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Hon. John L. Lewis,  
Committee for Industrial Organization,  
1001 15th Street, N.W.,  
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Lewis:

I am sending you herewith a copy of Part I of this Commission's report to Congress on protective and reorganization committees. I thought you might be interested in the report, especially in view of the position which we take and the comment which we make on the status of labor in these reorganization cases. The specific recommendation which we make on page 901 of the report is embodied in the Chandler Bill (H.R. 6439) now pending before the Judiciary Committee of the House. I think this proposal to give labor a definite status in reorganization proceedings is a constructive and progressive measure which may be of deep interest and concern to you.

Yours faithfully,

William O. Douglas,  
Commissioner.

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