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**RE: Auction Board Meetings / Request for
Security**

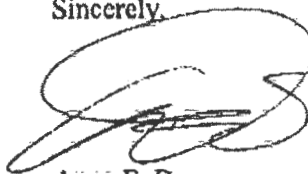
Dear Ken:

As we discussed yesterday, events have occurred over the last few years which has caused to be concerned for the safety of members of the board, the executive assistant and myself at board meetings in the future. I believe that there is a serious danger of harm to women, especially. I have discussed this with Vice-Chairman Tessa Steinkamp and Executive Assistant Sandy Edmonds, and I believe that I can represent that they both agree with me, as I believe others do also. Therefore, I would advise you that the three of us do not intend to attend any future meetings of the Board unless security is provided at those meetings.

I apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause you, any other members of the board, or the auctioneers who may attend the meetings. However, I believe that our safety is more important than our attendance at board meetings. As I advised you earlier, should the board decide not to provide security, I will be available by telephone should any legal questions arise.

I will be glad to discuss this with you at your convenience.

Sincerely,



Anna E. Dow

cc: Tessa Steinkamp
Sandy Edmonds