

NATIONAL COMMITTEE

3 September 1974

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Dear Mr. Silber:

This should be considered as an official request by this Committee to enter as amicus curiae the case in which you are challenging the constitutionality of the New Jersey fornication statute, and in which you are the attorney of record.

I shall be discussing with you whom we should have to represent us.

Very sincerely yours,

Arthur C. Warner  
Co-Chairman

cc: Prof. Walter E. Barnett  
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May 10, 1976

Alan Silber, Esq.  
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Re: State vs. Saunders

Dear Alan:

Thank you for your letter of May 6th and the copy of the order enclosed with it. I also am surprised that the motion to appear as amicus was denied.

If you are successful in having the case certified by the New Jersey Supreme Court, I think the National Committee for Sexual Civil Liberties would want to move again for permission to file an amicus brief there, as you suggest.

Sincerely,

E. Carrington Boggan

cc: Mr. Arthur C. Warner

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May 6, 1976

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Re: State vs. Saunders

Dear Cary:

As you can see from the enclosed Order, the court denied the motion for leave to file an amicus curiae brief. That is inexplicable to me also.

I have filed in this case a motion with the New Jersey Supreme Court, asking them to grant certification while the appeal is pending unheard in the Appellate Division. If they grant certification, perhaps we'll move again to allow you to file an amicus brief.

I am open to any other suggestions you have.

Sincerely,



Alan Silber

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