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2 GOVERNOR TAWES: There are no limitations.  
3 It is the Governor's sole responsibility and there are no  
4 limitations at all.

5 The departments are requested to submit the  
6 requests for funds to operate the department for the en-  
7 suing fiscal year, and the Governor has the right to review  
8 those requests and adjust them accordingly.

9 JUDGE ADKINS: Does anybody have any questions  
10 on that subject, that's one that we discussed.

11 MR. BOND: Governor, one thing that has been  
12 concerning us, do you feel that the present way of prepar-  
13 ing the budget and having the budget of the State the  
14 Governor's budget, the best way for fiscal responsibility?  
15 I think the answer is obvious, but this is something we  
16 are concerned with.

17 GOVERNOR TAWES: Yes, I think the present bud-  
18 get is exactly the way the spending program of the State  
19 should be handled. I think it is the Governor's respon-  
20 sibility for the fiscal integrity, the fiscal stability  
21 of the State, and if he doesn't have the control over the