

1 for the amendment?

2 DELEGATE CLAGETT: Mr. Chairman, I wish to
3 propose an amendment. I suggested to Delegate Kiefer that
4 we simply add the words "by general law" at the end of the
5 sentence. I understand that that has not been accepted.
6 Therefore, feeling that it is quite important, I would move
7 the amendment to include those words "by public general
8 law."

9 DELEGATE CLARK: Delegate Kiefer has said he
10 would prefer not to accept that amendment and we have to
11 have unanimous consent, otherwise it would have to be
12 printed or presented.

13 DELEGATE CLAGETT: Therefore I propose to
14 print such an amendment and have it before this assembly.
15 It is a matter of great importance in order to preserve
16 a degree of uniformity throughout the state and to avoid
17 getting the General Assembly squarely back into the
18 area of local legislation and this body should appreciate
19 that fact and in order to avoid that confusion, I feel
20 that the amendment is essential.

21 DELEGATE CLARK: Delegate Kiefer.