

TO: The Fellowship

FROM: Jack Bernstein, Chairperson  
The Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees has been extremely busy during the past nine months. There have been three regular meetings of the Board and one special meeting. In the course of these meetings, the Board reviewed over one hundred letters from the Fellowship discussing matters of concern at various levels of service.

The Board has been active in support of and assistance to the World Service Conference Subcommittees. One or more Trustees are assigned to each committee and our participation with those committees has been considerable. A Trustee has attended each committee meeting and participated fully as a member and resource.

Additionally our Board members were assigned to Trustee committees established for specific study or action. These committees included one for the revision of the White Booklet, a committee studying open and closed meetings and a committee studying T-shirts and the N.A. Logo.

One of these committees, for the review of the Little White Booklet held numerous meetings to study the Little White Booklet for possible changes. Following these meetings a proposal from the committee was made to the Board as a whole to recommend changes. Those proposed changes were discussed by the full Board and adopted.

The Little White Booklet, with the changes the Board recommends, is included at the end of this report. Our work is attached in two forms. In the first part we have included a summary of the changes proposed along with the reasoning for the change if it is other than just a grammatical change. The second part is the text of the Little White booklet as it is being proposed with all changes inserted.

The change in the Little White Booklet is the only matter of business that the Board of Trustees has for action by the Fellowship at the World Service Conference meeting in 1986.