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PALM BEACH COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENT HEADS STATEWIDE ORGANIZATION

(Boca Raton, Fla.— May 28, 2003) Marc Davis, outgoing president of the Student Government Association at PBCC in Boca Raton, has been elected president of the Florida African-American Student Association.

Davis, who lives in Boca Raton, had served as the organization's vice president of programs. He said being elected to the top post is a good achievement for him.

"I feel responsible to step forward to do what I can to help the community and promote students. I feel I provide the direction necessary to move the organization into the 21st century, and it's my way of giving back."

FAASA was founded in 1976 to develop and implement a program to identify and address the educational, economic and cultural concerns of students of African descent. FAASA represents more than 60,000 students in colleges and universities throughout the state of Florida.

As president, Davis will coordinate two FAASA leadership conferences this fall and in spring 2004 as well as implement initiatives that address the organization's political, academic, community/cultural and economic development (PACE) plan.

Davis, who is majoring in psychology and history, plans to become a college professor and eventually a college president. He will transfer to Florida Atlantic University after graduating from PBCC in December.

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