

1 reference to Article 12, Intergovernmental Cooperation, we  
2 do go beyond the actual boundaries of the local subdivisions  
3 and we do provide for State and other governments.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Yes, I understand that, but it's  
5 broad enough to include everything that is in (d), with  
6 the exception of the contract or agreement notion, perhaps.

7 MR. CLAGETT: I cannot argue beyond the state-  
8 ment. I substantially agree.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: It seems to me, to save time, we  
10 should consider (d) as eliminated and any change you want  
11 to make that covers the contract idea, you can pick up in  
12 12.01. Mr. Sykes?

13 MR. SYKES: On that point, can I ask whether  
14 any consideration was given to the rights, if any, of the  
15 intergovernmental authorities to cooperate and agree with  
16 other authorities and governments --

17 THE CHAIRMAN: Of other states?

18 MR. SYKES: States and of other political sub-  
19 divisions in Maryland.

20 MRS. FREEDLANDER: Yes, in 12.01, or any other  
21 governments.