

Mr. GOODELL. Mr. Chairman, just to answer that particular point, may I read from the Committee on Government Operations staff study and their quote and they are the ones that are the source of my figure, and they say:

Research does not include programs of demonstration, training or education, routine data collection; the construction of buildings and facilities; or the development of equipment, materials, devices, systems, methods, prototypes, and processes.

What you say is in direct contradiction to the data developed by the Government Operations Committee under its very able chairman, Mr. Reuss.

Mr. LEVINE. My data show in fiscal 1956 and 1957, \$21 million spent on research as such. This may be a definitional question.

Mr. GOODELL. Will this cited \$9.7 million and in 1966—

Chairman PERKINS. The gentleman from New York.

Mr. BURTON. The point I would like to make is that I think the other side should have a full opportunity to explore these matters, but I think the time should come from the other side until the rest of us living with the 5-minute rule have an opportunity to ask questions.

I suggest that until we catch up with the time utilized on the other side.

Mr. GOODELL. What you are doing is cutting off your only people from answering.

Mr. LEVINE. Mr. Chairman, I want to explain one thing. Mr. Shriver is right that we have made these things available. I think Mr. Goodell is right that they have not been easy to get at and I want to accept personal responsibility for that fact which has been a mistake on my part.

Chairman PERKINS. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from New York, Mr. Scheuer.

Mr. LEVINE. I would like to explain once and for all that a policy of complete openness was adopted by this agency some 8 months ago so far as making these documents available. At that time in my naivete I thought that we could make these things available in our library and have scholars and congressional staff come in. I was plain wrong.

In answer to Mr. Goodell's question, we are taking steps to correct that both on the back stuff, to get the back material copied, and the forward stuff to write into our contracts from now on, provision for enough copies so that they will be available.

I am perfectly willing to admit that error. However, Mr. Shriver is absolutely correct that in terms of availability, openness of results, these have been available. They have been tough to get at because I didn't realize that it would be necessary to reproduce them in the quantities to get them to the Congress and others.

Chairman PERKINS. Mr. Scheuer.

Mr. SCHEUER. I think that was a very helpful clarification. I am glad to yield a moment of my time to get it in the record. I would like to say that having worked closely in the Headstart program in my district and having worked closely with Headstart officials in Washington, I think it is a marvelous program. I think the administration has been absolutely first class. It has been innovative.