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Mrs. Helen C. Sullivan
Director of Registration
State Office Building
100 Cambridge Street, Boston

Dear Mrs. Sullivan:

The Board of Registration in Embalming and Funeral Directing submit to you its annual report for the year ending June 30, 1967.

Two examinations were conducted for the registration of Embalmers, one on October 18, 1966 and the other March 21, 1967. A total of 62 candidates were examined. Of this number 43 were successful and issued certificates of registration.

Two examinations were conducted for registration of Funeral Directors, one on January 17, 1967, and the other on June 20, 1967. A total of 53 candidates were examined. Of this number 48 were successful and issued certificates of registration.

On May 17 and 18, the annual Educational Clinic was sponsored by the Board for the purpose of Dissemination of Knowledge at the Yankee Drummer Inn, Auburn, Mass. The Clinic was conducted by the Champion Company, Springfield, Ohio. Donald J. Piette, Assistant Manager of the Department of Public Health, Worcester, Paul E. Allison, Wisconsin Institute of Mortuary Science, Mrs. Teresa Gainey, Assistant Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the State of Massachusetts, and Francis P. Lowery, were guest speakers on the first day of the Clinic. Demonstrations and subjects covered included Social Security and the Funeral Profession; Embalming Problems Cause and Effect, Wages and Wage Laws, a thorough Sales Presentation, Increased Profits and Increased Customer Satisfaction. On the second day of the Clinic discussions were held on Legislation pertaining to the Funeral profession and the Funeral Director's role in regard to filing Death Certificates and other documents with the Bureau of Vital Statistics. These discussions were conducted by representatives from the State Registrar of Vital Statistics and Edward C. Kloza from the office of Secretary of State. The attendance at the Clinic and the interest displayed by the various registrants was most gratifying to the Board.

On October 7, 1966, Paul Buonfiglio was reappointed by His Excellency Governor John A. Volpe to serve as Member for a term of five years.

Respectfully submitted,
John A. Volpe Chairman
Michael J. Conroy Secretary
Joseph P. Keating Member
Paul Buonfiglio Member
James D. Edman Member

BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN EMBALMING
AND FUNERAL DIRECTING

Fees received from various sources for the year ending June 30, 1967 \$32,505.00

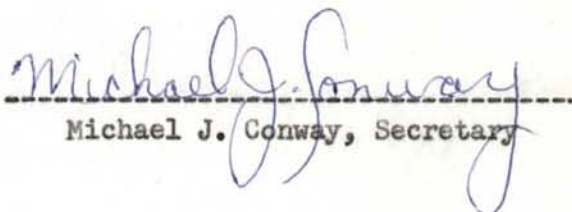
EXPENDITURES

<u>Account No.</u>		
1409-01-01	Members' Services	\$8,125.00
1409-01-10	Members' Travel	3,543.62
	(Accounts Payable)	956.38
1409-01-13	Dissemination of Knowledge	\$500.00

OFFICE EXPENSES

1403-02	Office Expenses	\$2,445.25
	(Accounts Payable)	556.62
	Personal Services	\$23,193.90

Respectfully submitted



Michael J. Conway, Secretary