June 25, 2008

The Honorable Bobby Jindal  
Governor, State of Louisiana  
P.O. Box 94004  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9004

Dear Governor Jindal:

I have had the opportunity to serve on a number of boards and commissions during my long tenure in public life, and I have enjoyed my service on each and every one of them. However, one of my passions in life has been the furtherance of educational opportunities for all students. Because of that passion, I consider myself to be very fortunate to have been afforded the opportunity to serve on the Board of Supervisors of the University of Louisiana System. My service on this Board has been one of my most rewarding experiences in public service because I was able to serve with men and women who were very dedicated to improving opportunities for more students to become college graduates. I am especially fortunate to have been able to work closely with Dr. Sally Clausen who has been a friend and colleague for more than thirty years. She is a progressive leader and a great asset to our state.

However, there comes a time when one must relinquish the opportunity to serve so that others who are eager and able may do so. Therefore, it is with a sense of deep appreciation for the opportunities that I have been given to serve the cause of higher education in Louisiana that I hereby submit my resignation from the Board of Supervisors of the University of Louisiana System effective immediately. I must say that I am deeply grateful to those who have allowed me to serve.

Respectfully submitted,

Victor Bussie

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