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April 24, 1991

The Honorable Claiborne Pell
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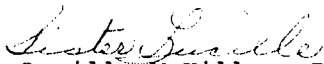
Dear Senator Pell:

This letter is to let you know that I support the nomination of Dr. Carol Iannone to be a member of the National Council on the Humanities. Although her teaching experience does not appear to have been full-time each year, the fact that she was asked to return each of eight years to Iona College (a great teaching college) indicates to me that her teaching is of a very high caliber. Her other professional experience has certainly kept her busy with scholarly activities. Moreover, her numerous publications indicate the depth of her insight and concern re: the "state of the arts" in today's society. Read, for example, "The Fiction We Deserve," Commentary, June, 1987; or "The Barbarism of Feminist Scholarship," The Intercollegiate Review, Vol. 23, No. 1., Fall, 1987.

Her views may not be those of the "establishment" of 1991, but they are insightful in their boldness. We need this view to be heard.

Thank you, as always, for your concern.

Yours sincerely,


Lucille McKillop, RSM
President

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