

Mr. JONES. May we have those statements?

General NOBLE. Yes, Mr. Chairman. We have a complete analysis for each basin showing the total amount authorized and the deficits.

Mr. CLAUSEN. Is there any controversy or opposing points of view to the continuation of these basin projects, to your knowledge?

General NOBLE. I am not aware of any.

Mr. CLAUSEN. Mr. Cohen?

Mr. COHEN. No, sir; not for any overall basin. There may be some individual projects in these basins where we may have some problems, but no major controversy is involved.

Mr. JONES. Have you identified those in your narratives of the projects?

Mr. COHEN. We have listed the various projects in each of the basins on which we propose to apply the additional monetary authorization, sir.

Mr. JONES. You say you had some minor problems. Did you identify them in—

Mr. COHEN. I have not identified them here. We could for the record, if you wish.

Mr. JONES. Would you supply for the record where they exist, just in case someone brings it up? We would have the material to supply us with the information of what is involved. (See p. 711.)

Mr. COHEN. Yes, sir.

Mr. CLAUSEN. Let me ask you this question for the record. To your knowledge, in any of the projects, these 14 projects that are being recommended, do you know of any Member of Congress that might have any opposing points of view to that which would be presented to the committee?

General NOBLE. No, sir. These are mainly projects that are underway. They are either covered by appropriations or proposed to be covered by appropriations, but we do not have monetary authorization enough to cover them.

Mr. JONES. Yes.

Mr. CLAUSEN. It is in the category of continuing authorization.

General NOBLE. Yes, sir.

Mr. CLAUSEN. Basin authorization concept. I am aware of this. But we want to make certain by asking these questions and we are holding you fellows responsible to advise us if there is any legal opposition, if there is any Member's opposition or anything that should be brought to our attention in order to give both sides an opportunity to testify should this be the case.

General NOBLE. Yes, sir. We are aware of this responsibility, sir, and we are not aware of any substantial opposition. However, I will look into this as soon as this hearing is over and if there is any, I will supply it promptly for the record.

Mr. JONES. We will have it before the full committee?

General NOBLE. Yes, sir.

Mr. JONES. Now, General Noble, let me give you an example here. You have the Alabama-Coosa Basin. The total estimated cost of the project plan, \$578 million. Is that a current estimate?

General NOBLE. Yes, sir.

Mr. JONES. In other words, these figures have been updated to present today's costs?

Mr. COHEN. July 1967 costs, sir.