

1 I still don't see why it is desirable to leave anything
2 to possible court interpretation, because in my experience
3 unfortunately, courts sometimes change their views. I
4 would like to offer as an amendment, and this does very
5 little change to the language; I would offer that the
6 General Assembly shall have the power to incur indebted-
7 ness only for any public purpose and in such manner, et
8 cetera.

9 That would at least get us on record on this
10 point, and I can't conceive that the financial bond
11 people would feel that we had greatly changed this. It
12 is still an affirmative statement. I agree with Mr. Case
13 it is desirable to have as much in the affirmative as
14 we can.

15 THE CHAIRMAN: Do you accept the amendment,
16 Mr. Sykes?

17 MR. CASE: He withdrew it.

18 MR. SYKES: I withdrew the motion.

19 THE CHAIRMAN: Has the secondary consented?

20 MR. MILLER: I was the secondary. I thought
21 he withdrew it.