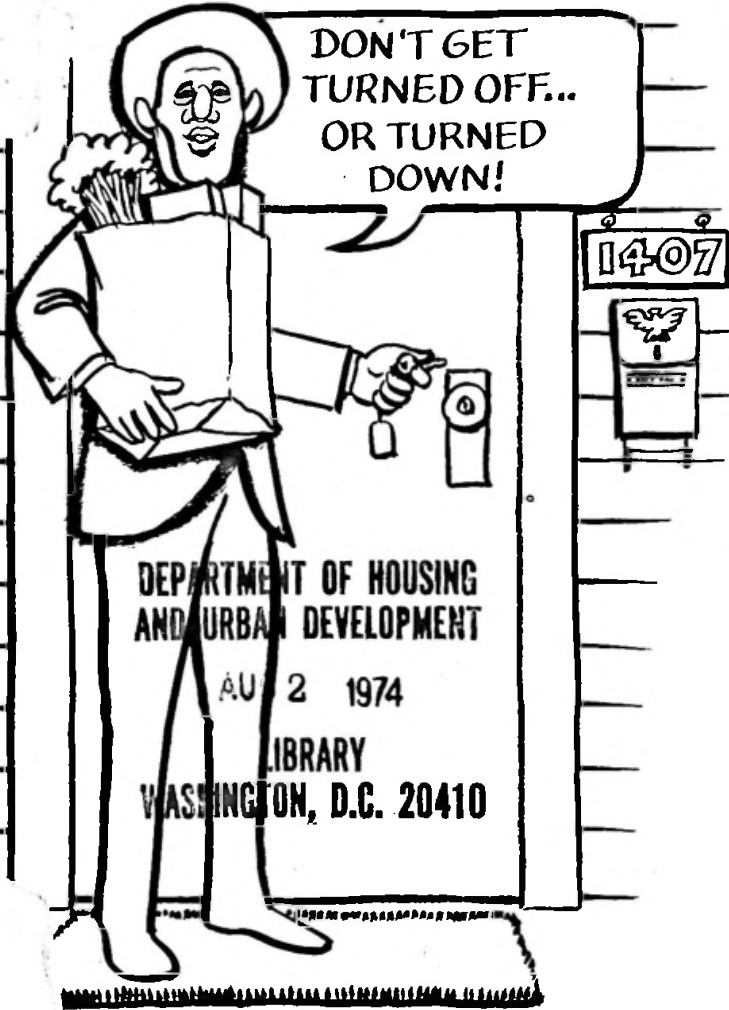


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YOUR HOUSING RIGHTS

 U. S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

MAN! THIS IS
HARD WORK...
I'M
DRAGGED OUT!

WHAT'RE YOU COMPLAININ'
ABOUT, JOE? ALL YOU DO IS PULL
LEVERS ON THE SHOVEL!
MANUEL AND ME...
WE WORK HARD!



IT'S THAT BUS RIDE FROM
TOWN. WHAT A HASSLE! TWO
TRANSFERS AND AN HOUR
AND A HALF EACH WAY!

ALL THAT MONEY YOU MAKE!
WHY'N'T YOU MOVE OUT HERE?
THE WAY THIS PLACE IS GROWIN',
WE'LL BE WORKING HERE FOR
THE NEXT TWENTY YEARS!



I'D LIKE TO LIVE HERE, AND SO WOULD NINA, FOR THE KIDS. WE CAN'T FIND A PLACE TO LIVE! MOST TIMES WHEN I TELEPHONE THEY SAY THERE'S A HOUSE, BUT WHEN I GET THERE IT'S BEEN SOLD!



SOMEBODY'S PUTTIN' YOU ON, JOE. THERE'S PLENTY OF HOUSES AROUND HERE. WE MUST HAVE LOOKED AT TEN BEFORE WE PICKED OUR PLACE!



PETE'S RIGHT. NO PROBLEM FOR A GUY WITH A WHITE SKIN OR THE RIGHT NAME. MAYBE WHAT YOU'RE RUNNIN' INTO IS WHAT LATINOS IN OUR QUANTWAY CALLS A "LEETLE" DISCRIMINATION.



THAT'S WHAT I FIGURED, TOO. YOU RAN INTO SOME DISCRIMINATION WHEN YOU BOUGHT YOUR HOUSE, MANUEL. WHY DON'T YOU BRING TO WORK THOSE PAMPHLETS YOU GOT FROM HUD.



NEXT DAY...

I GOT THIS STUFF FROM HUD, THE FEDERAL AGENCY THAT HANDLES THE FAIR HOUSING LAW. IT TELLS YOU WHAT'S ILLEGAL AND WHAT YOU DO IF YOU THINK YOU'RE GETTING RIPPED OFF!

LET'S SEE...



You can be helped if because of your race, color, religion or natural origin, any of these things happened:

- You were denied the opportunity to buy or rent a house or apartment
- You were told a house or an apartment wasn't available when it really was
- You were offered different terms or conditions of sale or rental than someone else.

SOUNDS LIKE THAT SECOND ONE,
JOE... I DON'T FIGURE IT'S JUST
BAD LUCK THAT THEY HAVE
NO HOUSE WHEN THEY SEE
THE COLOR OF YOUR
SKIN!

YEAH, YOU'RE PROBABLY RIGHT.
BUT IT KIND OF TURNS ME OFF.
I DON'T KNOW IF I WANT TO
GO TO COURT AND GET A
LAWYER, AND ALL
THAT JAZZ...



DON'T LET 'EM TURN YOU OFF, JOE.
YOU'VE GOT YOUR RIGHTS. BESIDES,
YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO TO COURT
IF YOU DON'T WANT TO. HUD CAN
TRY TO CLEAR IT
UP FOR YOU.

OKAY! OKAY! I'LL FOLLOW
UP A COUPLE MORE LEADS,
AND IF I THINK THERE'S
DISCRIMINATION, I'LL CALL
HUD!



SORRY. WE DID HAVE A HOUSE
IN YOUR PRICE RANGE, BUT WE
SOLD IT JUST BEFORE YOU
CAME THROUGH THE
DOOR!

MRS. DAVIS AND I ARE SORRY,
TOO. IT SEEMS WE'RE
ALWAYS A LITTLE LATE!



IF YOU FEEL YOU HAVE A HOUSING DISCRIMINATION COMPLAINT, CALL HUD.
YOU CAN TELEPHONE FREE ON THE HUD HOT LINE (800)424-8590 AND JUST TELL WHAT
HAPPENED, OR WRITE FAIR HOUSING, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20410

HELLO, HUD. I THINK I'M BEING
DISCRIMINATED AGAINST.
A WHITE BUDDY OF MINE
FROM WORK TRIED THE
SAME OFFICE RIGHT AFTER
I WAS TURNED DOWN AND
THEY HAD
THREE HOUSES
FOR HIM!



GOOD! I'LL SIGN
THE COMPLAINT
AND YOU SEND A
HUD INVESTIGATOR
OUT HERE.



MY INVESTIGATION INDICATES YOUR SALESMAN MAY HAVE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST MR. DAVIS BECAUSE OF RACE. YOU CAN EITHER LET HUD CONCILIATE THE COMPLAINT...



I KNOW THE LAW. NEITHER MY FIRM NOR MY REAL ESTATE ASSOCIATION CONDONES DISCRIMINATION. BUT SOME OF MY SALESMEN... WE'LL GO INTO CONCILIATION.



WELCOME TO MORTGAGE MANOR. I HEAR YOU GOT YOUR HOUSE.



YEAH! THAT FIRM WON'T DISCRIMINATE AGAIN. THANKS TO YOU GUYS, I DIDN'T LET 'EM TURN ME OFF OR TURN ME DOWN!

RIGHT, AMIGO!

Discrimination because of race, color, religion or national origin is illegal in the sale or rental of housing, so is discriminatory advertising, blockbusting, and a number of other things. If you feel you have a complaint, or if you want further information, call HUD on the hot line, or write: Fair Housing, Washington, D.C. 20410. Or contact your nearby HUD office. See listings on back of this pamphlet.



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