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Gentlemen:

CURE is a San Diego organization of approximately 500 predominately white members concerned with elimination of racism. One of the major areas of our concern is in promoting quality equal educational opportunity for all children. We believe school integration is a step toward this goal.

We feel we have a school administration that is reluctant or resistant to integration. Statements made to us build barriers to possibilities for integration. Therefore, we are attempting to acquire facts about the problems that have been raised. We would appreciate your assistance in giving us whatever information you might have to the following items:

1. What school districts have voluntarily integrated their schools?
2. When schools have been integrated, what districts did not discharge the superintendents, school boards and/or administrators? What districts did remove them?
3. Why have some districts had a great deal of trouble?
4. Why have others not had a great deal of trouble?
5. Have some districts been successful at integration? Which ones?

We know these may be difficult questions. Any information you can supply will be helpful. If you have a suggested reading list, this could be useful. We are particularily interested in information about districts that have been successful at integration.

Thank you,

Mrs. Dorothy M. Lloyd
Executive Secretary