WE ARE ORGANIZED!

Midwest Mattachine is a non-profit, non-partisan, non-sectarian organization established for the purpose of guaranteeing individual rights, with two basic purposes: 1. to inform the public on problems concerning individual freedoms, and 2. to help individuals adjust to and make a valid contribution to the society in which they live. The group provides referral services, including legal aid, religious counselling, medical and psychiatric referrals, job placement and housing assistance. Membership is open to all interested persons over 21 years of age.

Enclosed you will find a membership blank. This may be turned in at the first general meeting or mailed to: Mattachine Midwest, 4753 North Broadway, Chicago, Illinois 60640. AFTER AUGUST 1st, Mattachine Midwest will have a 24-hour telephone answering service available: the number will be 334-2244. We still need names of professional persons who may be willing to serve on our referral list.

You and your friends are invited to our first general meeting, which will be held on Tuesday, July 27, in the University Room of the Midland Hotel, 172 West Adams St. The meeting will open at (8) eight P.M. and will feature a question and answer period followed by refreshments.

IMPORTANT! You are urged to write or telegraph Governor Kerner to veto the "Stop and Frisk" bill (H.B. 1078), now on his desk. It would allow the police to stop and interrogate anyone anywhere and to search them without a warrant.

Please plan to attend the meeting on the 27th, and bring your friends.