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LOCAL EDUCATION COMMISSION  
MINUTES OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR LEGAL SERVICES  
FULTON COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
SEPTEMBER 10, 1964

The Special Committee appointed to determine legal assistance needed by the Commission met at 10:00 a.m., September 10, 1964, with the following in attendance:

Mr. P. L. Bardin	Dr. John Letson
Mr. J. P. Groton	Dr. Truman Pierce
Mr. Otis M. Jackson	Dr. Paul West
Mr. A. C. Latimer	Dr. Curtis Henson

After the meeting was called to order by Chairman Bardin, Dr. Pierce was asked to review the legal services needed by the Commission. He pointed out that the present study of the Local Education Commission must be much more pointed and specific than the previous studies. Legal steps necessary to abolish the two existing school systems and to create a new one must be described in detail.

Since Mr. A. C. Latimer and Mr. James Groton have worked together for years and are already involved in the study, it was agreed that they be employed as the official attorneys of the Commission, however, the Commission reserves the right to employ additional legal counsel at any future time.

The lawyers will develop a proposed budget for the legal services, and Dr. Pierce will draft a total proposed budget for the Commission. Financial assistance will be sought after the budget has been approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

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September 22, 1964

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Recording Secretary

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman