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Date: **SEP 27 2006**

SURGE STUDENTS UNITED FOR A  
RESPONSIBLE GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT  
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public Charity Status:

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Dear Applicant:

Our letter dated June 2002, stated you would be exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue code, and you would be treated as a public charity, rather than as a private foundation, during an advance ruling period.

Based on the information you submitted, you are classified as a public charity under the Code section listed in the heading of this letter. Since your **exempt** status was not under consideration, you continue to be classified as an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c) (3) of the Code.

Publication 557, Tax-Exempt Status for Your Organization, provides detailed information about your rights and responsibilities as an exempt organization. You may request a copy by calling the toll-free number for forms, (800) 529-3656. Information is also available on our Internet Web Site at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov).

If you have general questions about exempt organizations, please call our toll-free number shown in the heading.

Please keep this letter in your permanent records.

Sincerely yours,



Lois G. Lerner  
Director, Exempt Organizations  
Rulings and Agreements