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Fisk Statement 9/14/10

From the Attorney General's Office:

“By testifying that Fisk could no longer take responsibility for this valuable art and presenting a proposal that would send the Collection to northwestern Arkansas, President O’Leary gave the court no choice but to ask the Attorney General for a Nashville-based alternative.

The only plan that would take this important collection away from Fisk University, its students, and the community is the one Fisk has proposed. In return for a bargain-basement price, Fisk would immediately hand over control of the art to a Delaware corporation for display in Arkansas and risk loss of the entire collection permanently.

Seeking to divide the community with rhetoric and name calling is an unfortunate response to the Court’s request for creative solutions that keep the collection in Nashville full-time.”