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Mr. Walter Lippmann, New York Herald-Tribune New York, New York

My dear Mr. Lippmann:

I have your telegram of the 14th. Pursuant to your request, I have today sent you, under separate cover, copies of Parts I, III, IV, V and VI of our protective committee report to Congress.

From your telegram I judge that you may be particularly interested in Part I and Part V which contains specific recommendations as to control over protective committees. In addition, Part I sets forth our specific recommendations for improvements in reorganization procedure under Section 77B of the Bankruptcy Act. If there is any further information which you desire, do not hesitate to call on me.

With warm regards and best wishes, I am

Yours faithfully,

William O. Douglas Commissioner