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OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

School Sisters of Notre Dame

Dear Sisters,

I am pleased to announce that on December 15, 1993, Sister Ethel Howley received word from Tina Anderson of the United Nations Department of Public Information, of our acceptance as a United Nations Non-Governmental Organization. The decision to apply for this status was made by the Nineteenth General Chapter in November, 1992. As we work collaboratively with other organizations within this context we hope to live the challenges of the Mandate for Action especially the call "to share responsibility for changing structures that create and perpetuate poverty."

We continue our prayerful support of Sister Ethel Howley in her role as Director of the UN – NGO office for the School Sisters of Notre Dame.

Gratefully, prayerfully

(signature) Sister Patricia Flynn, SSND General Superior

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