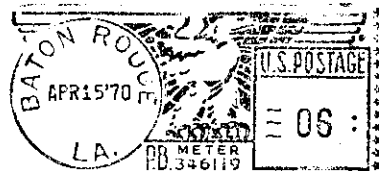


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April 15, 1970

JOHN J. MCKEITHEN  
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Captain James Lane  
Fort McPherson  
3rd Army Headquarters  
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Dear Captain Lane:

Attached hereto is a check for \$50.00 to help defray expenses you are incurring on behalf of the defense of Sergeant Hutto.

As I told you on the phone last Friday, we had just initiated our fund-raising project if the veterans service organizations in our state and contributions are beginning to come in.

We have not set any specific goal due to the uncertainty of the length of time and the amount of expenses which may be involved with both our Louisiana soldiers but we believe it will be ample to do what we should for these men.

Sincerely,

Dick Staggs

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Att.