

1 THE CHAIRMAN: Pages are distributing the
2 Amendment U. Please mark it 13. The Clerk will read
3 the amendment.

4 MR. QUILLEN: Amendment Number 13 to Committee
5 Recommendation LB-2 by Delegate Gallagher.

6 On page 1 Section 3.02 Legislative Districts
7 in line 18 strike out the word "Natural" and insert in
8 lieu thereof the words "Due regard shall be given to
9 natural"; and in line 19 place a period after the word
10 "subdivisions" and strike out all of line 20.

11 THE CHAIRMAN: The amendment is offered by
12 Delegate Gallagher. Is there a second?

13 (The amendment was seconded.)

14 THE CHAIRMAN: The Chair recognizes Delegate
15 Gallagher to speak to the amendment.

16 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: Mr. Chairman, and ladies
17 and gentlemen of the House, you will remember that the
18 reason I advanced to you as to why the committee on the
19 legislative branch departed from the Constitutional
20 Commission's recommendation that the districts should be
21 as equal as practicable was that we were afraid that there