

Circular 5b/78, July 17, 1978
S. Mary Margaret Johanning, SSND
General Superior

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Sisters,

One of the decisions of the 1977 General Chapter was stated as follows: "The General Chapter recommended that the General Superior and her Councilors study Nongovernmental Organization status of the United Nations with the view to seeking such status for the Congregation."

In response to this decision the General Council has asked the following Sisters to assist in studying the possibility of SSND Nongovernmental status with the UN:

Sisters Godeharda Lippok and Wonda Potts – liaison persons between the Study groups and the General Council

Sisters Patricia Flynn, Ruth Marie May, Marybeth Reissen from the North American Provinces

Sisters Johanna Hellmeier, Columba Laskowski, Dolorata Schaffer from the European Provinces.

These Sisters have been asked, and have accepted the responsibility to do the study that is possible in their respective geographic areas regarding SSND Nongovernmental participation in the UN and to report their findings to the General Council.