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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA HARRISBURG

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MEMORANDUM

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CAUCUS FIREFIGHTERS & EMERGENCY SERVICES LEGISLATIVE CAUCUS

SUBJECT: Science in Motion

TO: All House Members

From: Representative Larry O. Sather

I am writing to ask you to join me in sponsoring legislation that will provide funding for the Basic Education Higher Education Science Partnership, more commonly known as the Science in Motion Program.

The Science in Motion program allows colleges and universities to provide instructional support and share cutting edge science equipment with school districts across Pennsylvania. The legislation that I have drafted provides for an appropriation of \$2 million for the program. The same amount was allocated in the fiscal year 2002-03 budget.

This program provides tremendous benefits to our students by exposing them to cutting edge technology and helping them prepare for the 21^{st} century economy. If you wish to join me in sponsoring this bill, please contact Jennifer in my office at 7-3335 or by e-mail jhaines@pahousegop.com.

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