

National Bureau of Standards to evaluate and improve NLM capability in the field of graphic image storage and retrieval of information.

National Science Foundation to carry out translation and publication projects abroad utilizing excess foreign currencies.

Agency for International Development to improve the communication of medical information to developing countries where AID missions are established.

(d) *With State governments or their instrumentalities.*—With the advent of support to libraries under the Medical Library Assistance Act (see par. 1(f)) it is possible that agreements will be reached with instrumentalities of State governments (such as health departments) relating to the provision of medical library services in their respective States through regional libraries. No agreements exist at the present time.

(e) *With local governments or communities.*—None at the present time.

(f) *With foreign governments or international organizations.*—It is probable that the NLM will enter into agreements with foreign governments in connection with Public Law 480 excess foreign currency programs. At the present time these programs are carried out in cooperation with NSF.

(g) *With nonprofit organizations and institutions.*—

(1) American Dental Association, to produce cooperatively the Index to Dental Literature.

(2) American Rheumatism Association, to produce the Index of Rheumatology.

(3) Association of American Medical Colleges to produce the Bibliography of Medical Education.

(4) American Journal of Nursing Co., to produce the International Nursing Index.

(h) *With business enterprises.*—None.

(i) *With others.*—None.

8. Laws and regulations

(a) National Library of Medicine Act (Public Law 84-941).

(b) Medical Library Assistance Act (Public Law 89-291).

(c) Labor-DHEW Appropriation Act (Public Law 89-156).

PART II. DATA BEARING ON ECONOMIC ASPECTS AND IMPACTS OF THE PROGRAM

9. Economic effects

Not answered.

10. Economic classification of program expenditures. (See table 2.)

Program: National Library of Medicine.

Department or agency, and office or bureau: Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Public Health Service.

TABLE 2.—*Economic classification of program expenditures for fiscal year 1965*

[In millions of dollars]

Federal Government:

Purchases of goods and services:

Wages and salaries.....	2
Other.....	2

Total Federal expenditures.....	4
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