

1 SECTION 2. Selection of officers. -- Upon organization of
2 said joint legislative commission, by majority vote, one (1) of
3 their members shall be chosen as chairman, another of their
4 membres shall be chosen vice-chairman and another of their mem-
5 bers shall be chosen as secretary.

6 SECTION 3. Purposes. -- It shall be the purpose of this
7 commission to study several areas including but not limited to:

8 ✓ A. Education of the driving public to the concept of bicy-
9 cles on the highway.

10 B. More effective road maintainence with bicycles in mind,
11 such as repair of potholes, modification of or marking of drain-
12 age grates.

13 C. Designation of bicycle routes on our present highways,
14 marked with signs and white lines.

15 ✓ D. Construction of accessible and secure bicycle parking
16 facilities at all public buildings with the state encouraging the
17 public sector, bus and train depots to provide such facilities.

18 ✓ E. Implementation of educational programs in bicycle safety
19 through the public school system, and preparation of a bicycle
20 safety fact sheet to be enclosed with driver's license and motor
21 vehicle registration mailings.

22 ✓ F. Reviewing the state motor vehicle code with reference to
23 bicycle awareness.

24 G. Designation and/or modification of public transportation
25 vehicles (trains, buses, airlines ferries, etc.) to accomodate
26 the transportation of bicycles.

27 ✓ H. Conversion of abandoned railroad and canal rights of way
28 into recreational trails.

29 I. Preparation of a national plan for bicycle hotel devel-
30 opment.

31 ✓ J. Promotion of bicycle riding as an alternate
32 energy-saving method of transportation and also as a major con-
33 cession to physical fitness.