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Mr. Wyatt Tee Walker, Executive Director

FREEDOM RIDE TRAVEL COSTS, REQUISITION PROCEDURE

A limit of (\$750.00) per day is established on a cumulative basis, in any single 24 hour period.

BANKING - PROCEDURE:

Once in every 24 hour period, Mr. King will total the amount of funds charged to the Western Union account. A check will then be written and signed by Mr. Wyatt Tee Walker and Mr. King, made payable to Western Union in the amount of the accumulated total and drawn against the Freedom Ride Coordinating Committee account at the Citizens Trust Bank. The accumulated total must include money order charges which can be determined at the time the money order is placed.

ADDITIONAL FUNDS:

Additional funds to be used by the Freedom Ride Coordinating Committee for transportation costs will be deposited in the Freedom Ride Coordinating Committee account at the Citizens Trust Bank, Atlanta, Georgia.

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FREEDOM RIDE COORDINATING COMMITTEE - BANK ACCOUNT:

There has been established on this date a bank account in the name of the Freedom Riders Coordinating Committee at the Citizens Trust, Bank, Atlanta, Georgia, with an initial deposit of (\$484.11). All checks written against this account will require the signatures of Wyatt Tee Walker, and Edward B. King, members of the Freedom Ride Coordinating Committee. This account is to be used for the payment of travel costs incident to the Freedom Ride as executed by the Freedom Ride Coordinating Committee.

WESTERN UNION MONEY ORDER DEPOSIT:

Deposited this date with the Money Order Department is (\$500.00) which under an agreement with Mr. T. L. Bigelow, Sales Manager, will remain as principal, and in the event of fraudulent withdrawals, will serve to safeguard the interest of the Western Union Telegraph Corporation.

MONEY ORDER REQUISITION - PROCEDURE:

The Money Order Department of Western Union Telegraph Corporation will accept the placement of money orders to be charged to the account in the name of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (which is necessary to establish the security for the agreement) by telephone when placed by Mr. Wyatt Tee Walker or Mr. Edward B. King (designated as an alternate) from MU 8-0331 or JA 5-1763. After the money order has been placed, Western Union will call the number from which the order was placed to verify the number and caller.

May 31, 1961