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This letter is to advise you of my plans for the forthcoming semi-annual meeting of the National Committee for Sexual Civil Liberties to be held from Thursday evening, August 2 through Modday evening, August 6, 1973.

I am planning to leave Minneapolis on Northwest Airline Flight #548 at 4:40 p.m., Thursday, August 2, arriving at Chicago Midway Airport at 5:47 p.m. 1*will meet you in the United terminal for Flight #564 leaving Midway at 6:30 p.m. arriving in Washington, D.C. at 9:00 p.m. If is my understanding from the advance agenda which I have received from Arthur Warner, that there is to be an evening meeting on Thursday, August 2, at Thurston Hall of the George Washington University, 1900 "F" Street, N.W., where we will also be lodging. I am planning to return to Minneapolis on a Northwest flight leaving Washington, D.C. at 8:00 a.m., Tuesday, August 7, arriving in Minneapolis at 9:16 a.m. However, if you are planning to fly back that morning, we could come back together on United Flight #567 leaving Washington at 8:15 a/m., arriving Midway at 9:00 a.m., and there is a connecting United Flight #373 leaving Midway at 9:35 a.m. arriving Minneapolis at 10:41 a.m. Again, my understanding is that thiser of these plans will allow for my presence at all of the meetings thus far scheduled.

You have indicated several times that you are interested in speaking to me about issues on which I have worked over the last three years concerning sexual civil liberties, and in fact, that would have been a major advantage in driving rather than flying to Washington. Unfortunately, as I explained to you on the phone, my driving situation is now such that it is impossible for me to drive from Minneapolis to Washington. If circumstances arise before the conference such that a third party will be driving from the midwest, please let me know. Otherwise, I shall plan to fly. At any rate, since we are sharing accommodations, there should

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be adequate time for us to discuss these matters when not attending scheduled meetings. I assume that Arthur Warner has made appropriate arrangements with Craig Patton of Columbus for a double room.

My major activities have revolved around two cases: Mike McConnell's employment case, which was lost in the Eighth Circuit; and the Baker v. Nelson marriage case, the appeal for which was dismissed by the U.S. Supreme Court. If you wish, I will bring with me all the available papers on these or any other cases, but please advise me beforehand, since the ccubic footage in my brief case is limited.

I look forward very much to attending and contributing to the Meeting, and to meeting you. Please drop me a line before the Meeting. I am sending Arthur Warner a copy of this letter to confirm these arrangements with him.

Very truly yours,

R. Michael Wetherbee

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cc: Arthur Warner