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A LLH188 PD 11 EXTRA FAX ATLANTA GA 7 506P EDT
MAYOR IVAN ALLEN JR

CITY HALL 68 MITCHELL ST ATLA

ATLANTA, GA., AS YOU MAY ALREADY KNOW IS A CITY THAT HAS A GOOD REPUTATION IN SO FAR AS RACE RELATIONS ARE CONCERNED. WE FEEL THAT THIS LENDS ITS SELF TO GOOD BUSINESS CLIMATE BUT WE HAVE REPORTS FROM YOUR RECENTLY OPENED HOTEL THE REGENCY HYATT HOUSE THAT CAN CAUSE THIS CLIMATE TO BE SOILED. WE ARE TOLD THAT NEGRO GUESTS AT THIS FACILITY HAVE BEEN TREATED DISCOURTEOUSLY.

WE HAVE BEEN TOLD OF THE GROSS DISCRIMINATORY POLICIES WHICH ARE PRACTICED BY THE HOTEL IN EMPLOYMENT UNLIKE THOSE IN SUCH FORWARD CITIES AS WASHINGTON, DC. AND OTHERS WHERE OUR STAFF HAS HAD OCCASION TO VISIT. NEGROES IN YOUR PLACE ARE DENIED MERIT EMPLOYMENT.

WE HAVE CAREFULLY SURVEYED YOUR HOTEL FOR SEVERAL WEEKS

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RE ATLANTA

A LETTER TO THE DIRECTOR FROM ATLANTA GA 7 20 53

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CITY HALL 20 MITCHELL ST ATLANTA

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AND ARE CONVINCED THAT YOUR HOTEL IS GUILTY OF DISCRIMINATION IN THE AREAS OF EMPLOYMENT AND THAT THERE IS A RELUCTANCE TO EXTEND CERTAIN COURTESIES TO NEGRO PATRONS. WE THEREFORE, URGE THAT AN IMMEDIATE CONFERENCE BE SCHEDULED BETWEEN OPERATION BREADBASKET, A DEPARTMENT OF THE SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE, DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., PRESIDENT AND THE OWNERS OF THE REGENCY HYATT HOUSE

WE CANNOT OVER EMPHASIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS MATTER

J D GRIER CALL MAN OPERATION BREADBASKET REVEREND FRD C BENNETTE JR EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OPERATION BREAKBASKET(42).

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RE ATLANTA GA

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