

1 referendum, it is inconsistent not to extend the refer-
2 endum to the area under consideration. I think the
3 matter is completely different. If you are going to talk
4 about taking away the referendum completely and only
5 leaving in the first paragraph of (b) --

6 MR. SYKES: Mr. Chairman --

7 THE CHAIRMAN: In order to avoid any possible
8 conflict, let's say this. As I understand Mr. Case's
9 motion, it is to amend the second paragraph of Paragraph
10 (b) so as to provide that there must be consent by
11 referendum of a majority of the voters in the area to
12 be transferred from the County as well as in the majority
13 of the voters in the County which the area is being
14 transferred. If the motion passes, then I would rule
15 that this paragraph is still before the Commission in its
16 amended form for whatever action the Commission may
17 want to take. Is that clear to everybody?

18 Mr. Bond?

19 MR. BOND: I would like to comment on this
20 motion. I agree with Mr. Sykes. We have to have the tools
21 to solve the problems which are coming, but no one has said