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Dear Robert:

As Governor of the State of Illinois, I would like to congratulate you and your colleagues upon celebrating the 100th anniversary of McGlynn & McGlynn, Attorneys at Law. The longevity of McGlynn & McGlynn reflects the firm's outstanding reputation and excellent service that has been provided to its clients over the years.

For over a decade, four generations of McGlynnns have practiced law in St. Clair County, Illinois, with one firm that has proven to be preeminent in the legal community. This celebration is even more noteworthy since the present members of the firm are all members of the McGlynn family. As the senior partner, you must be very proud of the family participation in your successful endeavors. Additionally, I would like to commend the members of the firm for their participation and contributions to community, civic, educational and religious activities. Your efforts over the years have certainly helped to improve the quality of life for all the residents of the metro-east area.

Again, my congratulations upon celebrating the firm's 100th anniversary.

Best regards,

A large, stylized handwritten signature of Jim Edgar in black ink.
Jim Edgar
GOVERNOR

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