Media Statement: Score Holds — Oct. 11, 2014, International SAT[®] Administration

The College Board and its global test administration and security provider, Educational Testing Service (ETS), are committed to ensuring quality standards and fairness for all students.

Together, we take seriously any reported violations of our test administration and security policies, and we strongly denounce organizations that seek to illegally obtain test materials for their own profit, to the ultimate detriment of all students.

In addition to our standard processes, we rely on information shared by individuals who also wish to ensure a fair testing environment for all students. We take action on all credible information and go to great lengths to ensure each test result we report is accurate and valid.

Based on specific, reliable information, we have placed the scores of students who are current residents of Korea or China and sat for the Oct. 11 international administration of the SAT on hold while we conduct an administrative review. The review is being conducted to ensure that illegal actions by individuals or organizations do not prevent the majority of test-takers who have worked hard to prepare for the exam from receiving valid and accurate scores.

The College Board will directly email those students whose scores have been put on hold. Students and parents may contact SAT Customer Service at +1 212-713-7789 or sat@info.collegeboard.org with questions.

We encourage anyone with knowledge of any dishonest behavior with respect to the SAT to contact the Office of Testing Integrity. Reports can be made confidentially at +1 609-406-5430 or testsecurity@info.collegeboard.org.
