

1 for sanitation and with eight counties including the  
2 two for pollution. I agree that it would make no  
3 sense to say that the Legislature couldn't do that.  
4 But then the question is now what is going to be the  
5 nature of the regional government that is to be set  
6 up. Once you set up a regional government, are you  
7 going to permit authorities to operate within the region  
8 so you are going to have a so-called regional government  
9 given transportation authority, for example, and then  
10 in the same region, are you also going to have the  
11 Legislature appoint an authority relating to another  
12 aspect of government, sewage in two counties and parks  
13 and recreation in three counties, all of which are  
14 governed, supposedly, by a regional government.

15 If you don't, the point of this motion is  
16 that if you don't make some provision defining the  
17 relationship between regional government and authorities,  
18 you are going to make, create the possibility that  
19 regional government will actually be a misnomer. I  
20 don't think it is the same question.

21 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Sykes, let me point out