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October 17, 1983

Mr. Anthony J. Solomon
General Treasurer
State of Rhode Island
State House
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Dear Anthony,

The Rhode Island State Council on the Arts (RISCA) is requesting the upgrading of two positions, Folk Arts Coordinator and Artists in Education Director, at the meeting of the Unclassified Pay Board on October 18th.

I have reviewed both of these requests and wholeheartedly support these changes. Both positions require specialized education and expertise and reflect statewide responsibilities. As noted in the materials submitted to Ronald Wrigley, Brad Southworth, and Charles Moan, these positions attract federal monies for Rhode Island each year—during FY '84, in excess of $127,000. In fact, the Folk Arts Coordinator position is federally financed. The funds are in our budget to cover the small increases requested.

Please call me at 725-0500 if you have any questions, Anthony.

Best,

Daniel Lecht
Chairman

CC: Mr. Brad Southworth