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The Honorable Eugene D. Serpentelli Assignment Judge, Superior Court Ocean County Court House CN 2191 Toms River, NJ 08754

Re: Urban League, et al. vs. Carteret, et al. (North Brunswick)

Dear Judge Serpentelli:

This is in reply to the letter of Leslie Lefkowitz, Esq. dated April 8, 1986. We agree that Section 22(b) of the Fair Housing Act was designed "to benefit prior settling municipalities." It is for that reason that we agreed that North Brunswick's repose should run from the date of the Act, rather than from the date of the September 1984 settlement. The Township should not be granted an additional period of repose for its subsequent failure to implement in a timely manner certain provisions of that settlement.

Moreover, Mr. Lefkowitz ignores the fact that Your Honor has already signed and filed our previously submitted Order and Judgment of Repose. Under these circumstances, execution of the form of Order urged by Mr. Lefkowitz would improperly result in two Orders differing only in the date of repose. There is no motion before this Court to vacate the signed Order. Nor is there any basis for such a motion, since Mr. Lefkowitz does not deny receipt of the two prior forms of Order and Judgment of Repose which set forth the July 2, 1991 date.

For all of the foregoing reasons, it is respectfully submitted that Mr. Lefkowitz's form of Order and Judgment of Repose should not be signed.

Respectfully submitted,

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