

1 will be to strike the word, fourteen, in the third line
2 of Section 10 and submit the word, ten, please signify
3 by a show of hands. Contrary? The motion is carried,
4 15 to 8. Any further question as to Section 10?

5 MR. DELLA: Mr. Chairman, I would like to raise
6 the point again I raised before, that again I respect
7 the judgment of the attorneys who make the appointments
8 and nominees for judgeships, but when it comes up, I
9 think the people should have the right to run for election.

10 THE CHAIRMAN: Just a second. You are moving
11 that this be amended to provide for competitive election,
12 I take it?

13 MR. DELLA: Yes.

14 THE CHAIRMAN: There is a second.

15 JUDGE ADKINS: I second the motion.

16 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Della, go ahead.

17 MR. DELLA: As I pointed out, there was a bill
18 in the Legislature this past session pertaining to this
19 same type of provision, and I am not sure, I don't think
20 it even got out of committee, but I know it was defeated,
21 and I think the opinions of the people seem to feel that