

1 I think everything else would fall into  
2 line.

3 MR. SCANLAN: I think the 14th amendment  
4 and the equal protection clause might come into play  
5 here, if it is truly a government, then it must be  
6 representative in the constitutional sense and I think  
7 any governmental agency exercising the power of taxation  
8 would be classified by the court as a government in the  
9 true sense to which the 14th amendment would be applicable  
10 in requiring one man and one vote.

11 MR. BROOKS: Original government without  
12 saying it is to be representative is not inherently  
13 required to be representative. The regional governments  
14 being discussed in Detroit, the one that has been  
15 established in Toronto are not in fact representative  
16 governments and are called regional governments. They  
17 are not even based on a proportional representation but  
18 they are made up by having a delegate or two from the  
19 various proponent governments sitting together on this  
20 council which has legislative and executive responsibilities

21 It is not an inherent requirement they be