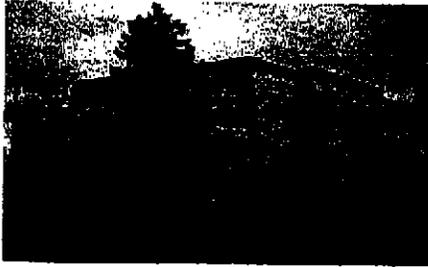


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To Who It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in support of HB 83. The statute now states that the only tuition paid by the county (out of state funds) is for placement of foster care and children with disabilities. As these children are already wards of the state I feel that the Office of Public Instruction would have a better handle on tuition payments made to each school district. Right now some school districts are paying this fee direct. I believe this bill would clarify and correct many tuition problems.

Respectfully,

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