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September 23, 1982

Mr. Gene Teitelbaum 1029 Plainfield Drive New Albany, Indiana 47150

Dear Gene:

I received your memo regarding the Lucile Elliott Scholarship. While two mailings for the scholarship would be burdensome, I have serious reservations about making a scholarship available retrospectively for the SEALL Institute.

If the applicant truly needs the scholarship to defray expenses to go to Orlando, I think it is unreasonable to wait three months for the money.

Perhaps this year, we should only make the scholarship available for the AALL National Institute or meeting since that was the primary purpose of the scholarship.

I would like to see a special emphasis made to attract candidates from law firm, county and court libraries. In the past, the scholarships have frequently been awarded applicants on the basis of their degrees and the prestige of the institutions from which the degree was received. This procedure eliminated too many firm, court and county librarians who frequently lack degrees but have a legitimate need to attend the meetings.

Sincerely yours,

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