REPORT DIGEST

ILLINOIS BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION

COMPLIANCE EXAMINATION

For the Two Years Ended: June 30, 2009

Summary of Findings:

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INTRODUCTION

There were no material findings of noncompliance disclosed during our examination tests.

AUDITORS' OPINION

We conducted a compliance examination of the Illinois Board of Higher Education as required by the Illinois State Auditing Act. We have not audited any financial statements of the Board for the purpose of expressing an opinion, because the agency does not, nor is it required to, prepare financial statements.

WILLIAM G. HOLLAND, Auditor General

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AUDITORS ASSIGNED

This examination was performed by the staff of the Office of the Auditor General.

{Expenditures and Activity Measures are summarized on the reverse page.}

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| EXPENDITURE STATISTICS | FY 2009 | FY 2008 | FY 2007 |
|---|--------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| Total Expenditures (All Funds) | \$15,257,587 | \$36,829,608 | \$45,566,109 |
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| OPERATIONS TOTAL | \$2,742,034 | \$2,848,091 | \$2,793,261 |
| % of Total Expenditures | 18% | 8% | 6% |
| Personal Services | \$1,958,266 | \$1,987,678 | \$1,963,591 |
| % of Operations Expenditures | 71% | 70% | 70% |
| Average No. of Employees | 32 | 34 | 31 |
| Other Payroll Costs (FICA, Retirement) | \$27,665 | \$26,188 | \$26,118 |
| % of Operations Expenditures | 1% | 1% | 1% |
| Contractual Services | \$507,120 | \$568,496 | \$537,318 |
| % of Operations Expenditures | 19% | 20% | 19% |
| All Other Operations Items | \$248,983 | \$265,729 | \$266,234 |
| % of Operations Expenditures | 9% | 9% | 10% |
| GRANTS TOTAL | \$12,515,553 | \$33,981,517 | \$42,772,848 |
| % of Total Expenditures | 82% | 92% | 94% |
| Total State-Funded Grants | \$9,930,945 | \$31,083,696 | \$40,475,943 |
| % of Total Grants | 79% | 91% | 95% |
| Total Federally-Funded Grants | \$2,584,608 | \$2,897,821 | \$2,296,905 |
| % of Total Grants | 21% | 9% | 5% |
| Cost of Property and Equipment | \$511,646 | \$545,080 | \$519,201 |
| CASH RECEIPTS | FY 2009 | FY 2008 | FY 2007 |
| • General Revenue Fund – 001 | \$1,126,384 | \$503,080 | \$1,608,292 |
| • Academic Quality Assurance Fund – 660 | 4,250 | - | - |
| Private College Academic Quality Assurance | | | |
| Fund – 661 | | - | - |
| • BHE State Projects Fund – 736 | 250 | 172,000 | - |
| BHE Federal Grants Fund – 983 | 103,000 | 2,907,423 | 2,326,202 |
| Total | 2,281,869 | \$3,582,503 | \$3,934,494 |
| | \$3,515,753 | | |
| EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR | | | |
| During Period: Ms. Judy Erwin | | | |
| Currently: Ms. Judy Erwin | | | |