



**MACHIS**  
**Michigan Association of**  
**Consumer Health Information Specialists**

November 12, 1993

**TO:** Michigan Health Sciences Libraries Association  
Executive Board

**RE:** Petition for Group Status.

On behalf of Michigan Association for Consumer Health Information Specialists, we would like to petition Michigan Health Sciences Libraries Association for Group status.

At the October 13, 1993 meeting of MACHIS, our membership agreed to present MHSLA with the following suggestions for becoming an affiliated group:

1. MACHIS members wishing to continue to participate in activities associated with MACHIS purchase memberships in MHSLA.
2. All monies contained in the MACHIS Treasury will be turned over to MHSLA immediately.
3. Announcements of all meetings of MACHIS will be reported to the Publications Committee of MHSLA for publication in the MHSLA News.
4. MACHIS agrees to conduct its affairs in the manner of other groups affiliated with MHSLA.

We ask the following from MHSLA in return:

1. Permission for one representative seat on the Executive Board with Group Representative privileges, including one vote. This position will be elected by the members of MACHIS.
2. Permission to conduct a two hour meeting in conjunction with the MHSLA Annual Educational Conference.
3. That MHSLA use the existing MACHIS Treasury to provide for an MLA CE program on Consumer Health Information at the 1994 MHSLA Annual Educational Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

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Robin Alanen Mosher, Secretary

Glenda Evans, Treasurer