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Matters for consideration at the meeting of the Federal Open Market Committee to be held on Tuesday, May 27, 1969, at 9:30 a.m.

- 1. Approval of minutes of actions taken at the meeting of the Federal Open Market Committee on April 29, 1969.
- 2. Acceptance of memorandum of discussion for the meeting of the Federal Open Market Committee on April 29, 1969.
- 3. Election of certain Committee officers.
- 4. Ratification of action of Committee members on May 14, 1969, approving equalization of System swap lines with Netherlands Bank and National Bank of Belgium at \$300 million each, and conforming amendments to paragraph 2 of authorization for System foreign currency operations, effective immediately.
- 5. Report of the Special Manager for foreign currency operations on such operations since the meeting of the Federal Open Market Committee on April 29, 1969; action with respect to transactions during such period; and consideration of recommendations of the Special Manager.
- 6. Report by the Manager of the System Open Market Account on open market operations since the meeting of the Federal Open Market Committee on April 29, 1969; and action with respect to transactions during such period.
- 7. Staff reports on economic and financial developments.
- 8. Discussion of factors bearing on monetary and credit policy; and derivation of consensus regarding open market operations in the forthcoming period.
- 9. Current economic policy directive to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. (Copy of April 29, 1969, directive attached.)
- 10. Further discussion of outright System transactions in agency issues. (See memorandum from Gov. Robertson dated May 5, 1969.)
- 11. Confirmation of date for next meeting (June 24, 1969).