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Atty. Cheryl Calloway Office of the General Counsel Divison of Civil Rights 330 Independence Avenue, S. W. Washington, D. C. 20022

Dear Cheryl:

Per our conversation this morning by telephone, I am enclosing the information as promised. I would like to cite that FAMU is, by virtue of the 1890 Statue, designated as a land-grant institution and FSU is not; yet, they have a department of Home Economics and is admitted to the National Association of Land-Grant Colleges and State Universities. We do not intend to lose our land-grant status. If there are congressional plans, as I understand there are some rumors to repeal the 1890 law, then I along with some some others would press for a repeal of the 1862 law.

Yours very truly,

B. L. Perry, Jr.

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Enclosures