

MEETING OF THE  
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA STATEHOOD  
CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

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Tuesday, May 11, 1982

6:43 p.m.

Ninth Floor Auditorium  
10th and E Streets, Northwest  
Washington, D. C.

P R O C E E D I N G S

(6:43 p.m.)

PRESIDENT CASSELL: I call the convention to order.  
A moment of meditation.

(A moment of meditation.)

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Mr. Secretary, please call the roll.

(Secretary Cooper called the roll as follows:)

Mr. Baldwin, here; Mr. Barnes, here; Mr. Blount, present; Mr. Bruning, here; Mr. Cassell, present; Mr. Clark, no response; Mr. Coates, present; Mr. Cooper, present --

MR. COOPER: Mr. President, they are making too much noise.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: The Secretary is having difficulty hearing the responses. Could we be a little quieter during the roll call? Thank you.

(Secretary Cooper continued the roll call as follows:)

Ms. Corn, here; Mr. Croft, no response; Ms. Eichhorn, here; Ms. Feeley, present; Ms. Freeman, here; Mr. Garner, here; Ms. Graham, here; Ms. Harris, here; Ms. Holmes, here; Mr. Jackson, present; Ms. Johnson, present; Ms. Jones, here; Mr. Jordan, here; Mr. Kameny, here; Ms. Lockridge, no response; Mr. Long, here; Mr. Love, here; Ms. Maguire, here;

Mr. Marcus, no response; Mr. Mason, no response; Ms. Mason, no response; Mr. B. Moore, present; Mr. J. Moore, no response; Ms. Nahikian, no response; Mr. Nixon, here; Mr. Oulahan, here; Ms. Paramore, here; Mr. Robinson, no response; Mr. Rothschild, here; Mr. Schrag, here; Ms. Shelton, no response; Ms. Simmons, no response; Ms. Street, here; Mr. Terrell, here; Mr. Thomas, no response; Ms. Warren, here.

MR. T. MOORE: You didn't call Talmadge Moore.

MR. COOPER: Delegate Talmadge Moore?

MR. T. MOORE: Here.

MR. COOPER: Mr. President, 33 delegates answering the roll.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: There being 33 delegates answering the roll, the convention is now in session.

MS. JOHNSON: Point of information.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Yes, point of information.

MS. JOHNSON: I would like to know if the court reporter starts when we start our roll call.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Yes, she does.

MS. JOHNSON: It would seem to me, just making a suggestion, and since you have told us in the past how much this costs the convention, we might start our recording after the roll call is completed and the Secretary account for the