DATE: October 5, 1979

OFFICE MEMOKANDOM

To . Professor John Chowning

FROM . Henry P. Organ

Subject: Foundation Support for Equipment Acquisitions: The Center for Computer Research in Music and Acoustics (CCRMA)

Rockefeller Foundation: Michael Oman and I see no reason why you should not approach the Foundation again; if at all possible, you should try to visit with Howard Klein, the Director of their Arts program, there. (For your information, the address and telephone number are 1133 Avenue of The Americas, New York 10036; 212/869-8500.) As I understand it, your name is known to the Foundation for your work with people at UC San Diego, which the Foundation supported in this field in 1972.

Should a trip on your part not be possible within the immediate future, I noticed on our travel schedule that Dudley Kenworthy, whom you might recall from this office, is to be in NYC October 12-16. Perhaps you might want to discuss such a possibility with Kenworthy before he departs next week. His telephone number is 7-4622, and I would suggest getting in touch with him right away.

I should note that the Foundation may not support equipment acquisition, unless it is shown to be an inextricable component of a program, which I am sure you will be able to demonstrate.

Billy Rose Foundation: It's giving is almost exclusively in the New York area. I do not believe it would be productive to approach them. Should you desire to do so, nevertheless, their address is 120 Broadway, Suite 3131, NYC 10005, and their telephone number is 212/349-4141.

Good luck. I am getting in touch with the Corporate Relations staff about the names you raised. You will be hearing directly from them on same.

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cc: Janet Crews
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