

1 "The General Assembly shall have power to en-
2 force this section by appropriate legislation."

3 THE CHAIRMAN: The amendment is offered by Dele-
4 gate Taylor.

5 Is there a second?

6 (Whereupon, the amendment was seconded.)

7 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Beatrice Miller seconds
8 the motion.

9 The Chair recognizes Lloyd Taylor to speak to the
10 amendment.

11 DELEGATE L. TAYLOR: Mr. Chairman, this was
12 taken from the United States Constitution. The fifth sec-
13 tion of the United States Constitution reads:

14 "The Congress shall compile appropriate legis-
15 lation to enforce the provisions of this article."

16 I feel this is an affirmative statement empowering
17 the General Assembly to enforce the provisions of this
18 section which we have adopted.

19 I feel that so many times we have lack of laws,
20 and the General Assembly and the people of Maryland need
21 encouragement that we shall receive affirmative action.