

1 session there have been joint committees. Have you any
2 statistics on the increase in Maryland on joint committees?

3 DR. MICHENER: As I indicate in the letter, I
4 have not had the chance to do any work on developing
5 statistics on Maryland's experience. I think it should be
6 done, but I do not have it.

7 MRS. FREEDLANDER: Joint committees are on the
8 increase.

9 DR. WINSLOW: The use in Maryland is on individu-
10 al items and not generally in the system.

11 MR. ENEY: It is actually not a joint committee.
12 It is a joint meeting of the two committees.

13 MRS. FREEDLANDER: You do have joint committees
14 listed in the committee list in the legislature as standing
15 committees. We have some standing committees -- I can't
16 think of them right off -- but something on appropriations,
17 in which there is a joint committee. It is a standing
18 committee -- do you recall, Doctor?

19 THE CHAIRMAN: They would usually be getting
20 together for that purpose, but I doubt very much if they
21 have continuing meetings. I know one thing that is true,