

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION AMENDMENTS OF 1967

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1967

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND LABOR,
Washington, D.C.

The committee met at 10 a.m., pursuant to recess, in room 2175, Rayburn House Office Building, Hon. Carl D. Perkins (chairman of the committee) presiding.

Present: Representatives Perkins, Green, Brademas, Hawkins, Gibbons, Ford, Hathaway, Scheuer, Meeds, Burton, Quie, Bell, Erlendorn, Scherle, Dellenback, Esch, Eshleman, Gardner, and Steiger.

Staff members present: Robert E. McCord, senior specialist, H. D. Reed, Jr., general counsel, William D. Gaul, associate general counsel, Benjamin F. Reeves, editor, Louise M. Dargans, research assistant, and Charles W. Radcliffe, special education counsel for minority.

Chairman PERKINS. The committee will come to order. A quorum is present.

First, I want to make the announcement that a distinguished member of the committee, Roman Pucinski, regrets very much that he is unable to be here today in connection with the presentation of the Greater Cities Superintendents Association because of the sudden death of his nephew.

He has to be present in Chicago on this date. He called to express his great interest in the testimony of the representative of the Chicago School District, and to commend to the committee the administration of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act in the great city of Chicago.

We have with us several Congressmen who cannot remain any length of time—the gentleman from Wisconsin, Mr. Reuss, the gentleman from Cleveland, Mr. Fannin, and Mr. Multer of New York City—and it is my plan this morning to start off with Dr. Bernard Donovan who has appeared before this committee before.

Congressman Reuss.

STATEMENT OF HON. HENRY S. REUSS, A REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FROM THE STATE OF WISCONSIN

Mr. REUSS. Mr. Chairman and members of the committee, I wanted to tell you how proud I am that there is among this array of distinguished witnesses a warm personal friend of mine and the superintendent for many, many years of our fine Milwaukee school system.