

1 anybody else who wants. It would be by statute, wouldn't  
2 it? That is our feeling.

3 MR. DELLA: There would be a open election for  
4 that particular seat.

5 MR. HOFF: Is the person selected by his party  
6 to run for that seat?

7 THE CHAIRMAN: Apparently under the same  
8 machinery as any other election.

9 Mr. Mindel?

10 MR. MINDEL: I understand the primary occurs  
11 before the general, anybody could file and run against  
12 this candidate appointed by the Governor. Maybe this man  
13 might not want to run himself. The judges now can file  
14 in the primary elections, can file on both tickets, but  
15 it seems to me this would be a wide open election pre-  
16 ceding the general. That is my understanding.

17 THE CHAIRMAN: Does that answer your question,  
18 Mr. Hoff?

19 MR. HOFF: It answers my question if the vacan-  
20 cy occurs before a primary, but if it occurs after a  
21 primary?