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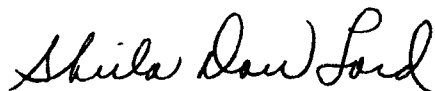
Mr. Robert E. Nyce
Executive Director
Independent Regulatory Review Commission
333 Market Street, 14th Floor
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Dear Mr. Nyce:

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission has suggested revisions to sections of the final form regulation 58-23 that was submitted to you for review on April 27, 2000. At the Commission's request, we are requesting that the time for review of the regulations be tolled to revise Sections 121.9 (Administrative Loan Collection Review Procedures) and 121.10 (Administrative Wage Garnishment Procedures for Federal Loans).

The revisions will correct references in Sections 121.9(b)(15)(i) - (viii) and 121.10(b)(2)(i) for consistency with the revised subsections in the final-form regulation, and incorporate, by reference, Section 488A of the Higher Education Act of 1995 (20 U.S.C.A. § 1095(a)), rather than recite portions of the provision in the regulation. The preamble will also include revisions to address these changes.

Sincerely,



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cc: The Honorable James J. Rhoades
The Honorable Allyson Wise Schwartz
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