

1 those general remarks, I will now, if you will turn to Page
2 9 of the Report, I think, Mr. Chairman, probably it would
3 be adequate procedure if I read and then comment very
4 briefly on these particular Sections, and if any of you
5 have and wish to follow the provisions of the existing
6 Budget Amendment, it is to be found in Article III,
7 Section 52, Subsections 1 to 15. They are on Pages 30 to
8 34 in your red books.

9 One other thing that I might say before getting
10 into the general discussion of these particular provisions
11 and that is that you must keep in mind the two words of
12 art, which are to be found throughout these amendments.
13 One is the word, budget. The budget is the proposal
14 compiled by the Governor's Office, through the Budget
15 Bureau of the various programs and amounts which are to
16 be spent for those particular programs. It is a big
17 book, about that thick, containing all of the various
18 items, containing a lot of information which is not par-
19 ticularly applicable to payouts, such as balance sheets,
20 what business would call P and L statements, where the
21 State stands as a matter of fiscal stance. That is the