

1 requested. As we pointed out several times, there are a
2 lot of witnesses that don't want to go and talk about their
3 friends. If they just say, Well, he's volunteered, but a
4 subpoena would get nine out of ten people in there. But
5 it's the prosecution for contempt. On the Federal level,
6 there isn't any argument about a subpoena, that before a
7 person can be prosecuted, it requires a majority vote of
8 the House or Senate, as the case may be, and it seems to
9 me that's what we're driving at.

10 We're not trying to hamper them. We want to
11 protect people and, if they think they have a good reason,
12 they refuse and then it requires a vote of the body to
13 institute punishment or a contempt decision.

14 THE CHAIRMAN: Judge Adkins, do you want to
15 make any change in your language?

16 JUDGE ADKINS: Well, I recognize the problem, but
17 being the author of only the concluding paragraph, I'm a
18 little at a loss to know what to do about it. I would
19 suggest you refer that to the Committee adopting it.

20 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Hoff?

21 MR. HOFF: I would think relating this only to