

1 ought to in protecting our work say that the action is
2 taken by the electorate insofar as the convention is
3 concerned should not be considered important.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: That is what troubles me, the
5 idea that that is going to make a lot of people feel
6 their vote on this is wholly wasted and unnecessary.
7 People don't want to waste a vote and worry a brain
8 with this.

9 DR. JENKINS: I move that the Commission not
10 take any position on the amendments to be voted on at
11 the November 8 election.

12 MR. SYKES: Second it.

13 THE CHAIRMAN: Any further discussion?

14 DR. BARD: I would like to have us issue
15 a statement along the lines of making it clear that we
16 believe it is significant to have the voice of the
17 public on this occasion as on other occasions without
18 in any sense elaborating as to the items on the ballot
19 and then indicate that our approach has been unitary
20 in its view and that we find the voice of the public valuable
21 we believe, in connection with the convention, just that