

US WOMEN'S CAUCUS Feminist Advocacy at the UN

## LETTER OF APPRECIATION FOR

## SISTER WINIFRED DOHERTY

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The US Women's Caucus would like to extend our sincere appreciation and congratulations to Sister Winifred Doherty on the occasion of her retirement as Main Representative to the United Nations for the Congregation of Our Lady of Charity of the Good Shepherd.

Sister Winifred is renowned for her skilled advocacy at the United Nations, especially on behalf of women and girls at the Commission on the Status of Women. We are grateful for her long service and leadership to the Working Group on Girls and her dedicated concern for those exploited by human trafficking.

Sister Winifred exemplifies the feminist practice of sharing power in her generous interactions with non-governmental representatives at the Commission on the Status of Women. She is always ready to explain what is really going on at the UN and to orient newcomers to the intricacies of behind-the-scenes negotiations. She lives out the conviction that we are stronger when we collaborate, and that cultivating trust advances social justice and human rights for all.

We are deeply honored to call her Sister.

On behalf of a grateful US Women's Caucus,

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