

Mr. Secretary, at some time convenient to you would it be possible for you to return so that we could continue the exploration of your statement?

Mr. UDALL. I would be quite willing at any time, Senator. I think this is a very vital subject and needs to be thoroughly aired and I am at the pleasure of the committee.

Senator ALLOTT. Thank you very much.

Mr. UDALL. I have to catch a plane. That is why I—

Senator ALLOTT. I understand.

Senator MOSS. Thank you very much, Mr. Secretary, Mr. Luce and Mr. Barry, for being here this morning. You have been most helpful. As indicated by Chairman Jackson, we hope to maintain closest dialog and to follow carefully these developments as they move along. So we will look forward to having you back before the committee in the not too distant future. You are excused now. Thank you.

Mr. LUCE. Mr. Chairman, the Secretary referred in his statement to a prospectus of oil shale resource development, being an elaboration of our points 4 and 5 of our five-point oil shale program. I don't believe this prospectus was ordered admitted to the record and I would appreciate it if it would be. I have copies of this prospectus of research and development over a 10-year period for the committee if the members wish to have it.

Senator MOSS. The prospectus is of considerable interest and although it is lengthy, I think it should be printed in the record. So without objection this will be inserted in the record as an appendix to this hearing.

Now I request that there be printed in the record at this point a statement of the Governor of Wyoming, a statement of the Governor of Utah, a statement by Senator Bennett of Utah, and do we have any others? Other statements that have been filed by any Members of Congress or the Governors of any of the States will be included.

(The statements referred to follow:)

STATEMENT OF HON. STANLEY K. HATHAWAY, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF
WYOMING

Mr. Chairman, I regret that I could not be present today to appear before your Committee, but the pressing business at the close of this session of the Wyoming State Legislature prevented me from making such a trip. I did want, however, to express before your Committee the great interest which Wyoming has in the development of oil shale and associated minerals.

Secretary of the Interior Udall's announcement on January 27 of a five-point oil shale development program signals, we hope, a recognition by the Federal Government to bring our vast oil shale reserves into commercial production as soon as possible.

In order that Wyoming may take its proper place in furthering the orderly development of this natural resource, our State Legislature by unanimous consent adopted a resolution recommending the appointment by me of a Wyoming State Oil Shale Advisory Board. That resolution was signed by me on February 18 and this Oil Shale Advisory Board will be appointed at the earliest opportunity. Among other things, I will ask that the Advisory Board submit recommendations to me guiding myself and the Legislature in the area of conservation regulations and the proper policing of land, air, and water pollution.

In announcing the five-point program, Secretary Udall failed to make any mention of the role that affected states would play in the development of an oil shale industry. Affected states will, of course, be required to exercise their traditional police powers as well as provide for the many needs of rapidly growing communities. Wyoming will welcome the opportunity to coordinate with the other affected states in establishing proper conservation regulations. In addition, Wyoming will not be unmindful of the requirement that taxing entities