HIGHVIEW Nursing Flome for Aged and Convalescent

FULTON-DEKALB

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Atlanta, Georgia 30315

February 27, 1967

Mrs. Eliza Paschall
Executive Director
Community Relations Commission
City Hall
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mrs. Paschall:

ASK Eliza Par La see me

of February 22, 1967 regarding a

Thank you for your letter of February 22, 1967 regarding a statement made by a Mrs. A. J. Dempsey before the new Community Relations Commission.

Unfortunately I have not had the pleasure of meeting the complainant; nor do I recall any incident referred too in her complaint.

For your information Highview does not operate under Hill-Burton funds. Original construction, however, was financed partly with funds secured under the Hill-Burton Act.

Highview has no rules regarding admission of patients which exclude admission of negroes.

Highview has fulfilled all requirements of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, as set forth under Title VI and has so advertised in the community news media, by letter to the county governments of Fulton and DeKalb, and orally to all others interested.

Neither the undersigned nor any member of the Highview staff has ever, with my knowledge, made any statements to anyone which would be contrary to the Highview board's expressed admission policies.

Highview does not have on hand any requests for admission of a negro to the institution; nor has Highview ever received an application for admission of a negro. (See enclosures)

Respectfully request you disseminate this information to all persons or interested agencies not listed below.

For the Board of Highview.

HTW/as Encl: (2) Distribution: Harold T. Ward
Administrator

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