

Mr. PATMAN. Of course, this is signed by Herman E. Kimsey, president of the Forensic Science Institute, Vivien Hotel, 1723 G Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., so there is no fake about this, and there is no doubt about it. This man says that you sent him a check for \$10,500 to send back to you in payment of the fee, I believe, for his association or foundation to belong to ABC, and you refuse to say whether or not that was done?

Mr. RAY. Mr. Chairman——

Mr. PATMAN. Let him answer. He is the witness.

Mr. HAYES. I refer that to counsel, Mr. Chairman.

Mr. RAY. Do you not believe that the ultimate question here is whether this investigation will deprive citizens of the due process of law under the 14th amendment by invading their right to privacy.

Mr. PATMAN. All right, at the right time you will have an opportunity——

Mr. RAY. Will you please overrule my question or objection?

Mr. PATMAN. Yes, I will overrule it right now; yes.

Mr. RAY. Thank you.

Mr. PATMAN. Now, then, how does ABC recruit members? In other words, how do you sell the ABC plan, Mr. Hayes?

Mr. HAYES. Mr. Chairman, ABC does not sell anything. ABC——

Mr. PATMAN. It collects something for doing something, \$10,500 each. You are surely going to do something——

Mr. HAYES. That is correct.

Mr. PATMAN. What do you do for it?

Mr. HAYES. We teach and educate.

Mr. PATMAN. Educate in what?

Mr. HAYES. In the purpose that I described yesterday.

Mr. PATMAN. All right.

Do you sell this plan, ABC plan, by the way of seminars?

Mr. HAYES. No, we do not sell it.

Mr. PATMAN. Do you present it in seminars?

Mr. HAYES. We present it in seminars, yes, sir.

Mr. PATMAN. We have heard about the introductory meetings. What is an ABC introductory meeting?

Mr. HAYES. An introductory meeting is a form of seminar which may be conducted and usually is conducted by one of our members.

Mr. PATMAN. What is the content of the presentation? Do you have a pitch, a type of statement where you cover certain points, or do you have a prepared statement to present to people who are assembled for the purpose of gaining this information, gaining knowledge about this information?

Mr. HAYES. We, in these presentations of which you speak, sir; we teach them their rights.

Mr. PATMAN. Their rights as American citizens?

Mr. HAYES. Correct.

Mr. PATMAN. Is the material presented by speakers or do you use films, also? Do you use films, charts?

Mr. HAYES. We also use a film; yes, sir.

Mr. PATMAN. You use film? Do you have the films available?

Mr. HAYES. Yes.

Mr. PATMAN. We would like to have a copy.

Mr. HAYES. We would be glad to send you one, sir.