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## Letter from the President

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May 15, 1987

Dear Friends and Colleagues:

In my most recent Report to the Region I have listed a number of reasons why it is important that the State of Illinois increase funding for education. In so doing, I have explained the need for a tax increase in order to improve the financing of education in our state. If you have not read the Report, I urge you to do so as soon as it is convenient.

As part of the effort to increase the number of dollars which our state invests in education, I urge you to write to our area legislators to encourage them to support the increased funding for education which is contained in Governor James Thompson's proposal for tax changes. I realize, of course, that tax increases are not popular; however, the future health of our educational systems demand that all citizens of our state make necessary commitments today. I hope you will agree with me in this assessment.

On the reverse are the names and addresses of several legislators from our region. Simply write them that "I support Governor Thompson's proposed tax increase as a means of improving funding for education," sign your name and address, and mail as soon as possible. Your effort in this regard is very important to the future of Governors State University, and to all other public educational institutions in Illinois.

Yours most sincerely,

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