ACCOUNTANT'S CERTIFICATE

I have audited the books and records of the SCUTHERN CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE for the fiscal year ended on August 31, 1963, and as a result of that audit I certify that it is my opinion that the accompanying statement of income and expenses is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Further, the statement of income and expenses was prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and audit procedures.

Respectfully submitted,

Sesse B. Blayton
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

GA. #192

Atlanta, Georgia September, 1963

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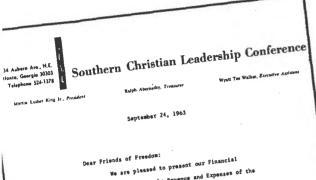
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Statement reflecting the Revenue and Expenses of the

Southern Christian Leadership Conference.

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We deeply appreciate the confidence you have
placed in us by contributing to this organization.
We are proud that it is built on your goodwill and
the goodwill of your friends and neighbors.

Our battle for freedom, equality, and human dignity has been s long and arduous one. With your generous assistance we shall continue this just struggle against the forces of reaction until we attein the "American Dresm".

Martin Letter sing y.

Statement of Income and Expense September 1, 1962 to August 31, 1963

| INCOME: Appeal Letters Freedom Rallies General Contributions Benefit Concerts Churches, Fraternal, & Labor Organizations Convention & Board Meetings Sale of Dr. King's Books & Others TOTAL INCOME LESS OPERATING EXPENSES NET INCOME OVER OPERATING EXPENSI NET INCOME OVER OPERATING EXPENSI Appropriated for Future Legal Defense from 1962-1963 Operations NET INCOME AFTER APPROPRIATIONS | | 22 20 4 1 1 \$ 73 38 \$ 35 \$ 35 | 1,650.10 3,116.73 4,725.06 8,389.96 2,209.02 2,730.18 2,712.97 5,534.02 3,541.82 1,992.20 1,992.20 3,358.84 8,633.36 | Per Cent Of Total Income 31.3 30.3 27.8 6.7 1.7 1.8 .4 100.0 52.2 47.8 47.8 |
|---|-------------|--|--|--|
| Schedule of Operating Expenses | | Septemb | er 1, 1962 to Augus | t 31, 1963 |
| Aid to Affiliates: Legal Defense General Aid to Communities Voter Registration: | \$ | 43,154.87 | \$ 52,582.12 | 7.2 |
| Field Service & Travel Salaries General Expense | > | 25,146.43 29,749.50 19,483.25 | 74,379.18 | 10.1 |
| Fund Raising: Special Promotions Appeal Letters | \$ | 13,435.33 40,945.20 | 54,380.53 | 7.4 |
| Administrative Travel for Fund Raising and Direct Action | | | 41,977.84 | 5.7 |
| Publicity, Educational Materials, & Newsletter | | | | 4.3 |
| Salary Expense: Administrative Clerical & Attendants Payroll Taxes Group Insurance | \$ | 27,503.56 27,216.85 6,373.24 2,199.56 | 31,457.98 63,293.21 | 8.6 |
| Administrative Expense: Office Supplies & Postage Telephone & Telegraph Office Rent Maintenance & Upkeep of Office & Equipment Accounting & Auditing Interest on Loans, Bank Charges, Foreign Exchange Charges and Etc. | | 20,784.56 26,869.57 4,669.50 818.07 1,140.00 1,063.66 | , | |
| Employees' Moving Expenses | _ | 921.40 | 56,266.76 | 7.7 |
| Refunds of Contributions Purchases of Books for Resale | | | 7,807.00 1,397.20 | 1.0 |
| Total Operating Expenses | | | \$383,541.82 | 52.2 |