COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION

City Hall

February 22, 1967

Manager, Wesley Woods Health Center 1825 Clifton Road, N. E. Atlanta, Georgia

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:

I called to Wesley Woods where I understand Bishop Harris was admitted before his death. I did not pursue admission at Wesley Woods where they, too, indicated a long waiting list.

We will appreciate information from you about the number of Negroes who have applied to the Wesley Woods Health Center, 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

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cc: Mayor Ivan Allen, Jr. Hon. Sam Massell, Jr.

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

Mr. Wrenn, Equal Opportunity Officer, Health, Education, and Welfare

Mrs. A. J. Dempsey

Mr. Duane Beck, Community Council