COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION

City Hall

February 22, 1967

Manager, Hillhaven Nursing Home 265 Boulevard Dr., N. E. Atlanta, Georgia 30312

Dear Sir:

At the public hearing held by the new Community Relations Commission of the city of Atlanta, the matter of admittance of Negroes to Nursing Homes in the area was brought before the Commission. Mrs. A. J. Dempsey, 1495 Mozley Dr., S. W., reported the following:

to Hillhaven

Request for admission, filing application in writing, going to the facility, being shown around courteously with the notation that I would be notified of an opening, as soon as the next floor was made available the following week; after repeated requests be telephone (not having heard from the Director as promised) I was informed that nobody seemed to have known anything about the initial application form made in writing.

We will appreciate information from you about the number of Negroes who have applied to the Hillhaven Nursing Home, the number who have been admitted, the average time between being placed on a list and being admitted.

Sincerely,

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(Mrs.) Eliza Paschall Executive Director Community Relations Commission

EP:MT

cc:Mayor Ivan Allen, Jr.

Hon. Sam Massell, Jr.

Dr. W. S. Jackson, Atlanta School of Social Work

Mr. Wrenn, Equal Health Opportunity Officer, Health, Education, and Welfare. Mrs. A. J. Dempsey

Mr. Duane Beck, Community Council