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RE: Brown vs. Board of Education
Case No. T-316

Dear Jon:

Enclosed herewith, please find the two orders of the Court, entered in accordance with our agreement with defense counsel.

On March 18, 1983, Judge Rogers convened another status conference to find out where we are. I appeared on behalf of the Plaintiffs. Mssis. Henson and Sebelius appeared on behalf of the defendant Board of Education. Ms. Kulick appeared on behalf of the State Defendants.

At the status conference, the Judge basically asked where we were. Sebelius and I both informed him that we could sign agreed orders concerning the outstanding discovery. We reiterated what had previously been said about the timetables for discovery, i.e. the defendant Board will supply complete interrogatory answers by June 1, 1983, and the Plaintiffs will complete interrogatory answers by August 1, 1983.

After the Judge received those comments on the written discovery, there was a general consensus that we could make no further specific plans as to stipulations or depositions until about August 1, 1983.

There was a general consensus that we might be looking at hearings before the Court approximately one year from now.

As incidental matters, the Court sustained the State Board of Education members' motion to adopt the answers of the governor, as

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well as the State's motion to substitute as a defendant, a new member of the State Board of Education for a past member. This was the result of a change brought about by the statewide election last November.

I have copies of the Audit Records for the years 1940-1950, with the exception to the 1941-1942 school year. That report should come in the next couple of days. I will mail a copy there if you want me to. Just let me know how you want to proceed.

Sincerely,



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