

## Arnold Nominated for U.S. Department of Education Advisory Committee

Mountain Home, Arkansas

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Jann Arnold, Vice President of Corporate Development at Computer Automation Systems, Inc. of Mountain Home, Arkansas, has been nominated to serve on one of ten Regional Advisory Committees created by the U.S. Department of Education (USDOE) to collect information on educational needs across the country. Each committee is tasked with compiling information solicited from state and local educators, school officials, business leaders, state education agencies, parents, and communities. The committees will then create a report for U.S. Education Secretary Arne Duncan that outlines each region's educational needs and recommends innovative solutions to those needs. Additionally, committee members will assist the USDOE in establishing priorities for the 2012 Comprehensive Centers Program grant competition.

Mrs. Arnold serves on the Advisory Committee for Region 7, which includes the states of Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Texas.

### *About Computer Automation Systems, Inc.*

Based in Mountain Home, Arkansas, Computer Automation Systems, Inc. (CAS) is nationally recognized as a leader in the collection, tracking, reporting, and monitoring of complex, outcomes-focused educational data. In 1995, CAS recognized the challenges that schools face when complying with the reporting regulations mandated by state and federal agencies. In response to the Individuals with Disabilities in Education Act (IDEA), CAS developed the SEAS IEP solution to help teachers and district personnel write, implement, and manage compliant Individual Education Plans (IEPs) for special education students. Today, CAS designs and implements educational administrative software for well over 2,000 institutional customers in 34 states and Puerto Rico.

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