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Dear Fellow State Employees:

As Governor of this Great State it gives me much pleasure to recognize and congratulate each of you in your completion of this important program. To the twenty-three Certified Public Manger graduates and to the forty-nine Certificates in Supervisory Management graduates, I extend my appreciation to you for this accomplishment in the field of public management.

The Mississippi State Personnel Board continues to strive for professional excellence and the success of the Certified Public Management course is a proven example of those efforts. I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the director and the staff of the Certified Public Management program for displaying the efforts to allow all Mississippians the opportunity to benefit from your accomplishments.

Due to a conflict with our trip to Bosnia and Korea, I cannot be with you today, but I wish for you a very enjoyable and memorable event. Thank you for your dedication to our State and for your willingness to excel in your careers. Congratulations once again.

Very truly yours,

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