NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY Durham, North Carolina 27701

December 19, 1979

Mr. Oscar B. Spaulding Route 1, Box 27 Pendleton, NC 27862

Dear Mr. Spaulding:

RE: Policy #347842 - Oscar B. Spaulding, Insured

Raleigh District

I agree, "Long time no see." It has been some time since we have been together. I too, am looking forward to retirement, but I have until September 1982 before I will be 65. I do wish that I could retire earlier.

I have not been to Rockymount since September when I took a trip deep-sea fishing with the Monroe Bostic Fishing Club. I try to get in at least two or three fishing trips each year. Walter Buck Leonard is the secretary. If you retire soon, why not join that club made up of some thirty or more persons and enjoy the leisure of fishing. How is your mother? I hope that she is doint fine. It has been many years since I have seen her. My mother passed in July 1976, here in Durham. She was buried in Rockymount. She was 87 years of age.

How is the family. I do not believe that I have seen the madam since she was a student at Hampton Institute. Tell everyone hello for me.

We passed the information in your letter on to Mrs. Helen R. Jones, assistant vicepresident to be handled. You no doubt, have received your new draft or some correspondence from her since you wrote us.

Artelia, Little Kelly, and Sandra joined me in wishing you and yours a very Merry Christmas and a Happy, Prosperous, and Retired New Year.

Yours very truly,

R. Kelly Bryant, Jr. Assistant Secretary

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