

DELEGATE MAURER: Some of them are related but the vote can be taken separately. I can describe them.

THE CHAIRMAN: How many are there? Can you give me the letters?

DELEGATE MAURER: Yes. Z, AB, AC, AD, AE and I can hold Y until we get to the other sections.

THE CHAIRMAN: In which order?

DELEGATE MAURER: The order in which I have read them, sir. Z would be the first one.

THE CHAIRMAN: The second one?

DELEGATE MAURER: The second one would be AB.

THE CHAIRMAN: The third?

DELEGATE MAURER: AC.

THE CHAIRMAN: And the fourth.

DELEGATE MAURER: AD and AE.

THE CHAIRMAN: The order as I understand it is Z, AB, then AC, then AD and then AE?

DELEGATE MAURER: Right. Yes, sir.

THE CHAIRMAN: Will the pages please distribute Amendments Z, AB, AC, AD and AE.

You will please mark the Amendment Z as Amendment 16; AB as 17; AC as 18; AD as 19, and AE as 20.

Each of these amendments has been offered by Delegate Maurer.

Is there a second?

All the amendments are seconded.

The Chair recognizes Delegate Maurer to speak to Amendment No. 16.

Just a second, the Clerk will read Amendment No. 16.

READING CLERK: Amendment No. 16 to Committee Recommendation EB-1 by Delegate Maurer: On pages 6 and 7 Section . Initial Organization strike out all of the Temporary Provision starting on page 6 line 47 and extending through page 7 line 14.

THE CHAIRMAN: The Clerk will read each of the other amendments, 17, 18, 19 and 20.

READING CLERK: Amendment No. 17 to Committee Recommendation EB-1 by

Delegate Maurer: On page 7 Section 4.20 Heads of Principal Departments of the Executive Branch in line 50 strike out the word "The" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Except for the state public school system and institutions of higher education, the"; and on page 8, in lines 3 and 4, strike out the words "unless otherwise provided by law".

READING CLERK: Amendment No. 18 to Committee Recommendation EB-1 by Delegate Maurer: On page 8, Section 4.20 Heads of Principal Departments of the Executive Branch in lines 1 and 2, strike out the words "the chief legal officer and".

READING CLERK: Amendment No. 19 to Committee Recommendation EB-1 by Delegate Maurer: On page 8, Section 4.21 Appointment of Heads of Principal Departments and Chief Administrative Officers in lines 10 and 11, strike out the words "and Chief Administrative Officers"; and on page 8, in lines 22 through 29, inclusive, strike out the sentence beginning with the word "Acting" in line 22 and ending with the word "system" in line 29.

READING CLERK: Amendment No. 20 to Committee Recommendation EB-1 by Delegate Maurer: On pages 8 and 9, Section 4.22 Terms of Office strike out the last sentence in the section which begins on page 8, line 44 and extends through page 9, line 3.

THE CHAIRMAN: The Chair recognizes Delegate Maurer to speak to Amendment No. 16.

DELEGATE MAURER: Thank you and I thank Delegate Boyce for graciously withdrawing his amendment temporarily so that I can present these to you and also for the fact that he has answered many of the questions that may have been directed to me.

The effect of Amendment No. 16 is to provide coextensive powers for the legislature and the government to initiate reorganization plans from the time of the adoption of this constitution.

I should explain to you that this is a change of view on my part. In the Committee I accepted the views of those who felt the legislature ought to have the first opportunity for two years to establish the 20 principal departments which are spoken of in the previous part of 4 AT. However, in this chamber, when we were discussing the rulemaking power of the Court of Appeals, we approved concurrent powers for the Court and the legislature. In fact, there