Mr. Patman. You are directed to answer this question. Does ABC

consider that it is exempt from paying gasoline taxes?

Mr. LAUREN. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protection of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may tend to incriminate me.

Mr. Patman. You are directed to answer this question. How many of the members of ABC have applied for Federal income tax

exemption?

Mr. Lauren. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protection of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may tend to incriminate me.

Mr. Patman. You are directed to answer this question. How many of those applications for tax exemptions have been refused by the

Internal Revenue Service?

Mr. Lauren. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protection of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may tend to incriminate me.

Mr. PATMAN. You are directed to answer. What is your foundation,

a corporation or a trust?

Mr. LAUREN. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protection of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may tend to incriminate me.

Mr. PATMAN. You are directed to answer this question. Where and

when was your foundation created under that name?

Mr. LAUREN. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protection of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may

tend to incriminate me.

Mr. Patman. You are directed to answer: As I understand it, your foundation has not filed an application for Federal tax exemption, and it has not filed a form 990-A tax return since the date of its incorporation. This is true, is it not?

Mr. LAUREN. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protection of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may tend

to incriminate me.

Mr. Patman. You are directed to answer this question. Why hasn't your foundation filed an application for Federal tax exemption?

Mr. Lauren. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protec-

tion of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may tend to incriminate me.

Mr. Patman. You are directed to answer the question. Who advised your foundation that it does not have to file an application for Federal

tax exemption?

Mr. LAUREN. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protection of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may tend to incriminate me.

Mr. PATMAN. You are directed to answer: Why hasn't your founda-

tion filed a tax return form 990-A?

Mr. LAUREN. I respectfully decline to answer, invoking the protection of the fifth amendment, on the grounds that my answer may tend to incriminate me.

Mr. PATMAN. You are directed to answer. Who advised your foundation that it does not have to file a tax return form 990-A?