MODIFICATION NO. 37

TO RHODE ISLAND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY AGREEMENT

The Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare and the State of Rhode Island acting through its representative designated to administer its responsibilities under the Agreement of December 20, 1951, hereby accept as additional coverage groups under said Agreement and Acknowledge full applicability of the original Agreement to the following:

COVERAGE

Foster-Glocester Regiona School District

3 employees

NAME

Mrs. Lillian B. Stone Treasurer Foster-Glocester Regional School District R. F. D. # 1 Foster, Rhode Island

"It is further agreed that this modification is executed subject to ratification by the Director, Deputy Director, or Assistant Director, Division of Claims Policy, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance of the Social Security Administration."

The effective date for coverage of this group shall be July 1, 1959.

"In accordance with Section 218 (f)(2) of the Act, the State of Rhode Island designates the following date:

December 22, 1959

Approved for the State of Rhode Island this twenty-second day of December, 1959.

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	coved this	28th	day of	December	, 19 <u>59</u>
• .	Secretary	of Health.	Education and	Welfare	

John R. Campbell, Jr., Regional Representative Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance

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Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; EDUCATION, AND WELFARE Region I Boston 16, Massachusetts

GC:RA:I

TO : OASI Regional Representative

DATE: December 28, 1959

FROM : Office

Office of the General Counsel

Boston Regional Office

SUBJECT: State and Local Coverage - Rhode Island Modification No. 37

COMMENTS: Cleared for approval.

This is the first instance of coverage of a regional school district under the Rhode Island agreement.

The Foster - Glocester Regional School District was established by Chapter 109 of the 1958 khode Island Acts as "a body politic and corporate with all the powers and duties pertaining to education conferred by law upon cities and towns generally," including the power to sue and be sued similarly to a town and to acquire property by purchase, gift, other means of transfer or condemnation (Sec. 2). We note, moreover, that, pursuant to Chapter 197 of the 1958 Rhode Island Acts, regional school districts are now estituted as bodies politic and corporate under general provisions of law (G.L. R.I. secs. 16-3-11 and 16-3-25).

Accordingly, it appears that the Foster - Glocester Regional School District qualifies for separate social security coverage under the Rhode Island enabling law (G.L. R.I. sec. 36-7-2 (3)(c) and (4)(c)) and as a "political subdivision" within the meaning of section 218 and the Rhode Island agreement.

Arthur M. Menard Regional Attorney

SSA-OASI OFFICE MEMORANDUM * UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

14:CP:C Date: January 14, 1960 To Mr. Ewell T. Bartlett Assistant Director Edward N. Watman, Chief From Coverage Branch Subject: Modification No. 37 Rhode Island Enclosed is the above identified modification and supporting documents for necessary action. 218(b)(5) Coverage Groups No. of Employees 218(d)(4) Coverage Groups No. of Employees _Other (See Remarks) No. of Employees Total No. of Coverage Groups 3 Total No. of Employees Covered Remarks:

Cleared by Regional Attorney.

Enco / Juni Edward N. Watman

Enclosure(s)(5)

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