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February 1, 2011

The Honorable James "Jim" Tucker  
Speaker of the House  
732 Behrman Hwy., Suite C-2  
Terrytown, LA 70056

Dear Speaker Tucker:

At its regularly scheduled meeting on January 27, 2011, the Board of Regents made the following motion:

**On motion of Regent Stokes, seconded by Regent Klein, the Board voted unanimously to accept the recommendation of the Planning, Research and Performance Committee to accept the response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 165 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature. This resolution requested the Board of Regents to study and make recommendations relative to including students who graduate from an institution in calculations for determining and for reporting on student graduation and completion rates by public postsecondary institutions.**

Attached is the resolution response.

The Board of Regents, as well as each of the systems, has also complied in posting performance and cost data information as requested in HCR 152 by Speaker Tucker. The information was posted to each system and/or campus website as appropriate and includes graduation rates, retention rates, transfer rates, time to degree statistics and financial aid assistance.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert W. Levy". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Robert W. Levy  
Chairman

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Attachment

c: Representative Austin Badon, House Education Chair