

1 that have the Comptroller elected by the people. Baltimore
2 City does elect the Comptroller; and next I would like to
3 point to the fact that in a large number of states, and
4 I'm not sure how many, the key point is that at least one
5 other state-wide officer is elected, one other than the
6 Governor.

7 Now, the way we have arranged the Governor and
8 a Lieutenant Governor, this really represents one individual
9 in a way, at least one political party.

10 The next point that I would like to make is that
11 on two recent occasions the Governor represented the so-
12 called minority party. With the Comptroller representing
13 the majority party, the possibility of this taking place,
14 there is a bridge to the Legislature that would not other-
15 wise be available and I think that is a point which might
16 be given some emphasis, and I do believe that when the
17 Governor represents the minority party it occurs to me
18 that in these bodies such as the Board of Revenue Estimates,
19 et cetera, a representation from the so-called majority
20 party as applied to the Legislature, I know we used the
21 word majority party in terms of the Governor, having such