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TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE
TO MOTEL OWNERS

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ATLANTA, GA...Motel owners along Hwy. 301 are urged to take advantage of a technical assistance program being sponsored by the local Area Planning and Development Commissions and funded by the Economic Development Administration.

Motels that can benefit from this program are located in Claxton, Folkston, Glennville, Jesup, Ludowici, Nahunta, Statesboro, and Sylvania.

This technical assistance, which is a continuation of a program started in 1977, is being provided by Georgia Tech's Engineering Experiment Station. Types of assistance available include advising owners on alternate business opportunities for motels, instructing owners on how to modify buildings to accommodate a different type of business, assisting owners in obtaining financing for conversion projects and showing owners how to reduce operating costs.

For further information on this program, motel owners should contact Larry Edens at the Engineering Experiment Station Field Office, 6606 Abercorn Street, Savannah, Ga. 31406, phone (912)356-2390, or Bill Howard, Georgia Tech, Engineering Experiment Station, Atlanta, Ga. 30332, phone (404)894-3816.