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Attached are three statements issued today by President Miles regarding the student Regent appointment, the announcement of FEMA funding for the University of Iowa, and the University of Iowa report on the Pollock painting.

Please let us know if you have any questions. Thank you.



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Statement from President David Miles Regarding Student Appointment to the Board of Regents

On behalf of the Board of Regents, I would like to congratulate Greta Johnson, a student at Iowa State University, on her appointment by Governor Culver to the Board of Regents, State of Iowa.

Ms. Johnson, a political science major from Le Mars, Iowa, is actively involved in many Iowa State University programs, including the Carrie Chapman Catt Center for Women and Politics, Summer Orientation Program, President's Leadership Class, Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority, Government of the Student Body, ISU Student Foundation Committee, and the Iowa State Wind Ensemble.

We are very pleased to welcome Greta Johnson as the newest member of the Board of Regents.

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Statement from President David Miles on FEMA Funding for University of Iowa Flood Damage

U.S. Senator Tom Harkin today announced the funding of more than \$80 million in FEMA disaster relief for eastern Iowa. Of this amount, \$71.6 million has been designated for flood recovery efforts at the University of Iowa.

The Board of Regents is very grateful for the tireless efforts of Senator Harkin, Senator Grassley, Governor Culver, Iowa's congressional delegation, and the Iowa legislature, in pursuing these vital flood recovery dollars for the University. We will continue our work in the many months ahead with FEMA officials, and the University's insurance provider, FM Global, to meet the additional flood recovery needs of the University of Iowa.

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**Statement from President David Miles Regarding Study of Jackson Pollock's "Mural"**

At the August 2008 meeting, President Miles directed the Board Office to prepare a study on Jackson Pollock's "Mural" in the University of Iowa's art collection. The University has complied with this request, and the Board has posted the information on its web site, [www2.state.ia.us/regents](http://www2.state.ia.us/regents)

The Board thanks the University for its timely and thoughtful response. This concludes the Board's inquiry into this matter.