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Dear George:

The enclosed report with Lou's suggestion of a hearing that would take place before the next NAC meeting should be put into action at once.

I have arranged to delay my departure for Canada until Wednesday, April 7, 1965. Virginia Burton and Wilfred Ussery have indicated their willingness to serve on such a board. However, as I indicated in our conversation Tuesday, March 30, there is another step that should be taken before such a board takes action. If we by-pass this step, I am sure that some of the people will use this in their argument.

Lou has made several suggested constitutional changes that affect the active membership requirement which were accepted by the group.

Enclosed is another letter we received from Ambrose after my conversation with you. The letter only serves to confirm my belief that there is an attempt to create strife and turmoil within the chapter.

Sincerely,

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Isaac Reynolds, Field Secretary Western Region

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