

1 and immediate problem, I feel that it would be a very
2 unwise courseto push this thing on-beyond what we have done
3 here and what would be taken care of adequately by the
4 addendum. Basically the argument is that the General
5 Assembly should have ultimate authority to start this
6 thing, then the structure, form, development of it,
7 taken care of by the alternative approaches.

8 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Scanlan.

9 MR. SCANLAN: That was my question. I
10 remember in the debate on this issue a number of persons,
11 including the Chairman, made the point, validity of
12 which I now concede, it would be unrealistic to conceive
13 of the General Assembly creating regions without taking
14 the next step and creating the representative government
15 for that region.

16 My question is this. Is it clear or unclear
17 whether the General Assembly, having created regions or
18 region and having established a representative government
19 for that region or regions, could the people within the
20 region alter that form of government under Section 11.02
21 (a) or must they take and abide by the form of government