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Mr Rod Stoneman,
Commissioning Editor,
Channel Four Television,
60 Charlotte Street,
London, W.I.

Dear Rod,

re ANNE DEVLIN

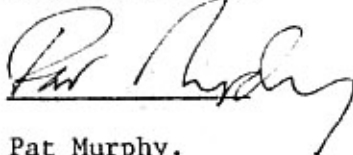
- I understand from Cinema of Women that you have raised your original offer of £15,000 to £17,500 for three television screenings of ANNE DEVLIN and I am writing to say that while I am pleased that you acknowledge the first sum as being too little, I think that £17,500 is still not enough.

As you know, the Irish Film Board are major investors in the film and have the right to approve all sales agreements. I would find it extremely difficult to justify to them selling the British television rights for such a low figure.

If you consider that in 1982, MAEVE was sold to Channel Four for approximately £17,500 for one screening, you can perhaps understand the problem I would have in selling ANNE DEVLIN - a much more successful film in terms of theatrical impact and critical acclaim- for exactly the same amount of money and for three screenings.

When we last spoke, which was at the NFT at the of February, you mentioned April, 1987 as a possible transmission date for ANNE DEVLIN. I am anxious to resolve the question of the licensing fee so that the screening can go ahead as planned and look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Yours Sincerely,



Pat Murphy.