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Dear President Gardner;

It was a pleasure to see you again in Salt Lake City at the recent Governor's Economic Development Conference. Your remarks were perfect and very relevant to higher education and economic development issues and needs in Utah.

Last week I was at UC-Davis for a National Science Foundation workshop. I learned that the UC system is selecting a Chancellor for UC-Davis, as well as for the Santa Barbara and Santa Cruz campuses. I wish to be considered for the UC-Davis Chancellor position.

UC-Davis is a very good institution, with an excellent reputation in the biological and agricultural sciences and in engineering. It is poised for international prominence in the biosciences and biotechnology. Much of what is done today in engineering and in the economy will be made obsolete in ten to twenty years by methods, techniques, materials and devices derived from the biological sciences.

What makes an institution great is certainly outstanding faculty and students-- but it also requires long range vision and leadership, as well as focus and direction. As you may recall, my background and activities are highly inter- and multi- disciplinary, spanning the biological and physical sciences as well as engineering and medicine. Such a background is highly relevant to the UC-Davis environment.

These past four years as Dean of Engineering at Utah have provided substantial administrative experience and skills. I would enjoy the challenge and opportunity to work with you in steering and directing UC-Davis towards an even higher level of national and international accomplishments and prominence.

My technical C.V. is attached, together with a list of references. I would be pleased to have the opportunity to meet with you and/or the search committee to continue the discussion.

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Sincerely,

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