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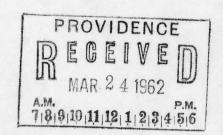
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March 21, 1962

Professor Walter S. Feldman Department of Art Brown University Providence 12, Rhode Island

Dear Professor Feldman:



I am pleased to learn that Mr. Downing has nominated you to serve on the panel which will select paintings by Rhode Island artists to hang in my Washington office.

I understand that you are now on Sabbatical Leave in Mexico and I am not sure, at this time, whether or not the selection will take place before your return. In any event, I understand that your colleague, Professor Hugh Townley, will be serving as an alternate representative on this panel.

It is, indeed, kind of you to be willing to give some of your valuable time to this project and I certainly appreciate your interest.

You will probably be hearing in the near future from my assistant, Mrs. Isabelle Leeds, concerning the details.

Warm regards.

Sincerely,

Claiborne Pell

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CC: ISABELLE LEEDS