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Professor Jagdish Sheth
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Via email (jag@jagsheth.com) and postal mail

Dear Dr. Sheth,

I am delighted to inform you that the University of Illinois Board of Trustees has formally approved our Senate's recommendation to award you the honorary degree of Doctor of Science. This degree will be conferred upon you during Commencement exercises held on Saturday, May 14, 2016 at Memorial Stadium.

Laura Wilhelm-Barr, Senior Director of Special Events for my office, will be in touch with you to work on arrangements for your participation in our Commencement activities. If you have any questions regarding your visit to campus, please feel free to contact Ms. Wilhelm-Barr at 217/333-8834 or wilhelmb@illinois.edu.

This degree is a reflection of the high regard in which you are held among your peers and colleagues as well as an acknowledgement of the vast accomplishments you have made throughout your career. I take great pleasure in sharing this news with you and look forward to seeing you on our campus in May.

Please accept my most sincere congratulations.

Sincerely,

Barbara J. Wilson
Interim Chancellor

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