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Dear Dr. Allen:

Your letter of June 9th has been received and I regret to note that an objection exists which might prevent your participating in our basketball program. However, I am taking the liberty of pointing out to you the facts as they exist in the hope that the objection can be overcome.

These games are to be played at the 132nd Regiment Armory in the City of Chicago. This Armory has been used, and is being used by DePaul University as their home auditorium. They have played the University of Purdue at this Armory for the last two or three seasons, and they conduct all of their games there when their own auditorium can not accommodate the public. This situation does not exist in New York City in that the Madison Square Garden is never used by any of the participants as a home floor during the regular playing season.

I am hopeful that this distinction and the facts above related will enable you to overcome the prohibition, and I am awaiting your favorable response.

Very truly yours,

John A. Sbarbaro

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