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DRAFT LETTER TO PANEL MEMBERS

Dear :

Since you were so invaluable in enabling me to set up the exhibition of Rhode Island Art in my office here, I thought you would be interested in the reaction we have received.

Everyone who comes into the office has had the most flattering comments. There seems to be a general feeling that the selection really is representative of the different types of art work being done not only in Rhode Island but throughout the country.

I am indeed most appreciative of your generous cooperation in this project, which I sincerely hope will be a continuing one. I am sure that you will agree that should our joint endeavors bring any degree of national attention to the artists of Rhode Island, we can consider our efforts well worthwhile.

Warm regards.

Sincerely,

Claiborne Pell

**NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF PANEL MEMBERS TO SELECT ART
FOR WASHINGTON OFFICE**

- 1. Miss Marion Carry
Art Association of Newport
Newport, Rhode Island**
- 2. Barnet Fain
28 Winthrop Drive
Barrington, Rhode Island**
- 3. Carleton Goff
35 Runstick Road
Barrington, Rhode Island**
- 4. Gilbert Franklin
Rhode Island School of Design
Providence, Rhode Island**
- 5. Allen Johnson
195 Albert Avenue
Cranston, Rhode Island**
- 6. Hugh Townley
Department of Art
Brown University
Providence, Rhode Island**

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ARTISTS PARTICIPATING IN

WASHINGTON OFFICE EXHIBIT

1. Mrs. Grace Albee
11 Plymouth Drive
Barrington, Rhode Island
Wood engraving-
"Junked"
2. W. Spencer Crooks
84 Davis Avenue
Cranston, Rhode Island
Water color
"Doomed to Demolition"
3. Walter Feldman
Las Palmas 81
St. Angel Inn
Mexico, 20, D.F.
Oil painting
"Zapoteca"
4. Robert Hamilton
Rhode Island School of Design
Providence, Rhode Island
Oil painting
"Lost Continent"
5. William Leste
University of Rhode Island
Kingston, Rhode Island
Oil painting
"Muted"
6. Gordon Peers
65 Halsey Street
Providence, Rhode Island
Oil painting
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7. Professor Hugh Townley
Department of Art
Brown University
Providence, Rhode Island
Wood sculpture
"Re-entry"