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Dear Sister Patricia

The United Nations Secretariat Committee on Applications of Non-Governmental Organizations for Association with the Department of Public Information has met to consider new applications. We are pleased to inform you that the School Sisters of Notre Dame has been approved for association for an initial period of two years. During this period it is important that you include information about the United Nations and its activities in your publications and other activities. The Committee referred to above will re-evaluate your organization's information activities in two years, for possible permanent association of your organization with DPI.

The principal purpose of association of Non-Governmental Organization with the United Nations Department of Public Information is the redissemination of information in order to increase public understanding of the principles, activities and achievements of the United Nations and its Agencies. We would appreciate receiving your publication(s) on a regular basis.

The School Sisters of Notre Dame may wish to be represented at United Nations Headquarters in New York by one main representative and one alternate representative. They will be entitled to a United Nations photo Grounds Pass valid for one year. This pass allows an NGL Representative to attend the DPI/NGO weekly briefing as well as open meetings of the General Assembly, its committees, the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) and other bodies. Representatives will also be able to make use of the NGO Resource Centre and other facilities. Unless your representatives have already been designated in the Application Form for NGOs, we ask you to kindly complete the enclosed 1994 accreditation form.

An orientation course for newly accredited NGO representatives is planned for late March 1994. You will be notified in due course.

You will be hearing from us in the NGO Section regularly. We will send you current United Nations Information materials and inform you about conferences, seminars, briefings and other special meetings.

We look forward to mutually valuable association with the School Sisters of Notre Dame.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

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