



# UNITED STATES STUDENT ASSOCIATION

March 18, 2003

The Honorable George Miller  
2205 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Representative Miller,

The United States Student Association would like to thank you once again for your effort in making college more affordable and accessible for all. USSA is the oldest and largest national student organization that represents thousands of students who believe that education is a right and not a privilege.

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USSA fully supports the College Opportunity for a Better America Act of 2003 and the College Affordability and Lifetime Savings Act. We look forward to working with you to make sure that both acts see passage in the 108<sup>th</sup> Congress.

Students feel that the enhancement of loan forgiveness in the College for a Better America Act for public service employees reaches out to those graduates who are serving our communities most. USSA also wants to thank you for addressing student debt for borrowers who are struggling with their loans. The Lifetime Savings Act would benefit low-income students and provide a tax credit that would provide borrowers with a 50 percent credit on the annual interest paid.

Both pieces of legislation address the ongoing problem of unmanageable debt that student borrowers face. Again, we fully support these bills and thank you again for making student issues a priority.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mary R. Cunningham'.

Mary R. Cunningham  
Legislative Director  
United States Student Association