

1 the Legislature which would redistrict Congressional
2 districts. These words, I suppose, have become a term
3 of art. As it stands now, a plan to reapportion the
4 legislative seats in the General Assembly could not
5 be petitioned to referendum but it could be argued that
6 because of the phrase used, reapportioning, a statute
7 which redistricted the Congressional districts could be
8 subject to referendum. I gather from one of your
9 previous remarks that was not your intention.

10 PROFESSOR ASPER: We understood that the
11 thing that was to be withdrawn -- perhaps we understood
12 it too narrowly -- was state reapportionment.

13 MR. SCANLAN: I would now move that the
14 following language be inserted in Line 2 following the
15 comma after state: Including the Congressional districts
16 thereof comma. It would make it perfectly clear that
17 neither reapportionment of the legislative seats nor
18 Congressional seats could be subject to referendum.
19 That is the intention of my proposed amendment.

20 THE CHAIRMAN: Before we get on that exact
21 language, I am bothered by the language, the phrase