UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND ONE EXCHANGE TERRACE, ROOM 214B PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903-1756

RONALD R. LAGUEUX CHIEF JUDGE

November 19, 1993

Mr. Abel Mattos Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building Washington, DC 20544

Dear Mr. Mattos:

After consideration of the recommendations of the Civil Justice Reform Act Advisory Group, [hereafter the Group] pursuant to 28 USC § 472, on October 18, 1993, the Court met to review and subsequently approved the Civil Justice Reform Act Report submitted by the Group. After careful consideration of the Recommendations submitted by the Group the Court thereafter drafted the enclosed Plan. The Plan was adopted on November 19th and is to be effective on December 1, 1993.

The Court submits herein both the Report and the Court's Expense and Delay Reduction Plan for your review and consideration.

Very truly yours,

Ronald R. Lagueux

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Enclosure