- 2. Publication of import-export data. NMTBA publishes and distributes to its members monthly and annual import and export statistics by type of machine tool and countries of origin and destination, based on Bureau of Census data. The Association has also published a comprehensive market analysis for 24 countries entitled "Survey of Major Export Markets for Machine Tools." (A copy of the latest revision, published by the Association in 1967 and distributed to all NMTBA members, is included in the Exhibits separately submitted.)
- 3. Promotion of Foreign Attendance at 1965 Machine Tool Show. NMTBA published a 64-page book entitled "Advanced Developments in United States Machine Tools" to promote foreign attendance at the 1965 Machine Tool Show. A copy of this publication is also included in the NMTBA's Exhibits. Approximately 3,000 copies were distributed outside the United States with the cooperation of the U.S. Embassies and consulates and the Department of Commerce. Subsequently, the publication was reproduced in several foreign languages for distribution abroad.
- 4. Industry participation in trade fairs and trade missions. Historically, machine tool builders have been active in trade fairs and trade missions around the world. NMTBA has kept members advised of these events through newsletters and bulletins. In addition, the Association coordinates industry charter flights to many foreign trade shows.