

April 11, 1979

Waite H. Madison, Jr.
Acting Director
Division of Postsecondary Education
Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
Washington, D.C. 20201

Dear Mr. Madison:

Father Hugh O'Donnell is no longer the President-Rector of Kenrick Seminary. I am now the President.

The information you requested in your letter of March 1, 1979 is enclosed: A copy of the Kenrick Seminary catalog giving pertinent background information which demonstrates the institution falls within the definition of a religiously controlled institution as set forth in the explanation of the Title IX Assurance of Compliance Form, particularly pages 6-8 and 15-16. The specific religious tenet and provision of the regulation that we believe we are in conflict with is: admission of women to our program since the Roman Catholic Church does not admit women as ordained ministers within the Church.

Sincerely,

(Rev.) A. L. Trapp, C.M. President

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