

1 me the section could be made very explicit and very
2 simple.

3 JUDGE ADKINS: Wouldn't you then eliminate
4 these peripheral questions such as Bill Sayre has been
5 raising as to whether other types of contact with the
6 state would serve to disqualify?

7 MR. SCANLAN: I don't see how you would
8 eliminate those. The problem there comes in that a
9 fellow decides whether he wants to run, the question is
10 is the office he now holds an office of public trust?
11 I don't think we can eliminate that problem in
12 particular cases no matter how we state these qualifica-
13 tions.

14 JUDGE ADKINS: Two questions whether that
15 plus this, whether this office is an office of public
16 trust.

17 MR. SCANLAN: This has been held by the
18 Attorney General to be an office of public trust. There
19 is an earlier opinion on the prohibition convention.

20 MRS. FREEDLANDER: It is probably oversight
21 you did not put a citizen of Maryland in there.