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In my own state of Oregon, the Tongue Point Job Corps Center for Women is quite successfully training young women who will be making their contributions to society, so I hope your Committee will give strong backing to the program of the Job Corps.

Dr. George, come around and take your seat.

We have also with us our distinguished colleague from New York, Dan Button.

Come around and make your statement, Congressman.

**STATEMENT OF HON. DANIEL E. BUTTON, A REPRESENTATIVE IN
CONGRESS FROM THE STATE OF NEW YORK**

Mr. BUTTON. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

It is my sincere pleasure this afternoon to be able to introduce to you and the committee, Dean O. Williams Perlmutter, who is the dean of the College of Arts and Sciences of the State University of New York at Albany.

As a resident of Albany, he is one of my most distinguished constituents in the 29th District of New York.

I would like to emphasize that he is here today as a professional educator, a man who has devoted his life to education at all levels, and improving its quality and application to the needs of our society.

I feel Dean Perlmutter is expertly qualified to discuss education. His background represents the broadest possible educational experience. It includes instructional and administrative duties in church-related schools and in State universities, both in this country and abroad.

He attended New York public schools and attended both Yeshiva University and Wyoming University for his undergraduate work.

He received his MA at the University of Chicago, and continued there for his Ph. D. in political science.

After graduate school, he was associated with Dean Searle of Chicago in adult education training programs. At St. Xavier College in Chicago, he worked with some 60 high schools. He has been the academic director of the Institute of European Studies at the University of Vienna, Freiburg, and Paris.

Just before coming to the State University of New York at Albany, he was dean of the College of Fine and Professional Arts at Kent State University in Ohio, where he was the project director of the Peace Corps training program and also initiated an informal Upward Bound program.

When the poverty program started, Dean Perlmutter volunteered his services to the Job Corps. I know he will want to address himself in particular to this aspect of the Job Corps program with you this afternoon.

Dean Perlmutter serves on a continuing basis as a consultant to the U.S. Office of Education, Division of Adult Education, and with these credentials, I believe valuable insight into the Job Corps can be gained.

I thank you very much.

Chairman PERKINS. Go ahead.

Dr. ZELMA GEORGE. Do you want me to sit here?

Chairman PERKINS. Yes. Do we have anybody else in this panel?