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April 19, 1973

The Honorable Milton J. Shapp  
Governor of Pennsylvania  
State Capitol Building  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Governor Shapp:

I have learned about the dismissal of Dr. James H. McClelland, Jr., as superintendent of Polk State School and Hospital from our local newspaper and from our local Affiliate in the area of the institution. From my personal knowledge about Polk State School and Hospital and our local Affiliate's collaboration with officials of the institution over a long period of time, we protest the autocratic manner of Dr. McClelland's dismissal.

I urge you to make an immediate investigation into the situation which, from information thus far received, appears to be a very hasty and unfair decision.

Sincerely yours,

Hugh W. Ransom  
Executive Director

HWR/dls

cc: Mrs. Helene Wohlgemuth