

NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR SEXUAL CIVIL LIBERTIES

Dear Committee Member,

This is your invitation to participate in our annual conference this year in Washington, D.C. from Saturday, May 24 through Monday, May 26, 1980. You will remember that Monday is a federal holiday. We will meet in the Circle Room, adjacent to the lobby, of the Dupont Plaza Hotel, on New Hampshire Avenue, Northwest at Dupont Circle.

Our agenda is not yet complete, but we will have the participation of James Weinrich of Harvard University, Judge Margaret Taylor of New York, and C. A. Tripp, among others. Our conference will begin promptly at 9 am on Saturday. Coffee and pastries will be available in the Circle Room after 8:30 am. Because it is unfair to our speakers and other guests to delay our morning sessions for late arrivals, we will begin on time each day. Prior to the conference, I will send you a complete schedule of events.

The three Washington members of the Committee--Leonard Graff, Mayo Lee, and I--invite you for cocktails and a cold buffet at Leonard's apartment between 8:30 and 10:30 pm on Friday, May 23, 1980. Leonard is in apartment 916 at 1415 Rhode Island Avenue, Northwest. You must dial 202 on the house phone at the entrance. We encourage those of you who are staying with friends in the area to bring them along.

Some of you who attended our business meeting in Washington last November will recall the problems we faced when seventeen of us decided to go to dinner together Saturday night. To avoid a similar mishap in May, I will make a group reservation for Saturday evening at a restaurant near the hotel. If you and your guest or host wish to be included, please indicate the number of reservations you require on the enclosed registration form.

At the business meeting in November, the Committee decided to allow the conference organizers to determine the fees for the conference. As the registration form indicates, Committee members will pay \$25.00. Student members will pay \$10.00. At the business meeting, the Committee also decided that each member may invite one guest/participant who is a potential member and who will also pay \$25.00. As space allows, members may invite additional guest/participants or guest/observers, who will pay \$5.00 per day. You must provide the names of your guests to either Tom Coleman or Arthur Warner and to me, so I can keep track of our space requirements.

Enclosed with this letter are the following:

1. Registration form. I must receive this form from you by May 1, 1980.
2. Committee Fact Sheet as promised during the November business meeting for use in describing and publicizing the Committee.
3. Letter to the Playboy Foundation explaining the decision to cease publication of the Sexual Law Reporter.
4. Dupont Plaza Hotel pamphlet.
5. Dupont Plaza Hotel room reservation card. The hotel will hold a block of rooms until May 1, 1980. After that date, rooms will be reserved only as they are available. The hotel is giving the Committee a discount of 40% below its standard rates.

ALTERNATIVE HOUSING. I have made arrangements with George Washington University for housing for those who prefer less expensive accommodations. The rooms are in Thurston Hall, an air-conditioned residence hall, located at 1900 F Street, Northwest, five blocks southwest of the Farragut West subway station. Linen is provided and includes towels, sheets, pillows, and pillowcases. Each room has a private bath.

The university will not guarantee single rooms until two weeks before the arrival date. Double rooms are \$30.00 per room per night. If you want a single room, you will have to pay the same price.

I have to make a deposit on the needed rooms on March 24, 1980. If you want a room at George Washington University, you must contact me no later than March 23, 1980. I will not reserve "extra" rooms at the expense of the Committee.

Instructions for picking up your keys will be sent at a later date.

6. Metro pamphlet. If you plan to arrive at either Union Station or National Airport, the subway will be the most economical means of getting to the hotel, or for getting around downtown Washington. The hotel is one block east of the north exit from the Dupont Circle subway station.

The subway does run on both Saturday and Sunday, although it stops at midnight on Saturday and at 6pm on Sunday.

If you will arrive at Dulles Airport, you can get express bus or van transportation to downtown hotels.

If you have any questions or if I can resolve a problem for you, please call me at work at 202-254-8700 or at home at 703-524-3394. I hope to see you in May!

Sincerely,

Tom

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 802 North Wayne Street
 Arlington, Virginia 22201

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REGISTRATION FORM

Yes, I will attend the annual conference of the National Committee for Sexual Civil Liberties in Washington, D.C. from May 24 through May 26, 1980.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

GUEST/PARTICIPANT'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

GUEST/OBSERVER'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

FEES:	Member	\$25.00
	Student Member	\$10.00
	Guest/Participant	\$25.00
	Guest/Observer	\$5.00 per day

GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY HOUSING

Single Room	\$30.00 per room per day
Double Room	\$30.00 per room per day

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____
(Make check payable to Sexual Law Reporter.)

DINNER RESERVATIONS ON MAY 24? HOW MANY? _____