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**Letter from Sandra J. Hardbower to Ann Hopkins, January 30,  
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Sandra J. Hardbower

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1515 S. Jefferson Davis Hwy. #623  
Arlington, Virginia 22202  
January 30, 1991

Ms. Ann B. Hopkins  
2134 Cathedral Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Ms. Hopkins:

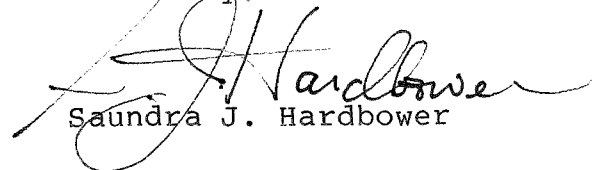
A couple of weeks ago I spoke briefly with Mr. Heller regarding a discrimination complaint I have pending before the EEOC. We discussed your case briefly and Mr. Heller mentioned you were getting ready to return to Price Waterhouse.

I am writing to ask whether you would be interested in having me work as your secretary -- at least for a while anyway. I have excellent skills, and am enclosing a copy of my resume with references for your review. (If not interested, please feel free to discard the material.) Although I am presently not working (due to my problems with my last employer), I have decided that if I cannot get a decent paying job in the private sector (mid-30s to \$40K), then I will seek a position with the federal government, preferably in the EEO field. (I have two applications pending.) Because of my age (48) and lack of college degree, I expect the search to be long and hard.

Congratulations on your hard-won victory. I am aware of how much energy is expended in fighting discrimination, and hope you are in good health. Your return to Price Waterhouse may not be easy at first, but I think things should return to normal within a year (or sooner).

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

  
Sandra J. Hardbower

P.S. Just for your information: My first EEOC complaint was filed against Arthur Andersen & Co. in 1968 when I was 27 years old. (There was a conciliation agreement reached; I did not seek reinstatement.)