

1 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Sayre?

2 MR. SAYRE: My question, in regard to 11.03(b),
3 relates to Mrs. Bothe's previous amendment. Is it not
4 conceivable that a regional government could consist of
5 two counties? That's my first question.

6 THE CHAIRMAN: It could be, yes, certainly.

7 MR. SAYRE: And I could see this is quite
8 feasible in at least one area.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: That's right.

10 MR. SAYRE: Therefore, the General Assembly
11 could enact, for that reason, apart from this provision
12 in (b); is that correct?

13 THE CHAIRMAN: What do you mean when you say
14 could enact? You mean local laws?

15 MR. SAYRE: Well, regional laws. Something
16 that would be delegating powers to that body or with-
17 drawing.

18 THE CHAIRMAN: It could grant and withdraw
19 powers, but it wouldn't have the power of local legisla-
20 tion for that region, any more than it would have for the
21 county.