

1 DELEGATE MASON: Delegate Bamberger, would your  
2 amendment restrict the powers of the Attorney General  
3 in investigations?

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Bamberger.

5 DELEGATE BAMBERGER: No, Delegate Mason, I  
6 take it that by investigations you would mean investiga-  
7 tions to ascertain whether or not there was compliance with  
8 laws of the state or administrative regulation of agencies of  
9 the state and certainly that is the function of a lawyer and  
10 the function of a chief legal officer of the state.

11 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Mason, any further  
12 question?

13 DELEGATE MASON: Would this amendment restrict  
14 the legislature from prescribing duties to the Attorney  
15 General to coordinate and correlate the functions and powers  
16 and duties of the State's Attorneys?

17 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Bamberger.

18 DELEGATE BAMBERGER: No, sir, because I think  
19 that a chief -- one of the functions of a chief legal  
20 officer is to -- to use your word-- coordinate and  
21 supervise the legal business of the state and part of that