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**STATEMENT OF REPRESENTATIVE SCHAKOWSKY CONGRATULATING**

Washington, D.C.—U.S. Representative Jan Schakowsky delivered the following remarks at a press conference on June 26, 2007.  
"Madam Speaker, today I rise to congratulate the 2007 graduating class of Senn High School."

The graduates of Senn High School represent this bright future. Demonstrating that the American dream is still alive and well.

Like so many Americans, I am a first-generation American and I believe that we need to continue to support our immigrants and their families.

Madam Speaker, as we continue to debate the merits of immigration reform, I hope that we can find a way to bring our immigration system into the 21st century.