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TO: MDC Chapter Presidents
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DATE: March 13, 1980

FROM: Bill Yoshino

SUBJECT: Redress: Indirect Lobbying

Pursuant to the request of the National Committee for Redress under action agenda number 2 (see enclosure), I have compiled a list of organizations that maintain membership with the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights. The LCCR supports S. 1647 and to that end has added the bill to its legislative agenda. These organizations may be used as the indirect lobbying base in gaining legislative support for the redress bills. In addition, you may follow the suggestion of the National Committee in securing endorsements from local and state governments.

Please exercise the option of going beyond this list in seeking support for the bills. Churches, veteran's groups (in light of the 442nd accomplishments), professional and civic organizations are among the possibilities. The broader the base of support, the better off we will be.

Thank you for your continued support.

Enclosures

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LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Participating Organizations

Actors Equity
African Methodist Episcopal Church
African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers Union of America
Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.
Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butcher Workmen
American Baptist Churches, U.S.A. -- National Ministries
American Civil Liberties Union
American Coalition of Citizens with Disabilities, Inc.
American Council of the Blind
American Ethical Union
American Federation of Governmental Employees
American Federation of Labor -- Congress of Industrial Organizations
American Federation of State, County & Municipal Employees
American Federation of Teachers
American Jewish Committee
American Jewish Congress
American Postal Workers Union
American Veterans Committee
American Postal Workers Union
Americans for Democratic Action
Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith
A. Philip Randolph Institute
Asociacion Nacional Pro Personas Mayores
B'nai B'rith Women
Building & Construction Trades Department -- AFL - CIO
Center for Community Change
Center for National Policy Review
Church of the Brethren -- World Ministries Commission
Church Women United
Citizens Lobby for Freedom & Fair Play
Communication Workers of America
Congress of Italian-American Organizations, Inc.
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority
Division of Homeland Ministries -- Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Episcopal Church -- Public Affairs Office
Federation of Organizations for Professional Women
Friends Committee on National Legislation
Frontiers International, Inc.
Frontlash
Hadassah

Hotel and Restaurant Employees and Bartenders International Union
Improved Benevolent & Protective Order of Elks of the World
Industrial Union Department -- AFL-CIO
International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union of America
International Molders & Allied Workers Union
International Union of Electrical, Radio & Machine Workers
Internatioanl Union of Operating Engineers
Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Inc.
Japanese American Citizens League
Jewish Labor Committee
Jewish War Veterans
Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity
Labor Council for Latin American Advancement
Labor Zionist Alliance
League for Industrial Democracy
League of Women Voters of the United States
Lutheran Church in America -- Division for Mission in North America
National Alliance of Postal & Federal Employees
National Alliance of Postal & Federal Employees -- National Womens Auxillary
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People
National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, Inc.
National Association of Community Health Centers
National Association of Human Rights Workers
National Association of Market Developers
National Association of Negro Business & Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.
National Association of Real Estate Brokers, Inc.
National Association of Social Workers
National Association of University Women
National Baptist Convention, U.S.A.
National Bar Association
National Beauty Culturists' League, Inc.
National Business League
National Catholic Conference for Interracial Justice
National Coalition of Cuban Americans
National Conference of Black Mayors, Inc.
National Coference of Catholic Charities
National Conference of Christians and Jews, Inc.
National Council of Catholic Women
National Council Churches -- Division of Church & Society
National Council of Jewish Women
National Council of La Raza
National Council of Negro Women
National Council of Senior Citizens, Inc.
National Dental Association
National Education Association
National Farmers Union
National Federation of Settlements & Neighborhood Centers
National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods
National Funeral Directors and Morticians Association
National Jewish Community Relations Advisory Council
National Jewish Welfare Board
National Legal Aid & Defender Association
National Low Income Housing Coalition
National Neighbors

National Newspaper Publishers Association
National Office for Black Catholics
National Organization for Women
National Post Office Mail Handlers, Watchmen, Messengers, & Group Leaders
National Rural Housing Coalition
National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, Inc.
National Urban League
National Women's Political Caucus
Newspaper Guild
Oil, Chemical & Atomic Workers International Union
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.
Opportunities Industrialization Center -- Government Relations Services (OIC)
Organization of Chinese Americans, Inc.
Pacific/Asian Coalition
Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.
Pioneer Women -- American Affairs
Potomac Institute
Presbyterian Interracial Council
Project Equality, Inc.
Recruitment and Training Program
Retail Clerks International Union
Retail, Wholesale & Department Store Union
Rural America
Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.
Southern Christian Leadership Conference
Synagogue Council of America
Transport Workers Union of America
Union of American Hebrew Congregations
Unitarian Universalist Association
Unitarian Universalists for Black and White Action
United Automobile, Aerospace & Agricultural Implement Workers of America
United Church of Christ -- Committee for Racial Justice Now
United Church of Christ -- Office for Church in Society
United Farm Workers of America
United Hebrew Trades
United Methodist Church -- Board of Church and Society
United Methodist Church -- Board of Global Ministries Women's Division
United Mine Workers of America
United Presbyterian Church -- Unit on Church & Race
United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum & Plastic Workers of America
U.S. Catholic Conference -- Division of Urban Affairs
United States Youth Council
United Steelworkers of America
United Synagogue of America
Voter Education Project, Inc.
Washington Research Project
Women's Equity Action League
Workmen's Circle
Young Men's Christian Association of USA, National Board
Young Women's Christian Association of the USA, National Board
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.