

THE 1968 ECONOMIC REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT

The letter appearing below was sent to the following organizations: American Bankers Association, American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations, American Iron and Steel Institute, American Life Convention, Chamber of Commerce of the United States, Committee for Economic Development, Communications Workers of America, Conference on Economic Progress, Consumers Union of the United States, Inc., Cooperative League of the U.S.A., CUNA International, Inc., Federal Statistics Users' Conference, Independent Bankers Association, Life Insurance Association of America, Machinery and Allied Products Institute, National Association of Mutual Savings Banks, National Consumers' League, National Federation of Independent Business, National Federation of Independent Unions, National Planning Association, Railway Labor Executives Association, National League of Insured Savings Associations, United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America (UAW), United Mine Workers, United States Savings and Loan League. These organizations were invited to submit their views or comments on the text and recommendations contained in the 1968 Economic Report of the President. Fifteen organizations and one individual submitted statements and their views were considered by the Joint Economic Committee in the preparation of its report on the President's Economic Report.

FEBRUARY 8, 1968.

DEAR MR. —————: Since our schedule of hearings on the 1968 Economic Report of the President is very full and time is short, the Joint Economic Committee once again is calling upon a number of leaders of banking, business, labor, agriculture and consumer organizations for written statements containing economic facts and counsel for consideration in the preparation of its report.

The 1968 Economic Report of the President, including the annual report of the Council of Economic Advisers, is enclosed. We would appreciate having your comments on the materials and recommendations in this report.

In order that we may have ample time for consideration of these comments, written statements should be received by March 1, 1968. We will need 30 copies sent to G-133, New Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510, for distribution to committee members and the staff.

Such comments as you care to give us will be made available to the public in a printed volume of invited statements.

Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM PROXYMIRE, *Chairman.*