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To: IRRC
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To IRRC Commissioners:

I am writing to express my support for the recently-submitted regulations to establish statewide standards for high school graduation. I currently teach remedial reading courses at Harrisburg Area Community College, and I am amazed and embarrassed at my students' lack of proficiency at the beginning of each semester. If the statewide standards were instituted, students would not need to pay for the remedial classes he or she should have had in high school. We are letting down not just the forty percent of students who do not meet grade level in at least one subject, but the employers who are looking to hire individuals who are prepared to meet the challenges of the workforce. Please consider passing IRRC Reg #2696 to ensure everyone has the education they deserve.

Sincerely,

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