Rio Grande Regional Service Committee P. O. Box 94 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Wednesday, January 26, 1994

WSC Inventory P.O. Box 10264 Van Nuys, California 91499

Re: Additional Comments, World Service Inventory

Dear WSC Inventory:

The Rio Grande Regional Service Committee, in completing the WSC Inventory Questionnaire on Saturday, January 22, 1994, had several comments it wished to make separately, as requested in the instructions.

General Comment:

A number of the questions were too broad, in that several valid meanings could be found. When discussing "support," for instance, the nature of that support was not always indicated. And when, in question 18, it was asked if certain services were valuable, it was confusing whether it meant those services in theory or those services as were currently being provided. The RSC response assumed the former.

Question 10:

Some RSC members did not know how World Services uses N.A. money. Those who knew expressed specific dissatisfactions, such as paying high consulting fees for a job search for administrative personnel. This discussion showed a lack of communication between world and N.A. members.

Question 26:

There was an equal division here between RSC members who agree, disagree or don't know. It was evident that many N.A. members do not know what services, apart from literature sales, World Services provides to the fellowship.

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It seems some additional format, such as a bullet report or brief newsletter, could be distributed to routinely update the fellowship on what's happening at World Services. Perhaps something like a "family newsletter" could be done on a regular basis.

A <u>CompuServe N.A. Forum</u> could be a great help in disseminating all kinds of information around the globe, and a bullet report or newsletter could be downloaded and cepied without great expense to World!

In Toving Service,

John Seaver

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