

1 exactly what function it has. I would assume it would
2 be a regulatory agency. Now that being the case under
3 Section (c), the members of that body would be appointed
4 as prescribed by law so that they could be appointed
5 for a term irrespective.

6 MR. MARTINEAU: Take an example of something
7 purely within the executive. Maybe the State Water
8 Resources Commission. I can't see any reason why the
9 executive secretary of that should be appointed by the
10 Governor.

11 THE CHAIRMAN: This is just the question
12 perused now.

13 JUDGE ADKINS: Here again I would say that
14 I can't be sure but, I would guess that the head of the
15 Water Resources Board would not constitute a principal
16 department and if it were not a principal, I would
17 imagine, for example, it would be ground under some
18 other department. If it were not a principal department
19 the Governor would not have this power. So it would
20 not reach that far down in the executive hierarchy.

21 THE CHAIRMAN: Dr. Bard.