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HWC OFFERS BEST PRACTICES TO US STATE DEPARTMENT -- INTERNATIONAL VISITORS LEADERSHIP PROGRAM HAROLD WASHINGTON COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that on March 31, 2006 the Harold Washington College ESL/Foreign Language Department provided a litany of ESL Best Practices to a US State Department-sponsored International Visitors Leadership Program delegation, and

that the delegation was comprised of TESL professionals from 17 countries and they were interested in examining the organization and methodology of teaching English as a Second Language programs in the United States, and

that the International visitors met with the HWC faculty to discuss current trends and developments in the field with special attention to distance education, on-line courses, and multimedia in the classroom, and

this was a very successful event and a great opportunity for the HWC faculty and staff to network with local Chicago Consulates and businesses.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson Chancellor

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