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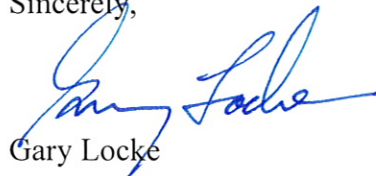
Dear Dr. Throgmorton:

It is my privilege to inform you that the Sacramento Center for International Trade Development (Sacramento CITD) of the Los Rios Community College District has been selected to receive the President's "E" Award for Export Service in recognition of your organization's achievement in supporting export growth in the U.S. business community.

The Sacramento CITD has demonstrated a sustained commitment to export expansion. Particularly impressive are the trade education and promotion programs that Sacramento CITD conducts in cooperation with its partners to assist businesses in northern California. The Sacramento CITD's achievements have undoubtedly contributed to national export expansion efforts that support the U.S. economy and create American jobs.

Greg Mignano, Director of the Pacific North Network of the U.S. and Foreign Commercial Service, will assist you with any questions you may have regarding the President's "E" Award Program. Congratulations on this exceptional achievement.

Sincerely,



Gary Locke



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