

1 MR. SCANLAN: I believe, and I don't vouch  
2 for the accuracy of the statement if it is allocated among  
3 the subdivisions, it is allocated on the basis of the  
4 votes. But in any event, it is clear in our minds, the  
5 expense of this election, it is a State matter, one of  
6 the most fundamental State matters we have had in genera-  
7 tions, and the costs should be borne by the taxpayers of  
8 the State as a whole and not saddled on the particular  
9 subdivisions. We would recommend that we think it  
10 appropriate to draft a bill to appropriate the monies for  
11 the conduct of the election. I think we have to leave the  
12 figure blank.

13 I didn't make any provision for that. More  
14 specific estimates can come in by the time the Legislature  
15 convenes.

16 THE CHAIRMAN: Would you make a motion?

17 MR. SCANLAN: I move this Commission send on to  
18 the Legislature at least in draft form a paper that would  
19 assess or provide for the costs of the special election  
20 as recommended in our Report, and that this be a State  
21 expense.