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- I. Mr. George Murphy on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy telephoned to inquire if the Director could appear before the Committee either the 27th or 28th. The Director's office advised that the 28th at two o'clock would be satisfactory. This was forwarded to Mr. Murphy. Subsequently, Mr. Murphy confirmed this date and time.
- 2. The Director appeared before the Senatore Foreign Relations Committee this afternoon at two o'clock. For full details see Memorandum for the Record.
- 3. Contacted Mr. R. L. Callaghan, Staff Director of the Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, concerning the form letter invitation of the Chairman, Senator James E. Murray (D., Mont.) for comments and appearance at the hearings on S. 2549, the Resources and Conservation Act of 1960. Mr. Callaghan apologized that the letter had been sent to us in error and requested that it be disregarded.
- 4. Contacted Mr. Frank Ecker, International Division, Bureau of the Budget, concerning a proposed bill "To Amend Certain Laws of the United States in the Light of the Admission of the State of Hawaii into the Union and for Other Purposes." Mr. Ecker had queried whether section 43 "Reports of Federal Land Use" would affect Agency operations. It was related to Mr. Ecker that we concurred in section 43 as drafted.
- 5. Talked with Mr. Frank Damon, Legislative Assistant to Senator Hiram Fong (R., Hawaii) and indicated our interest in chatting with the Senator concerning his trip throughout the Far East last fall. Mr. Damon said the Senator would like this and added that he would like to have our reaction and comment on this trip with any suggestions as to what he might have done that he did not do. He also said that he had asked the State Department for their informal suggestions for places they thought it would be desirable for him to visit when he travels in August. The same request is extended to us. We are to check on this and be back in touch with Mr. Damon.

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