ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1967

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1967

House of Representatives, COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND LABOR, Washington, D.C.

The committee met at 9 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, Pucinski, O'Hara, Hawkins, Gibbons, Meeds, Quie, Goodell, Ashbrook, Erlenborn, Gurney, and Dellenback.

Also present: H. D. Reed, Jr., general counsel; Robert E. McCord, senior specialist; Louise Maxienne Dargans, research assistant; Benjamin Reeves, editor of committee publications; Austin Sullivan, investigator; Marian Wyman, special assistant; Charles W. Radcliffe, minority counsel for education; John Buckley, minority investigator; Dixie Barger, minority research assistant; and W. Phillips Rockefeller, minority research specialist.
Chairman Perkins. The committee will come to order. A quorum is

I am delighted to welcome you here again, Mr. Andrew Biemiller, who is the legislative director of the American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations. He has been before this committee many times in the past to provide excellent information and wise suggestions to assist us in our efforts.

We are delighted to welcome you here again this morning. Many of us recall our pleasant associations with you when you were a fellow

member.

Speaking for the committee, we are always delighted to see you come

You have worked all through the years for the welfare of the people of this country and that is why you stand out in everybody's mind as being a great American. We are delighted to welcome you here this morning and the gentleman who is with you. You may proceed in any way you prefer.

STATEMENT OF ANDREW J. BIEMILLER, LEGISLATIVE DIRECTOR, AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR AND CONGRESS OF INDUS-TRIAL ORGANIZATIONS; ACCOMPANIED BY JULIUS ROTHMAN, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE, AFL-CIO

Mr. Biemiller. Thank you, Mr. Chairman, for those very kind remarks.

For the record, I am Andrew J. Biemiller. I am legislative director for the American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations.