

1 or against it, all I am saying is that the way these
2 sections are drafted it would give the Governor the right
3 to do this. As I understand it was interpreted by Delegate
4 Morgan, he could do it by procedures which would not be law
5 but which would have the effect of law. The Governor would
6 have the right to change the functions, powers and duties
7 of the department.

8 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate James.

9 DELEGATE JAMES: 4.18 recognizes the legislature
10 retains the power to control the programs of the State; now
11 under 4.19 the administration of these programs could be
12 handled by the reorganization process. At least, that is
13 the intention of the Committee and when you repeat these
14 words, you don't mean that the programs will be changed but
15 the administration of the program can be changed under the
16 reorganization power.

17 THE CHAIRMAN: The words used are in line 32, in
18 which it says "assignment of functions", I take it?

19 DELEGATE JAMES: Yes.

20 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Hanson.

21 DELEGATE HANSON: Mr. Chairman, I am not
exactly sure where we are in all of this, but I would