

OFFICE FOR LIBRARY SERVICE TO THE DISADVANTAGED  
AD HOC SUBCOMMITTEE ON MINORITY  
CONCERNS

Minutes of Meetings, Monday, January 23, 1978, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon,  
PDR 11 and Tuesday, January 24, 1978, 8:00-9:30 a.m, Palmer House Hotel,  
Room 775-776.

Present: Elaine P. Adams (OLSD Advisory Committee), Texas Southern  
University, Houston, TX 77004.  
David Cohen (SRRT EMIE Task Force), 68-71 Bell Blvd.,  
Bayside, NY 11364.  
Jean E. Coleman (ALA/OLSD).  
Yolanda J. Cuesta, California State Library, POB 2037,  
Sacramento, CA 95809.  
Carmine M. Diodati (Chair, Minority Concerns), 6 Peter  
Cooper Road, New York, NY 10010  
M.L. Fishea, POB 85, Flushing, NY 11355  
Dorothy Haith, POB 698, Huntsville, AL 35804  
✓ Margaret Kirkpartrick, Wichita Public Schools, 2422 Perry,  
Wichita, KS 67204.  
o/k ✓ Sue Kamm, POB 26467, Los Angeles, CA 90026.  
✓ Albert P. Marshall (OLSD Advisory Committee), 1616 Gregory  
Street, Ypsilanti, MI 48197.  
✓ Joan Neumann, 1118 E. 38<sup>th</sup> Street, Brooklyn, NY 11210  
✓ Grace Patterson, Patterson Library, 250 Broadway, Patterson,  
NJ 07501.  
✓ Cynthia Jenkins, Queens Borough Public Library, 89-11  
Merrick Blvd., Jamaica, NY 11434  
Laurence ✓ Lawrence Sherrill, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY 11205.  
✓ Beth Shapiro, Michigan State University Libraries,  
East Lansing, MI 48824.  
✓ Helen Strader (OLSD Advisory Committee), Emporia State  
University Library School, Emporia, KS 66801.  
✓ Pat Tarin, Los Angeles County Public Library, 6518 Mils Avenue,  
Huntington Park, CA 90255.  
Ernestine Washington, Queens Borough Public Library, St. Albans  
Branch, 195-01 Linden Blvd., St. Albans, NY 11412  
✓ Avery Williams, Reference Dept., Roosevelt University,  
430 S. Michigan Avenue, Chicago, IL 60605.

Round Tables: Joan Neumann and David Cohen presented pros and cons and  
formulated a petition to be presented to the Executive Board of ALA for  
the same. Membership suggested that OLSD send copies of the petition to  
each Causus for discussion and action.

OLSD Advisory Committee: OLSD will send a letter to members requesting the  
time and place for the June Conference meeting if membership wishes to meet.

Ethnic Literature Study: Lawrence Sherrill, David Cohen and Carmine Diodati  
will prepare a study recommendation for the OLSD Advisory Committee in June.

White House Conference: Members met with non-library ethnic organizations  
to input into state conferences.