

Mr. SEGAL. Yes.

When we initiate action for a procurement, this thought has gone through our mind, that the reason we are going out of house is because of this particular problem, sir.

Mr. MEYER. At Rome Air Development Center I know there is a special group of technical people that do get together before they initiate a requirement to procurement.

Mr. SEGAL. There is.

Mr. MEYER. To consider the possibilities of doing it inhouse other ways.

Mr. SEGAL. This is shared by the technical director of the Rome Air Development Center.

Mr. HÉBERT. The next one, Mr. Sandweg.

Mr. COURTNEY. May I have one question for the record from Colonel Riemony, on his presentation from yesterday?

Whether or not the cyclic arrangement you have worked out, the 5-year cycle, can be accomplished within the limits of your manpower resources?

Colonel RIEMONDY. The plan which I showed the committee yesterday can be accomplished within the manpower which we expect to have on board.

Mr. COURTNEY. That is right.

Colonel RIEMONDY. For the next 5 years.

Mr. COURTNEY. So there is no question of manpower ceilings or additions or subtractions involved?

Colonel RIEMONDY. That is correct.

Mr. COURTNEY. That is all I have.

Mr. SANDWEG. That is all.

Mr. HÉBERT. Well, thank you, Mr. Secretary, and gentlemen who have appeared. We appreciated your appearance.

The committee will stand in recess until 2 o'clock, at which time General Trudeau will be here representing the Army to close out the Army phase.

Thank you, gentlemen, very much.

Secretary IMIRIE. Thank you, sir.

(Whereupon, at 12:15 p.m., the subcommittee recessed, to reconvene at 2 p.m. of the same day.)

AFTERNOON SESSION

(The subcommittee for Special Investigations reconvened at 2 p.m.)

Mr. HÉBERT. The committee will be in order.

Mr. Courtney.

Mr. COURTNEY. Mr. Chairman, we have for discussion this afternoon the research and development contracts, or at least a selected few of them, as to which the committee had some questions.

Mr. Sandweg has a list and so has the Department of the Army, and I would presume we would be ready to speak to them now.

General Trudeau is the head of research and development now. Aren't you, General Trudeau?

General TRUDEAU. That is correct.

Mr. COURTNEY. You can parcel out the answer yourself, or parcel out the subject as the contracts would indicate. I think you have the same number in order that we have, General.