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Superintendent

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Dr. Aart de Geus, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer
Synopsis, Inc.
700 East Middlefield Road
Mountain View, California 94043

Dear Dr. de Geus:

Congratulations to you and all your employees for reaching the 20 year milestone! Few companies have been as successful or as committed to their communities as Synopsis.

I am grateful to Synopsis for their interest in and support of public education as well as for their various partnerships with the Santa Clara County Office of Education. Your outreach has enabled us to improve services to the students and school districts within Santa Clara County that would have been impossible without your support and resources. One such example is the 'Synopsis Challenge' in which almost 1,000 students participate. In addition to sponsoring this science fair, Synopsis provides a trainer for teachers to learn how to prepare their students for the fair. For example, in

Again, we appreciate the outreach generosity of Synopsis and look forward to continuing our good work with you, Erin Brennock, Theo Olson and Deirdre Hanford.

Happy 20th Anniversary, Synopsis!

Most sincerely,



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