551-3398, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Trade & Services