

**Particulars of Notice of Contravention and Review Decision**  
S. 49(1) *Private Career Colleges Act, 2005* (“Act”)

June 23, 2011

These particulars are posted following the issuance of an administrative penalty for which a review was requested. Penalties may be reviewed upon request within 15 days of receipt of a Notice of Contravention. The review decision is made considering not only the information originally available at the time the Notice of Contravention was issued, but also any new information not previously available that may have been supplied in support of the request for a review. On review, an administrative penalty may be upheld, rescinded or reduced. A review decision is final.

Original service date: April 1, 2011

George Rondina  
Director  
Number 9 Sound Studios Inc.  
operating as Number 9 Audio Group; Number Nine; and Number 9  
222 Gerrard Street East  
Toronto ON, M5A 2E8

Description:	Original Amount:	Review Decision:
<p>Act, s. 11 — Restrictions on advertising and soliciting</p> <p>On February 17, 2011, a Designate of the Superintendent (“Designate”) reviewed a website belonging to the School, <a href="http://www.number9.ca">www.number9.ca</a> and found it advertising a Complete Recording Course.</p> <p>Between March 22 and March 28, 2011 a Designate exchanged e-mails with George Rondina, managing director of the School. In the e-mails the Designate inquired about the cost and the duration of the Complete Recording Course, if a student studies for 3-4 hours per week. Mr. Rondina advised that the course costs \$10,995 and has a duration of 6-12 months. The course, therefore, takes a minimum of 78 hours to complete (6 months = 26 weeks. 26 weeks * 3 hours per week = 78 hours).</p>	<p>\$1,000 per day</p>	<p>Penalty is reduced to \$250 per day for April 1, 2011.</p> <p>The balance of evidence available indicates that Number 9 Sound Studios Inc. was advertising an unapproved vocational program. Number 9 Sound Studios Inc. came into compliance on April 1, 2011.</p>
<b>Total:</b>		<b>\$250</b>