

226 AID'S MISMANAGEMENT OF THE EXCESS PROPERTY PROGRAM

research and manufacturing, Federal Road Programs, The Job Corps, NDA, MDT, CAP, SEA's MARS, Boys Clubs, AID, Job Development, Neighborhood Youth Corps, Community Action Centers, and all other OEO Programs receive preferred treatment by GSA.

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U.S. Senate,

Washington, D.C.

DEAR SENATOR GRUENING: Thank you for your October 5 letter. New Mexico has made exceptionally good use of a substantial amount of surplus property—particularly real property—acquired from the federal government. Naturally, we would be interested in improvements in the system. I have asked my director of finance to look into your proposal and submit his comments to you.

Sincerely,

DAVID F. CARGO, Governor.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
EXECUTIVE CHAMBER,
Albany, October 31, 1967.

HON. ERNEST GRUENING,
U.S. Senator,
Senate Office Building,
Washington, D.C.

DEAR SENATOR GRUENING: I appreciate your writing me with respect to your Bill, S. 1794, relating to federal excess property.

A reversal of the present priorities would no doubt benefit the State of New York. I also recognize, however, that the AID program has corresponding needs, the relative importance of which I am not in a position to evaluate.

As the AID program is a vital portion of American foreign policy, I must at this time, defer to those charged with the execution of our foreign policy to decide and hope that they, as well as you, will be able to balance Washington, D.C.

DEAR SENATOR GRUENING: Thank you for your letter of October 5 in which you review the priority given our State's Surplus Property Division in securing Federal properties. The disbursing of Federal surplus properties in North Carolina is handled by the Division of Purchase and Contract of the Department of Administration. By copy of this letter, I am asking Mr. Wayne Corpening, Director of the Department of Administration, to review your Senate Bill 1974 with our Purchase and Contract Division.

Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention.

Sincerely,

DAN MOORE.