

HIGHER EDUCATION AMENDMENTS OF 1967

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1967

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

The subcommittee met at 10:15 a.m., pursuant to recess, in room 2175, Rayburn House Office Building, Hon. Edith Green (chairman of the subcommittee) presiding.

Present: Representatives Green, Brademas, Gibbons, Hathaway, Scheuer, Quie, and Esch.

Also present: William Gaul, associate counsel of the full committee; Richard H. Martin, counsel for the subcommittee; and Charles W. Radcliffe, minority counsel for education.

Mrs. GREEN. The subcommittee will come to order for the further consideration of H.R. 6232 and H.R. 6265, turning our attention to the guaranteed student loan program and the administration's recommendations.

The first person we welcome to the witness table this morning is our friend and our highly respected colleague from Hawaii, Congresswoman Patsy Mink.

We are glad to have you here. We are glad to know of your interest in this program.

STATEMENT OF HON. PATSY T. MINK, A REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FROM THE STATE OF HAWAII

Mrs. MINK. Thank you very much, Madam Chairman. I am pleased to have the opportunity to again endorse wholeheartedly the program that the 89th Congress instituted with respect to financial assistance to students desiring a higher education. I would like to ask that my statement be included in the record at this point.

Mrs. GREEN. Without objection, it is so ordered.
(The statement referred to follows:)

TESTIMONY BY PATSY T. MINK, A REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FROM THE STATE OF HAWAII

Madam Chairman and members of the subcommittee, I am pleased to have the opportunity to testify on behalf of the strengthening and expansion of the guaranteed student loan program through the amendments now pending before this subcommittee. To claim that this program is popular in Hawaii and has filled an urgent need may be termed a gross understatement, for my State is