

1 representative governments for the regions may be established,
2 or thereafter altered or terminated, and then the rest of
3 the sentence would remain the same.

4 I have no particular brief for the language.
5 The purpose of the language is to make it clear that the
6 local legislative bodies or the registered voters of those
7 bodies could alter or amend the form of representative
8 government and make it further clear that a regional rep-
9 resentative government could be terminated not only by the
10 General Assembly, but by the concurrent action of the
11 legislative bodies involved in the regional representative
12 government or by the voters.

13 I think this would provide a more flexible and
14 more democratic way of either getting rid of something that
15 proves to be useless or a monster or improving something
16 that the Legislature gave the area in the first instance.
17 Is there a second?

18 MR. SAYRE: Seconded.

19 MR. CLAGETT: Mr. Chairman, I point out to you
20 that actually under Section 11.01(b), and you can pick that
21 up quickest by just looking at the first page, the General