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Campus President Piotr Lechowski  
Keiser University  
1640 SW 145 Avenue  
Pembroke Pines, Florida 33027

Dear Mr. Lechowski,

The Pembroke Pines Police Department and Keiser University have maintained a strong professional partnership between organizations for over a decade. Members of our agency have volunteered to participate on the Keiser University Advisory Board to provide guidance on Keiser's criminal justice curriculum for students. We are thankful to Keiser University as it has provided the Pembroke Pines Police Department with support for our training initiatives on numerous occasions. The Pembroke Pines Police Department's participation in Keiser University's Job Fair is another example of our partnership towards shared goals.

Our department currently utilizes virtual simulation training systems at our state-of-the-art training facility. We support Keiser's request for funding to acquire virtual simulation equipment as it has proven to be invaluable within our training regimen. The integration of virtual simulation technology into your programs would be beneficial to your criminal justice students and would better prepare them for their future careers in law enforcement.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "K. Shimpeno".

Kipp M. Shimpeno  
Chief of Police

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