

1 year of their term. Section 4.09 would then require the
2 election of a new governor at the bi-election for a two-
3 year term. The person elected governor in that election
4 could still seek re-election for two more consecutive four
5 year terms.

6 Section 4.03. Lieutenant Governor:

7 This section creates the office of lieutenant
8 governor. The lieutenant governor will serve as a popu-
9 larly elected "assistant governor," performing those func-
10 tions which the governor may delegate to him and which may
11 be prescribed by law. It is the intent of the committee
12 that the governor have unfettered discretion in delegating
13 his functions to the lieutenant governor.

14 Hence, for example, the governor could, if he
15 chooses, delegate to the lieutenant governor power to veto
16 bills, to call out the militia, or to fire department heads.
17 This decision is left to the governor.

18 The committee considered whether the lieutenant
19 governor should be made ex officio president of the Senate.
20 It was decided that the Constitution should not so provide.
21 It is the feeling of the committee that the proper role