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**[Box 36: The Commission on Money and Credit \(CMC\), 1957-1961. Hyman P. Minsky, consultant](#)**

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 [Note by Bruce MacMillan 10/25/07: Proposed changes for his draft copy are marked with a pencil. There are three additional pieces of paper with hand written notes in pencil, stapled to the copy of the article: “Can a free enterprise financial market even be efficient even though it cannot be perfect...?”]
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- 247     **FOLDER:** Hyman P. Minsky (Assoc. Prof. of Economics, University of California, Berkeley). Research Study Two: *Financial Crisis, Financial Systems and the Performance of the Economy*. A Study Prepared for Task Force D of the Commission on Money and Credit. c. 1960?  
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- 21     **FOLDER:** The Commission On Money And Credit (CMC). *Task Force D: Mission and Policy Issues*. New York, NY: The Commission On Money And Credit. Feb. 18, 1960. CMC Use Only. Not For Release.  
 [Note by Bruce MacMillan 3.19.09: The document is marked throughout with notes in red pen. This editing was presumably done by Professor Minsky during his work for the Commission as a consultant.]

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- 2 Hyman P. Minsky. #13: *Built In Stabilization and Protection Against Severe Recession*. Handwritten notes. For The Commission On Money And Credit. (Undated, c. 1960)
- 4 Hyman P. Minsky. #5: *Regional Differences in the Structure and Operation of Financial Markets*. Handwritten notes. For The Commission On Money And Credit. (Undated, c. 1960)
- 4 Hyman P. Minsky. Research Outline: *Task Force D*. For The Commission On Money And Credit. Handwritten notes. For The Commission On Money And Credit. (Undated, c. 1960)
- 4 Hyman P. Minsky. *Draft Outline: Protection of the Financial System Against Severe Recessions and the Potential Threat of Financial Distress*. Handwritten notes. For The Commission On Money And Credit. (Undated, c. 1960)

**FOLDER:** Correspondence between Hyman P. Minsky and The Commission On Money And Credit 4.1.1960 to 7.5.1960

- 1 Letter. 4.1.1960. From: Hyman P. Minsky. To: John C. Dawson, The Commission On Money And Credit, 711 5<sup>th</sup> Ave., New York, NY.  
 Re: "...I would be willing to do either Topic no. 5: "Regional Differences in the Structure and Operation of Financial Models" or the part of topic no. 13 that deals with "Protection Against Severe Recession"..." [1 original letter]
- 1 Letter. 4.15.1960. From: Hyman P. Minsky. To: Eli Shapiro or John C. Dawson, The Commission On Money And Credit, 711 5<sup>th</sup> Ave., New York, NY. [1 original letter]  
 Re: "I am enclosing a draft outline of a research project dealing with the *Protection Against Severe Recessions*, part of Research Project 13 of Task Force D..."
- 1 Letter. 5.2.1960. From: John C. Dawson, The Commission On Money And Credit, 711 5<sup>th</sup> Ave., New York, NY. To: Hyman P. Minsky.  
 Re: "We find your outline very interesting and stimulating..." [1 original letter]
- 1 Letter. 5.4.1960. From: Hyman P. Minsky. To: John C. Dawson, The Commission On Money And Credit, 711 5<sup>th</sup> Ave., New York, NY.  
 Re: "I haven't received an answer to my letter of April 15<sup>th</sup>, 1960..." [1 original letter]
- 1 Letter. 7.5.1960. From: Bertrand Fox, Research Director, The Commission On Money And Credit, 711 5<sup>th</sup> Ave., New York, NY. To: Hyman P. Minsky.  
 Re: "Enclosed is the Commission's check in the amount of \$1,000 covering the first installment of your compensation in accordance with the terms of my letter of grant dated May 24, 1960..." [1 original letter]
- 16 **FOLDER:** Robert Z. Aliber, "The Commission on Money and Credit: Ten Years Later", *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking*, Vol. 4, No. 4., Nov. 1972, pp. 915-929. (<http://www.jstor.org/stable/pdfplus/1991234.pdf>)

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- 1     **FOLDER:** President John F. Kennedy. *Remarks to the Members of the Commission on Money and Credit. June 19, 1961.* Speech from the Oval Office, the White House Washington, D.C. Cited in John T. Woolley and Gerhard Peters. *The American Presidency Project* [online]. Santa Barbara, CA: University of California (hosted), Gerhard Peters (database).