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August 1, 1978

Honorable Joseph D. Duffey
Chairman
National Endowment for the Humanities
Washington, DC 20506

Dear Mr. Chairman:

It has come to my attention that Mr. Reed Haney of St. George's School in Newport, Rhode Island, has applied to the National Endowment for the Humanities for a research grant. He proposes to study the circumstances surrounding the assassination of President Abraham Lincoln.

I would like to express my support for Mr. Haney's project and hope that the Endowment will act favorably on it when it comes up for consideration.

Warm regards.

Ever sincerely,

Cláaborne Peál

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