



Vermont Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators

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The Honorable James Jeffords
United States Senate
413 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Jeffords:

At our annual conference last week, the Vermont Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (VASFAA) membership acknowledged the significant contributions you have made to higher education for Vermont students, parents and institutions. Given the Congressional calendar, we knew you would not be able to attend. We were very pleased Heidi Scheuermann was in attendance representing you so we could convey our sincere appreciation for all your efforts over the years in support of higher education access and affordability in which our association so strongly believes.

In your honor, VASFAA is contributing \$500 to the two Senator James M. Jeffords Endowment Scholarships you established at VSAC in honor of your mother and sister. VSAC is graciously matching this amount, so \$1,000 is being contributed overall. We do this with great admiration and gratitude, Senator.

We hope that your schedule might allow you to join us at our 2007 annual meeting, scheduled for June 21 and 22, 2007 at the Killington Grand Resort, so we can thank you in person. Please consider yourself an honorary member of VASFAA!

We wish you all the best in your remaining months in the Senate and look forward to your continued contributions to the state of Vermont.

Sincerely,

Yvonne Whitaker
President, VASFAA