

1 "WHEREAS the Attorney General of Maryland has
2 ruled that Section 13 of the Enabling Act, under which
3 this Convention was convened, requires only that each
4 "article or division" of a proposed Constitution be
5 approved by the affirmative vote of a majority of the
6 Delegates to the Convention, be it

7 "RESOLVED BY THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF
8 MARYLAND: That Rule 59 of the Standing Rules is hereby
9 amended by striking out "section" wherever the same appears,
10 and inserting in lieu thereof in each instance "or", so
11 that the rule as amended shall read as follows:

12 "Rule 59. Majority Vote on Proposals.

13 On the final passage of every proposal or article and of
14 any complete revision of or amendment to the Constitution,
15 the vote shall be taken by ayes and nays and entered on the
16 Journal and no proposal or article, or any such amendment
17 or complete revision, shall be declared finally passed unless
18 a majority of all the delegates to the Convention shall have
19 voted in favor of the passage of the same."

20 THE PRESIDENT: The Chair will not refer the
21 resolution to a Committee at this time. It intends to