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1203 CITY HALL, ATLANTA GEORGIA 30303 TELEPHONE 522-4463 EXT. 433

May 11, 1967

Manager Hoffbrau Restaurant 2581 Piedmont Road Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Sir:

It has been reported to this office that several Negroes who went to your restaurant last week was denied service because of race. I telephoned the Hoffbrau Tuesday around noon and asked to speak to the person in charge, I did not get his name. When I reported this incident, I was told "yes, that is right we do not serve Negroes". When I tried to continue the conversation, I was told "I haven't time to talk about this". We have checked with the office of the U. S. District Attorney and it has been confirmed that such a refusal of service would constitute a violation of the Civil Rights Act.

We call this to your attention in the hopes that no one in the future would be refused service in violation of the Civil Rights Act, with its accompanying unpleasantness.

Sincerely,

(Mrs.) Eliza K. Paschall Executive Director

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cc: Federal Bureau of Investigation U.S. Department of Justice Mayor Ivan Allen Chief Herbert T. Jenkins Mr. Irving K. Kaler