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OPENING OF THE SYMPOSIUM

9:30 A.M. - 10:00 A.M. Colonial Room

REMARKS

WILLIAM H. FORST President National Tax Association-Tax Institute of America

TRIBUTES TO DR. LAURENCE N. WOODWORTH

HONORABLE AL ULLMAN Chairman House Ways & Means Committee U. S. House of Representatives

PROFESSOR STANLEY S. SURREY Vice President National Tax Association-Tax Institute of America

THE FEDERAL TAX LEGISLATIVE PROCESS

10:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. **Colonial Room**

PROFESSOR STANLEY S. SURREY, Moderator Vice President NTA-TIA

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES. CONGRESSIONAL STAFF AND RELATED ASPECTS

BERNARD SHAPIRO Chief of Staff Joint Committee on Taxation U. S. Congress

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ROLE OF TREASURY DEPARTMENT

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THE CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET PROCESS

CHARLES DAVENPORT Assistant Director for Tax Analysis Congressional Budget Office U. S. Congress

PANEL DISCUSSION

THE ABOVE and DANIEL I. HALPERIN Deputy Assistant Secretary (Tax Policy) U. S. Treasury Department

LUNCHEON

12:45 P.M. - 2:15 P.M. **Presidential Room**

WILLIAM H. FORST, Presiding President NTA-TIA

SPEAKER

HONORABLE RUSSELL B. LONG Chairman Committee on Finance U. S. Senate

ASPECTS OF LEGISLATIVE PERSUASION

2:30 P.M. - 5:30 P.M. Colonial Room

PROFESSOR PAUL R. McDANIEL. Moderator Boston College Law School

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CURRENT FEDERAL TAX POLICY ISSUES: FIRST PART

10:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. Colonial Room

JOHN S. NOLAN, Moderator, Miller & Chevalier Washington, D. C.

INFLATION ISSUES

EMIL M. SUNLEY, JR.
Deputy Assistant Secretary (Tax Policy)
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CAPITAL FORMATION ISSUES

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CURRENT FEDERAL TAX POLICY ISSUES: SECOND PART

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PROFESSOR STANLEY S. SURREY, Moderator Vice President NTA-TIA

EFFECTIVE INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX RATES

BENJAMIN A. OKNER Senior Staff Economist Office of Tax Analysis U. S. Treasury Department

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EFFECTIVE FEDERAL TRANSFER TAX RATES

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RELEVANCE OF FEDERAL TAX REFORM

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