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WASHINGTON, D C

February 22, 1943

JAMES F. BYRNES Director

My dear Mr. Thurston:

Justice Byrnes has asked me to thank you for your letter of February 20, 1943, enclosing copies of Mr. Eccles' memorandum with respect to the 48 hour work week. We are distributing this memorandum to the members of the Economic Stabilization Board.

Sincerely yours

Edward F. Prichard

Mr. Elliott Thurston Special Assistant to the Chairman Federal Reserve Board Washington, D. C.



Pebruary 20, 1943.

Honorable James F. Byrnes, Director, Economic Stabilization Board, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Byrnes:

Enclosed are twenty-five copies of the memorandum on the economic effects of the mandatory forty-eight-hour week that you suggested Chairman Eccles send to you to be distributed to the other members of the committee.

If you have need for any more copies, we can supply them.

Sincerely yours,

Elliott Thurston, Special Assistant to the Chairman.

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