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COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HUMAN RESOURCES
WASHINGTON, DC 20510-6300
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Dr. Franklin W. Robinson
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Dear Frank:

Thank you very much for your note and your kind words about my position on Senator Helms's recent amendment to the NEA appropriations bill.

As you know, we addressed Senator Helms's concerns in the most fair and thorough way last year so it is especially disconcerting to witness further erosion in support for the NEA as evidenced by the vote on his amendment.

I am hopeful that his language will be dropped in the House/Senate conference to be held next week.

It is always to good to hear from you and to know of your ongoing support.

With warm regards,

Ever sincerely,

Claiborne Pell
Chairman
Subcommittee on Education, Arts & Humanities