

1 THE CHAIRMAN: Now, let's proceed to a con-
2 sideration of the Report of the Committee on Judiciary
3 Department. I think we are down to Section 6. I have
4 suggested to Mr. Martineau that he read the Section and
5 not comment on it. If there are questions, he will then
6 comment.

7 MR. MARTINEAU: Beginning on Page 25 of our
8 Fourth Report, Section 6, Administration.

9 The chief justice of the Supreme Court shall
10 be the administrative head of the judicial system. He
11 shall have the power to assign any judge to sit tem-
12 porarily in any court.

13 The chief justice of the Supreme Court shall
14 designate one Appellate Court judge, one Superior Court
15 judge and one District Court judge as chief judges of
16 their respective courts. Each shall serve as chief judge
17 at the pleasure of the chief justice.

18 The chief judge of the Superior Court shall
19 assist the chief justice in the administration of the
20 judicial system and shall perform such duties in connection
21 therewith as are assigned him by the chief justice. The