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SECURITIES INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT

May 27, 1946

Division of Administrative Services Federal Reserve System Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sirs:

If available for distribution we should appreciate a copy of the prepared statement of Mr. Eccles presented to the House Banking and Currency Committee on May 22, 1946.

We should also like to receive, when and if available, a copy of the formal statement on additional powers required by the Federal Reserve System, which was mentioned by Mr. Eccles as being in the course of preparation.

Please address to the attention of the undersigned.

Very truly yours

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William R. Cowie

May 28, 1946.

Mr. William A. Cowie, Securities Investment Department, The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, 393 Seventh Avenue, New York City.

Dear Mr. Cowie:

In accordance with your request of May 27, there is enclosed a copy of the prepared statement which Chairman Eccles presented to the House Banking and Currency Committee on May 22.

Your request for a copy of the special report to Congress has been referred to the publications section and a copy will be sent to you when available.

Sincerely yours,

Elliott Thurston, Assistant to the Chairman.

Enclosure

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