

1 of the Legislature, one, they recognized that there was
2 this flexibility, they thought this was a good recommenda-
3 tion. At one time when they first saw the recommendation
4 they were concerned about the fact that they might not
5 be able to adjust their own working schedule to any
6 term that did not have a target date. But once they
7 realized this did not necessarily mean that they would
8 keep on meeting throughout the entire year, they realized
9 that it could work within this frame of reference.

10 MR. MILES: I used to know the answer to the
11 question but forgot it. How many states have a
12 constitutional limit on the Legislature?

13 DR. BARD: Mr. Brooks might be able to
14 answer that.

15 MR. BROOKS: I can't say offhand.

16 DR. BARD: We can answer it the other way.
17 We know Nebraska doesn't have a target date, New York
18 doesn't, Massachusetts doesn't. A goodly number of
19 states move within this frame of reference. More of
20 them seem to be moving as the model has made the
21 recommendation.