

Transcript

Segregation at Byrd Street Train Station in Richmond, 1914

September 2, 1914.

Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac R. R. Co.,
Richmond, Virginia.

Gentlemen:

I beg to enclose you herein copy of a resolution approved August 18, 1914, directing the City Attorney to appear before the State Corporation Commission and request it to require by proper legal method, all railroads having station passenger buildings established in the City of Richmond to provide and maintain therein, separate waiting rooms for white and colored passengers, and to request that you will inform me at your earliest convenience whether or not you will, within the near future provide and maintain separate waiting rooms for white and colored passengers and thus avoid the necessity of the matter being taken before the State Corporation Commission, in obedience to the said resolution

Very respectfully,

(signed) H. R. POLLARD,
City Attorney.

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Exhibit R No 2

Citation: *City of Richmond v. Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company, and Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company*, 1914. State Corporation Commission. Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.