

1 MR. QUILLEN: Amendment No. 3 to committee
2 recommendations Nos. S&E-1 and S&E-2 as amended, by report
3 S&D-11, by Delegate Macdonald.

4 On page 2, section 2.03. Voters in Presidential
5 Elections in line 20 strike out the word "shall" and insert
6 in lieu thereof the word "may".

7 THE PRESIDENT: The amendment is submitted by
8 Delegate Macdonald. Is there a second.

9 (The motion was duly seconded)

10 THE PRESIDENT: The amendment having been seconded,
11 the Chair recognizes Delegate Macdonald.

12 DELEGATE MACDONALD: Mr. President, fellow
13 delegates, this amendment would change the word "shall"
14 on line 20, page 2, to "may".

15 I think that we want to make this permissive and
16 not mandatory. The committee's report -- I am talking now
17 about the report of the Committee on Suffrage and Elections --
18 which accompanied its recommendation on first reading, states
19 that the purpose of this section was to give the
20 General Assembly the authority to provide a lesser
21 residence requirement, and to carry out that purpose of course