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The University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Commission for Women

TO: Chancellor Jack Reese

FROM: Madge Phillips, Chair of the Commission for Women

DATE: February 10, 1981

RE: Support for Day Care Conversion

At our last Commission meeting on January 8, I requested that Priscilla White share with the group some information about the proposed conversion of CFS's nursery school programs to day care programs. Although we all realized that the day care services which would be made available to the UTK community could not begin to meet all needs in this area, we did feel that this effort would be a step in the direction of addressing the issue of child care. It does seem that this alternative is one of the more workable alternatives we have examined given the already existing expertise and availability of facilities in CFS.

After some discussion the Commission asked that I write you a letter reiterating our stance that child care is an area which we feel should be a University priority. We hope that serious consideration will be given to providing support for the proposed conversion.

cc: Vice Chancellor Ebersole

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