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Dear sir:

The Department of Higher Education at Indiana University recently sent your institution a survey instrument entitled "A Study of Patterns of Institutional Response to Blacks in Higher Education." Dr. August W. Eberle has asked me, as a primary investigator working on this study, to follow up on his initial inquiry. We realize that many people have been unable to complete the instrument by the date requested; and we therefore now hope for an October 16 return date.

In designing the instrument and considering to whom it should be sent, considerable thought was given to public institutions. A careful review of the instrument has shown that each question might apply to particular public institutions although it is unlikely that any single institution will find each and every question applicable. A preliminary analysis of questionnaires already returned from public colleges and universities indicates that there are significant differences in their patterns of response.

We trust this letter will help clarify our intent and will encourage you to return the completed questionnaire. Because some of the questionnaires may have been mislaid, an additional copy is enclosed for your convenience. If you have any questions or comments, we would appreciate hearing from you. If you have already returned the completed instrument, please accept our thanks and disregard this letter.

Thank you for your time and attention.

Reuben R. McDaniel, Jr.  
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