

1 question they are here when they seek to exercise their  
2 rights.

3 THE CHAIRMAN: Dr. Michener?

4 DR. MICHENER: The comparable language in the  
5 First Amendment has not hamstrung Congress in regulating  
6 foreign agents.

7 MR. SCANLAN: The matter is before the public  
8 in a very dramatic form where the legislation proposed  
9 by the House UnAmerican Activities Committee where to do  
10 certain things for the Viet Cong would be a violation  
11 of the First Amendment.

12 As far as the Federal Government is concerned,  
13 I suppose you could have the same thing in a State level,  
14 but I think that last phrase, allowing for the improve-  
15 ment of grammar, each person remaining responsible for  
16 abuse of such rights would give the Legislature of the  
17 State of Maryland the power to make such laws, such acts,  
18 I would rest with what the Committee has proposed.

19 THE CHAIRMAN: Any further discussion? Ready  
20 for the question? The question arises on the motion to  
21 delete the second sentence of Section 2 and substitute