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APPENDIX B

MINIMUM INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED IN REPORTING IDLE GOVERNMENT-OWNED PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT AND MACHINE TOOLS

(a) Standard commercial description.

(b) Standard commodity classification code.

Government tag number.

Location.

Condition.

Owning government agency. (f)

Manufacturer's name.

Serial number.

Opinion as to whether special, single purpose, or general purpose.

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(Defense Mobilization Order 8555.1; Amdt. 1)

DMO 8555.1—OEP POLICY GUIDANCE ON GOVERNMENT-OWNED PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT

DELETION OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS

1. Defense Mobilization Order 8555.1 dated November 13, 1963 (28 F.R. 12581) is hereby amended by deleting paragraph 6b(5).

2. This amendment is effective the date of issuance.

Dated: August 31, 1964.

FRANKLIN B. DRYDEN, Acting Director, Office of Emergency Planning.

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Chairman Proxmire. We will be in touch with you later about the possibility of legislation in this area.

Thank you very much.

Now, I would like to point out—a reporter sent up to me a little note—that November 30 is the fifth anniversary of the Truth in Negotiations Act. So it just has taken apparently 5 years to make it effective. And it is good at long last that we seem to be accomplishing this.

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These things do take a long time. But I think this committee has been useful in this regard, and certainly the Comptroller General

has been enormously useful, and you have been cooperative.

Now, having said that, let me disagree a little bit with my good friend Tom Curtis in his assessment of your report as a progress report. It purports to be. But I am inclined to feel it is too much of a prospective kind of report. I think it would be very helpful for us if you could report to us, say at the 6-month intervals, on the actual progress that has been made with respect to the following:

No. 1, progress in implementing the Truth in Negotiations Act-

training and so forth.

No. 2, the increase in advertised bidding, or the decrease—what has happened in advertised competitive bidding. I understand it has decreased in the last year, although you point out that it increased since

Mr. Morris. Right, sir.