

● (1810)

**Mr. Speaker:** I declare the motion lost.

[*Translation*]

**Mr. St-Julien:** Mr. Speaker, I shall abstain from voting on this motion. I am neither for nor against.

**Some Hon. Members:** Hear, hear!

[*English*]

**Mr. Benjamin:** Mr. Speaker, I rise on a point of order concerning the welfare and good order of the House in the conduct of a vote. With full respect for the competence and beautiful conduct of the Clerks at the Table, when the voting

*Supply*

has ended of those either opposed or in favour of a motion, could there be a reasonable 10-second pause before the votes on the other side of the question are called? The Hon. Government House Leader rose so fast today that I thought he was voting with us.

**Mr. Hnatyshyn:** I have been certified sane; I would never do that.

**Mr. Speaker:** Order, please. It being 6.12 p.m., this House stands adjourned until tomorrow at 11 a.m., pursuant to Standing Order 3(1).

The House adjourned at 6.12 p.m.

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