

1 There would be an examination for the propriety of
2 expenditures and the honesty of transactions. They all
3 would be subject to the beneficial effects of public
4 scrutiny. I have the highest regard for public administra-
5 tors as a group. After all, I am one of them. But we have
6 to be constantly alert to insure the integrity of financial
7 management, and such a provision, I think, would help by
8 providing a comprehensive system.

9 I want to thank you for the opportunity to appear
10 here today and discuss these matters. I am primarily
11 concerned that we have the best possible government and
12 the most efficient operation of our government consistent
13 with the adequate representation of our citizens. If there
14 are any questions, I will be glad to clarify any of these
15 points.

16 THE CHAIRMAN: All right, gentlemen.

17 MR. BROOKS: One question, Mr. Chairman.
18 Concerning one of your latter proposals, about all of the
19 monies appropriated and all revenues going into a central
20 fund; does this contemplate, or what are your thoughts
21 concerning contingency funds, where the Governor or