

1 shall have economic security and the opportunity for
2 employment, in order that they may live in decency, dignity,
3 and health. The General Assembly shall continue to
4 implement this policy."

5 THE CHAIRMAN: The amendment is offered by
6 Delegate Kiefer. Is there a second?

7 DELEGATE BENNETT: Second.

8 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Bennett seconds the
9 amendment.

10 Delegate Kiefer, do you desire to speak to the
11 amendment?

12 DELEGATE KIEFER: Mr. Chairman, just briefly
13 to say this: First, the Committee considered this matter
14 at some length and we decided that this would be
15 included as a provision in Recommendation No. 2 which is
16 not a section that will be necessarily in the Bill of
17 Rights. In other words, we thought of this as part of
18 the general concept of policies of government and would
19 be in the general provisions.

20 Now, this is not a new concept. I call your
21 attention to Article 43 of the Declaration of Rights as