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Dr. Laura Bornholdt Vice President The Danforth Foundation 222 South Central Avenue St. Louis. Missouri 63105

Dear Dr. Bornholdt:

We have received your announcement of the program for Danforth Fellows in Black Studies. We think this is a fine program and hope in another year to be able to take advantage of it. You might be interested in knowing that at the University of Idaho, we have developed a course entitled "Black Identity" with which we are experimenting during the current semester.

Our present feeling is that Black Studies should be handled at the University of Idaho through resources in various pertinent departments to apply in their fields the knowledge necessary for the proper interpretation of that field where Black Studies are concerned.

We hope to be prepared with a recommendation for your program next year.

Sincerely,

ROBERT W. COONROD Academic Vice President

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