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November 19, 1987

Mr. C. Roy Epps, President Civic League of Greater New Brunswick 47-49 Throop Avenue New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Dear Roy:

Enclosed please find copies of self-explanatory letters dated November 13 and 18, 1987 from Judge Serpentelli and Stewart Hutt, respectively.

Sincerely,

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cc/John, Eric (w/encls)
Mount Laurel Team

## Superior Court of New Jersey

CHAMBERS OF JUDGE EUGENE D. SERPENTELLI ASSIGNMENT JUDGE



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November 13, 1987

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Re: Urban League of Greater New Brunswick et al. v. Township of Old Bridge et al. Docket No. L-009837-84-PW

Dear Counsel:

I continue to hold two (2) Motions filed by Messrs. Hall and Hutt for Reconsideration with regard to the Old Bridge decision. Pursuant to the request of counsel, I have withheld assigning a date to those Motions so that counsel may confer. Frankly, I see no basis for the Motions in the first instance and it is my intention to mark them withdrawn unless, by letter response, either Mr. Hall or Mr. Hutt or both can provide some preliminary argument as to why

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the court should reconsider.

Very truly yours,

Eugene D. Serpentelli
A.J.S.C.

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November 18, 1987

Hon. Eugene D. Serpentelli, A.J.S.C. Ocean County Court House CN-2191
Toms River, New Jersey 08754

Re: Urban League of Greater New Brunswick et al. vs. Township of Old Bridge, et al. Docket No. L-009837-84-PW

Dear Judge Serpentelli:

I am writing with regard to your letter to myself and Mr. Hall dated November 13, 1987, in which you advise that it is the Court's intention to mark the plaintiff's Motions for Reconsideration as withdrawn unless some preliminary argument is set forth by letter response. As per our recent telephone conversation, the delay in filing of our brief is due in part to the delay in receiving the transcript and as a result of my partner's recent illness and hospitalization. At this time, Woodhaven's Brief in Support of Motion for Reconsideration is ninety percent complete and Woodhaven shall file same by Wednesday, November 25, 1987. Said Brief sets forth Woodhaven's complete argument as to matters overlooked by the Court which we feel are a substantial basis for reconsideration of the Court's ruling. In short, our argument for reconsideration is that Woodhaven is a completely independent project and is entitled to the benefit of its bargain; therefore, the judgment should not be The Brief to be submitted will set aside as to Woodhaven. expound on this and related arguments.

Accordingly, we respectfully request the Court to <u>not</u> withdraw the subject motions and, upon receipt of plaintiff's brief, to set down a briefing schedule for defendants as well as a date for oral argument.

Hutt, Berkow & Jankowski

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Thanking you for your consideration of the above, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

FOR THE FIRM

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