

1 whereas a resolution may be something that would not go
2 anywhere, and if you are looking through a record and
3 want to know what the law of the land is, you look at
4 bills, acts of the General Assembly, and not at resolu-
5 tions.

6 THE CHAIRMAN: Any further comments or sug-
7 gestions? If not, that concludes the consideration of
8 the Fifth Report.

9 MR. BOND: I have one comment on one recommendation.

10 THE CHAIRMAN: Go ahead.

11 MR. BOND: The Committee recommended that
12 Section 31 be eliminated, that is, no law passed by
13 General Assembly shall take effect until the first day
14 of June, next after the Session, at which it may be
15 passed, unless it be otherwise expressly declared therein.

16 Under the Report as submitted, this means
17 every bill that is passed by the Legislature must provide
18 for effective date and I submit that this is a cumber-
19 some procedure and maybe some of the people in the Legis-
20 lature might speak to this, but I would think Section 31
21 that should be retained.