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Lt. Governor Don Siegelman:
Alabama State House
Montgomery, AL 36130

Dear Lt. Governor Siegelman:

I have been in education for over 20 years and I have had the privilege to serve thirteen years as a secondary principal. In all of these years I have never seen a process to teach Algebra as effective as Learning Logic.

It is great for the advanced math student because they can work at their own rate. It is great for the struggling math student because they are not pressured to move faster than their ability or background will allow them. They work at their own rate and they learn Algebra. We have seen it happen in a year and a half at Piedmont High School.

While many schools are worried about getting their struggling students through Algebra I, to meet the new State Course of Study recently passed by the State Board of Education, we are not. We know Learning Logic will get the job done for all students.

Our only concern is that legislators will not take the time to investigate Learning Logic and will not fund it. If that happens we may lose Learning Logic and I project our dropout rate will go up as a result of frustrated students who will not be able to meet the Algebra I requirement. Of course I do not have to explain how negatively that impacts on our economy. As you can see I view Learning Logic as an investment and not an expense. Please do not allow Learning Logic to go unfunded.

Please call if I can be of any assistance.

Sincerely,

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CC: Senator Hank Sanders
Speaker Jimmy Clark

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Dr. Ed Richardson