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**Subject:** Congratulations

Gov. Haley,

Congratulations for the well deserved recognition as one of Time's Top 100 Influencers. I was pleased to see you on that list. On another note SACS was on SC State's campus April 12 -14 and there was consistent questions about the State's support for some type of Loan Forgiveness.

I was specifically asked (caught off guard) about your support and would you sign a bill if it hit your desk. As a Board we feel that affirmation from your office would be very helpful in ensuring SACS moves in a positive direction (removing probationary status). I spoke in greater detail about this to Austin on Friday and he indicated that Josh was working on language that the Governor's office deem appropriate. We want to make sure that the situation doesn't languish between the House and Senate.

I sincerely thank you for the support you have shown SC State.

Regards,

Milton Irvin