

1 It seems what you have done is, in your amendment,
2 you have picked out one specific item that you think satisfies
3 your conscience. It seems to me if we go that way, we start
4 to legislate, because it seems to me there are other duties
5 and if you start to delineate these duties, there are others
6 perhaps the Governor should not be able to give to the
7 Lieutenant Governor and, as a matter of principle, in theory,
8 you either leave it entirely up to the Governor or go through
9 the whole exercise of determining what authority should be
10 delegated. I am going to ask the Chairman of the Committee
11 if he will yield for a question, too, because I hope maybe
12 we might be able to work this out. I wonder if you would
13 agree that a possible substitute for your amendment, and I
14 haven't drawn it, would be to, in effect, authorize the
15 legislature to delineate those specific powers which cannot
16 be delegated by the Governor to the Lieutenant Governor, and
17 that could be done by using the expression at the appropriate
18 place, unless prohibited by law.

19 Would you have any objection to that approach, if
20 the Chairman of the Committee did not object?

21 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Chabot.