

Mr. ROGERS. Thank you, Mr. Chairman and gentlemen.

Mr. MACDONALD. Before we have our next witness, our colleague and my good friend from Florida, Mr. Fascell—I have listed as witnesses to appear in a panel presentation two people from the Florida Power & Light Co., one from Austin, Tex., one from San Antonio, one from Houston, one from Savannah, Ga., one from Tampa, Fla., and Fort Myers, Fla., and Miami, Fla.

May I ask, just because this committee is limited by time to hold these hearings just 2 days, are all those people going to appear on one panel at one time?

Mr. BEN H. FUQUA (vice president, Florida Power & Light Co.). No, sir, Mr. Chairman. That list was submitted simply as the proponents of the public witness list.

Mr. MACDONALD. It says on the paper that I have, "panel presentation."

Mr. FUQUA. We are all proponents.

Mr. MACDONALD. If we call each person individually with questioning as detailed as it has been, I can see this going on for many more days.

Mr. FUQUA. We will try not to burden the committee.

Mr. MACDONALD. It isn't a question of burdening the committee.

Mr. FUQUA. We will be as brief as we can. We will file written statements, too, of course.

Mr. MACDONALD. I wasn't quite sure what "panel presentation" meant.

Mr. FUQUA. I am not quite sure either. I simply submitted that list as a list of the proponent witnesses. That was all.

Mr. MACDONALD. But each member that is listed on the panel is going to testify separately?

Mr. FUQUA. Yes, sir.

Mr. MACDONALD. Thank you, sir. Our next witness is Mr. Fascell of Florida, who has introduced a bill similar to that of Mr. Rogers.

STATEMENT OF HON. DANTE B. FASCELL, A REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FROM THE STATE OF FLORIDA

Mr. FASCELL. Thank you, Mr. Chairman and members of the subcommittee. I am very happy to join my distinguished colleagues from Florida, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Gurney, and my other colleagues who have introduced similar legislation being considered by this subcommittee, and to join this distinguished delegation which has come from Florida, from all parts of Florida, and from other States, in a discussion of this matter by the subcommittee.

I want to thank the chairman and the members of the subcommittee for undertaking hearings on this matter which obviously is of considerable import. I have a prepared statement, Mr. Chairman, which I ask permission to file and then I'll make some brief comments, because obviously you need to get to the expert witnesses as soon as you can.

Mr. MACDONALD. Without objection that will be done.