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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about scam colleges. The income gap in the US continues to grow but a good college education is still a good way to keep ahead. Our public education system and college access for everyone has enabled this country to thrive by promoting the best and brightest rather than just those born with silver spoons. This promise creates an opportunity for scammers with fake schools such as Phoenix, Corinthian, DeVry or Trump as well as associated predatory loan outfits. The federal government was slow to act but eventually both the BCFP and the Education Department built units to prosecute such abuses. Secretary DeVos and Acting Director Mulvaney have eviscerated both of these operations in the past month. The Education department has also hired many with conflicts of interest here such as Jones, Eitel, Schmoke, Muniz and Hansen. Education is essential to keeping America strong.

Please assure me that you will stop fake colleges.

I am very proud to be a US resident and a large part of that derives from our egalitarian education system.

Sincerely, Eric Babson