

Europe Trip Statement:
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In every meeting that we had in Europe, we made it perfectly clear that Mississippi is open for business.

We met with companies who already have operations in our state and new companies looking to expand their operations possibly in Mississippi.

I think you will see in the near future how successful this trip really was.

We have made some important political ties that will be very valuable to this state in future business dealings.

(You can say something on both tourism and economic development and discuss the Dresden meeting.)