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California Community Colleges Chancellor Jack Scott Comments on the Appointment of Bonnie Reiss as Secretary of Education

SACRAMENTO, Calif. – California Community Colleges Chancellor Jack Scott today issued the following statement on Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger's appointment of Bonnie Reiss as Secretary of Education -

"Bonnie is a superb choice for this position. She never hesitates to reach out to both Democrats and Republicans as she endeavors to resolve an issue," said Chancellor Jack Scott. "Her rich experience and collaborative leadership style will help navigate important education policies through the political process. I am confident she will serve Californians well during these challenging economic times."

The [California Community Colleges](http://www.cccco.edu) is the largest system of higher education in the nation. It is composed of 72 districts and 112 colleges serving 2.9 million students per year. Community colleges supply workforce training, a basic skills education and prepare students for transfer to four-year colleges and universities. The Chancellor's Office provides leadership, advocacy and support under the direction of the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges.

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