

1 is a better one to use in the extraordinary action that
2 is taken, is one that usually requires a number signific-
3 antly.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Let me suggest that for purposes
5 of discussion we consider first, not the question of
6 uniformity, but the question of whether a two-thirds
7 rather than a three-fifths vote should be required to
8 override the Governor's veto to propose a constitutional
9 amendment or to pass what we would call an emergency act,
10 a bill to take effect notwithstanding a referendum.
11 What is concerning me is the fact that I think we all
12 know that if there is any real fight on, it is very difficult
13 to get a three-fifths vote, and it may be so difficult as
14 to be impossible to get a two-thirds vote.

15 I simply want to have the matter fully dis-
16 cussed by the Commission.

17 DR. BARD: May I comment just briefly further.
18 It is our belief that as the numbers rise as far as the
19 total numbers in the State Legislature, that is as we
20 have seen ^{to} arise from 29/43 in the Senate and rise from
21 123 to 142 in the House, and perhaps even a further rise,