Address any reply to: 31 Hopkins Plaza, Balamore, Md. 21201

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Madison College Foundation, Incorporated Madiaon College Harrisonburg, Virginia 22801

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Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under soction 501(o)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

We have further determined you are not a private foundation within the mean-

ing of section 509[s] of the Codo, because you are an organization described in section 170(b)(1)(h)(vi) and 509(4)(1).

You are not liable for spoish security (FICA) taxes unless you file a waiver of exemption certificate as provided in the Federal Insurance Contributions Act.
You are not liable for the taxes imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Since you are not a private foundation, you are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Cods. However, you are not automatically exampt from

other Federal excise taxes.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequesta, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal ostate and gift tax purposes under sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

If your purposes, character, or method of operation is changed, you must lat us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status. Also,

you must inform us of all changes in your name or address.

If your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$5,000, you are required to file Form 990. Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax, by the loth day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, for failure to file a return on time.

You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are sub-ject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form SOU-T. In this letter we are not determining whether any of your prosont or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees. If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Please keep this determination lotter in your permanent records.

cc: Mr. James B. Hopvor 124 Newman Avenue, Box 671 Harrisonburg, Virginia 22801 Sincerely yours,

ساندرهسدن ن William D. Waters Acting District Director