

1 THE CHAIRMAN: The Committee will please come
2 to order. The Clerk will ring the quorum bell.

3 Delegates will please take your seats, the
4 Committee will please come to order.

5 Delegate Gallagher.

6 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: Mr. Chairman and ladies
7 and gentlemen: Before the waters of the Chesapeake arise
8 and inundate me completely, I should like permission of the
9 Chair and of the Committee of the Whole to withdraw this
10 amendment and to take it to the Committee on the Legislative
11 Branch with an opportunity to submit it later as LB-3.

12 THE CHAIRMAN: You don't need the consent of
13 the Committee of the Whole. The amendment may be withdrawn
14 by the sponsors. If you are speaking for the sponsors, you
15 may withdraw the amendment.

16 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: I am, sir, for all of us
17 whoever we may be.

18 THE CHAIRMAN: Amendment No. 23 is withdrawn.

19 Delegate Willoner: You were next on the Chair's
20 list of persons to be called. (Laughter) Thank you, sir.
21 Do you still desire the floor?