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BULLETIN #9 FROM THE NEW YORK OFFICE OF S.N.C.C.

This coming Thursday, October 7th, at 8 pm a meeting will take place which we urge everyone to attend. It will be held at Local 1199 of the Hospital and Drug Workers Union, 709 Eighth Avenue.

At the meeting, Arthur Kinoy -- Attorney for the Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party -- will give a full and fascinating report on what happened to the Challenge in the last ten days before Congress dismissed it by a vote of 228 to 143 (only one Congressman in greater New York voted for dismissal).

Mr. Kinoy's report will cover:

- the attempted railroad job for quick dismissal of the Challenge
- the surprising role of the Republicans
- the closed hearings of the House Subcommittee...the confrontation -- Mississippi speaks
- the role of the liberal Democratic Study Group
- the gamble of the House leadership
- where the Administration stood -- power politics
- the caucus of the New York Congressmen
- the showdown on the floor of the House...record attendance a fight to the finish
- the vote for dismissal

His analysis will be followed by A Report on the Future by Mrs. Victoria Gray of the MFDP.

Some of us in the New York office have already heard Mr. Kinoy's report; it gives a remarkable inside view of the workings of American politics. We urge you to come.