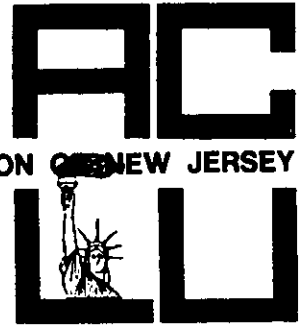


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Re: 1977 PLEDGE

Dear Member:

Thank you. Your support in 1976 made it possible to handle nearly 400 civil liberties cases in New Jersey this year.

- More cases than are handled by any other ACLU affiliate
- More cases than are handled by ACLU in New York and California combined (and they have more than 12 times our membership).

In addition, your support made possible active legislative efforts against capital punishment, abortion curbs, S-1 and a host of other important measures.

We managed to do all of this without increasing our deficit. But it remains near \$25,000 and we can't carry it at that level any longer. To maintain our efforts at high levels we must increase our income. To do that we must depend on you. We believe that many members may find it easier to increase their contributions through a pledge for 1977, payable in 2 or 4 installments. If this applies to you, or if using a BankAmericard will help you to increase your contribution, please let us know at your earliest convenience, by returning the enclosed card.

The ACLU relies completely on the contributions of members like you to carry on the defense of civil liberties. We appreciate your continued support.

Sincerely,

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President

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