

1 And in 1.13 you will find two changes. The
2 first of the changes is one involving the words "prescribed"
3 and "provide" and this is an explanation which I hope will
4 be clear by the time I get through with it.

5 In my enthusiasm the other day to follow the
6 suggestions of Delegate Marvin Smith, we changed all the
7 "provide" to "prescribed" and everything began to look
8 good until we began to read some of these and until the
9 Convention itself in handling the section on education and
10 in handling also, as I remember it, the section on
11 conflict of interest. So obviously you could not always
12 use the word "prescribe" where "provide" had previously been.
13 There are circumstances where one provides a general power,
14 but someone else carries it out. Often the test is
15 whether it ought to be followed by the words "provide
16 for" or the words "provide that". The test is not one that
17 is one hundred per cent clear in every instance, but
18 it is clear enough that on some occasions the Committee
19 on Style, Drafting, and Arrangement did revert to the word
20 "provide" or we were fortunate in one or two instances the
21 Convention missed a "provide" or "prescribe" error the