Honorable Herbert H. Lehman  
United States Senate  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Lehman:

I thank you for your recent letter pertaining to the plight of the city of Auburn, New York, caused by International Harvester Company moving its operations to another area.

While this subcommittee would not normally have occasion to consider a similar problem, I am glad to advise you that in South Carolina we have been confronted with a similar situation at times. It has been our experience that the State Research, Planning and Development Board, of which there must exist a counterpart in New York, was best able to understand the problems involved and to offer a satisfactory solution.

This subcommittee is presently considering legislation which would assist a community in establishing its own new industries through the cooperation of a technical advisory service.

Sincerely yours,

Burnet R. Maybank  
Chairman, Subcommittee on Small Business