



October 22, 2008

Dear Key Communicator:

I received a telephone call from Austin indicating that the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) has removed the Uniform Grade Point Average (UGPA) rules from their meeting agenda for Thursday and have postponed the topic until January or a special meeting in December.

To those of you, and there were many, who became engaged in this issue and wrote or called the members of the THECB, Commissioner Paredes and your legislators, thank you. Senator Dan Patrick and Representative Patricia Harless wrote exceptional letters to Commissioner Paredes based on their understanding and concerns about the UGPA rules. I am sure that your communication with our legislators was very important to them during this process.

Please know that I will keep you informed as I receive additional information about this critical issue.

Sincerely,
David Anthony