

1 would permit the state of Maryland to print its own money
2 to pay for these damages, because that is how serious
3 this problem can be.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Any questions of the sponsor of
5 the amendment?

6 The Chair hears none.

7 Delegate Johnson.

8 DELEGATE JOHNSON: Mr. Chairman, I have a
9 question for clarification, because of the amendment, but
10 I think the question would best be directed to Delegate
11 Kiefer.

12 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Kiefer, would you take
13 the floor to reply with respect to the amendment?

14 DELEGATE KIEFER: Yes, sir.

15 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Johnson.

16 DELEGATE JOHNSON: Mr. Chairman and ladies
17 and gentlemen of the Committee, I rise to request that
18 you reject this amendment. I am sorry that Delegate
19 Gilchrist misunderstood what I said on last Friday
20 evening, in describing what this does. Either he didn't
21 hear me or maybe he didn't believe me.