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Very Reverend Kilian McGowan, C.P.
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Dear Father McGowan:

We appreciate your response to our May 14, 1985, letter regarding Saint Michael's Monastic Seminary's request for religious exemption from Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972. In your response, you stated that the Seminary closed almost ten years ago, and that consequently, there is no need for an exemption at this time. Therefore, the Office for Civil Rights has closed the Seminary's case file.

If you have questions in the future regarding religious exemption, please do not hesitate to contact the New York Regional Office for Civil Rights.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "F. Cioffi".

for Frederick T. Cioffi
Acting Director
Policy and Enforcement Service
Office for Civil Rights

cc: Stanley Seidenfeld, Acting Regional Civil Rights Director, Region II