The Board of Regents  
University of Maryland  
Fidelity Building  
Baltimore, Maryland  

Madam and Gentlemen:

On January 24, 1935, pursuant to and in accordance with the rules and regulations set out in "The Catalogue and Announcement of the School of Law" (1934), I made application to be admitted as a student in the University of Maryland Law School September - 1935 and forwarded the prescribed two dollars ($2.00) by a P. O. money order for investigation fee. By letter dated February 9, 1935, the officials of the University refused to consider the application and returned the application and money order.

I am a citizen of the State of Maryland and fully qualified to become a student of the University of Maryland Law School. No other State institution affords a legal education. The arbitrary actions of the officials of the University of Maryland in returning my application was unjust and unreasonable and contrary to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution and laws of this State. I, therefore, appeal to you as the governing body of the University to accept the enclosed application and money order and have my qualifications investigated within a reasonable time. After finding that I am qualified you are further requested to admit me as a regular student of the University of Maryland Law School. I am ready, willing and able to meet all requirements as a student, to pay whatever dues are required of residents of the State and to apply myself diligently to my work.

Will you please advise me at your earliest convenience of the action taken on this appeal, and upon my application.

Very truly yours,

Donald H. Murray