

1 MR. QUILLEN: Amendment No. 24, to accompany
2 Minority report No. R&P-1(c) to committee recommendation
3 No. R&P-1, by Delegates Beachley, Bothe, Burgess, Child,
4 Dabrowski, Groh, Hardwicke, Kosakowski, Mitchell, C.
5 Murray, Price, Taylor, Weidemeyer, Willoner.

6 On page 4 following line 30 of Section 10
7 Reserved Rights add the following new section:

8 "Section Freedom of Information

9 All governmental proceedings, meetings, and
10 records shall be open to the people and prior notice of
11 such proceedings or meetings shall be provided, except
12 as otherwise prescribed by public general law."

13 DELEGATE WILLONER: I yield 3 minutes to
14 Delegate Maurer.

15 DELEGATE MAURER: Mr. Chairman , I rise to
16 support the amendment to manage the growth of government
17 services and to provide a more energetic and robust state
18 government. We have strengthened the executive, made
19 the legislative more visible, given more power to local
20 governments, and provided for intergovernmental bodies.

21 I have wondered what we should do to strengthen