Binghamton, NY - Congressman Maurice Hinchey released the following statement following the State University of New York Board of Trustees naming of Harvey G. Stenger Jr. as President of Binghamton University.

"Harvey G. Stenger Jr. has the right combination of experience to lead Binghamton forward in a new era of excellence. His background as an engineer will help strengthen the University's links to area technology companies and ensure a continuation of BU's growth as one of the finest research institutions in the country. I applaud Chancellor Nancy Zimpher on successfully conducting the exhaustive search, and thank current President C. Peter Magrath for his service and strong leadership."