P.S. to Neils Reimers:

Dear Neils:

I would assume that Joe Allen would float the APLA comments on this section to you and others for comment. However, in case he does not you should take a look at our thinking. Believe me, we have no pride of authorship in that we are opposed to the whole thing. You should send your improvements and criticisms along to Joe Allen. I would appreciate getting a copy of any thoughts you might forward however. This battle of the recoupment feature is one which we are getting ready to fight in regards to S. 1215.

Mike Blommer

cc: Mr. Eugene L. Bernard