

1 and it is not intended to encompass use tolls, such as  
2 employed for toll bridges, highways or capital expendi-  
3 tures when outside the Treasury.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Is there a second?

5 MR. CLAGETT: I will second it.

6 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Case, can you indicate what  
7 the position of the Committee is on this question?

8 MR. CASE: Well, the position of the Committee  
9 on this question is one of not so much of protestation  
10 as prostration. We are pretty well on our backs and up  
11 against a deadline. Let me first tell you what Phil is  
12 talking about, or at least try to explain it, and then  
13 suggest to you what I have said to him and also what  
14 is before the Committee.

15 In a number of State Constitutions, there are  
16 provisions which say, in effect, that the General Assem-  
17 bly, or the legislative body, cannot dedicate funds to  
18 any given purpose, and I think by and large that this is  
19 a good provision, because it prevents the rigid structuring  
20 of government through various revenue sources.

21 Now, we do have in this State an example of