

1 DR. BARD: No, not after an election.

2 JUDGE ADKINS: You state here the General Assembly  
3 shall be a continuous body. Does that mean that under  
4 this circumstance rules will be continuing, if your theory  
5 about bills were to be adopted, bills introduced at the  
6 Legislature would still be available to the next Legis-  
7 lature?

8 DR. WINSLOW: Not the next elective Legislature.

9 JUDGE ADKINS: Why do you say that in view of  
10 this language?

11 DR. BARD: We have said on a number of occa-  
12 sions that the phrase, continuous body, is not one that  
13 we like. If you can find a better one, this is all to  
14 the good.

15 JUDGE ADKINS: I appreciate that. Where in  
16 this section does this provide it is continuous only  
17 during the period of the term for which they are elected?

18 DR. BARD: And terminating as provided by law.  
19 We think that does it. If that doesn't, we could change  
20 it accordingly.

21 JUDGE ADKINS: That answers my question, but