## MEMO TO ACCEPTED APPLICANTS (#2)

To: Mississippi Summer Project Workers From: Mississippi Summer Project Committee

Here is some additional information which we have thought of since the first memo was written: The best arrangement for money is probably for you to bring \$60.00 expense money with you (above transportation costs) and arrange to have \$90.00 to \$15.00 living costs sent you weekly. 2) Arrests: We must re-emphasoze that all workers during the summer are liable to arrest, although Freedom School teachers, white community project workers and researchers will be less likely to be arrested that others. All workers, thowever, should have bond ready. 3) Transportation to orientation site: Everyone who is near a Freedom Center (list sent earlier) should contact the center, which will be coordinating transportation from their area. If you are a long distance from the nearest center and do not have a ride or other transportation, contact us and we will try to help you. 4) Cars: Everyone who possibly can should bring a car this summer. The car you bring should be insured. The legal situation on cars in the state is this: ---Anyone who is in the state 60 days must secure a Mississippi driver's license. If you have a license from another state you only have to take a written test, but if you plan to be in the state over 60 days you should get your lkcense before the local authorities know who you are. License costs \$2.50. --- Any car which is in the state 60 days must have Mississippi license plates. Tags are expensive (about 4% the value of the car). You can plan to purchase the tags. We advise that you plan to take the car out of the state periodically so you can claim that you are only visiting the state and have only been in the state x days.

We need a complete record of all the cars that will be coming down. Someof you indicated whether you would bring a car when you filled out your application. We are asking all accepted applicants to fill out the slip below, tear it off, and send it to the COFO office. You should also let the Freedom Center know if you will be driving down, so they can coordinate transportation.





## Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee

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Dear Friend,

The dynamic spirit of today's American Revolution has not been confined to our land alone...it has captured the attention of other persons throughout the world. Josephine Baker, in France, felt it — and flew from Paris to be part of the momentous August 28 March on Washington. Now, Miss Baker, making her first tour of the United States since 1951, will devote her first appearance to the cause of freedom.

On Saturday, October 12th, at 8:30 P.M., Josephine Baker and her international revue will give a benefit concert at Carnegie Hall. The proceeds will go the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, the Congress of Racial Equality, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, to further their work in civil rights.

We know that you share the same deep concern which moves Josephine Baker to lend her talent in support of our efforts, and we know that you will join us on this exciting evening.

Sincerely

John Lewis

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