

Mr. EDWARDS. Excuse me. Will the gentleman yield?

Chairman BLATNIK. Yes.

Mr. EDWARDS. Who is shown as the sponsor of that publication?

Mr. GIORDANO. The Commissioner of Narcotics. In here we quote the medical experts as to their views, the New York County Medical Society, their views on marihuana, American Medical Association's views, the Public Health Service views.

This is a booklet that we have had, a publication, for some number of years, "The Prevention and Control of Narcotic Addiction," which explains the problem and explains what we are doing to control the availability, and talks about the treatment facilities that are available.

This is a little folder. In cooperation with the International Chiefs of Police, we developed a film directed to the schools. The name of the film is "Fight or Flight." It is a film showing some, I believe, four or five addicts who have been cured and who are on this hill top in the New York area, and they tell how they got started, what the problems were, the dangers. It is directed to the schoolchildren and the message is: "this is what happened to me and this is what can happen to you."

And we have other material. We have material that we give to the medical profession, the pharmaceutical profession, as to rules and regulations and so forth. I will leave this. If the committee would like extra copies we would be very happy to furnish them.

Chairman BLATNIK. Mr. Secretary, could you give us an idea of the number of personnel and the functions to be transferred from the Bureau of Narcotics over to the new Bureau in Justice? Would it be essentially the same organization that you have which would be welded, combined with the Bureau of Drug Abuse and Control. Is that what would happen?

Mr. HENDRICK. It would be precisely the same Bureau of Narcotics once it got over to the Department of Justice, with the single exception that the Office of the Commissioner of Narcotics would be abolished. Of course once in the Department of Justice, the question of how it should be merged into the Bureau of Drug Abuse Control would be up to the Attorney General to decide.

Chairman BLATNIK. There has been a question as to whether or not it would operate more effectively in another department, as to what the need would be in another department. I can see where Justice, dealing with the legal aspects, also enforcement areas perhaps, could be a proper role. Do you have any comments to make on that?

Mr. HENDRICK. Mr. Chairman, in a way the last person in the world you should ask for a comment on that is a representative of the Treasury Department because, to be perfectly honest with you, we hate to see this Bureau leave us. The Bureau of Narcotics is what one might consider a plum. It has a brilliant record. Any department that has the Bureau within its aegis is that much better off. And of course I could not, or would not, testify that Treasury did not run this Bureau or allow it to operate in a very effective way. On the other hand, when you come to a question of jurisdiction, as to which department should have a particular bureau, there are always many arguments one can make on one side and arguments on the other side. These arguments were made and the decision of the Bureau of the Budget, which after