1. Petition of THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA.

Counsel for the Company stated that the late filing of the petition was occasioned by the fact that the form of the draft bill and the petition had to be considered and approved by the Board of Directors at a regular meeting on April 22, 1964.

Counsel requested that the Petition be received.

2. Petition of THE CASUALTY ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.

Counsel for the petitioner stated that this petition was filed late because of a misunderstanding between the petitioner and the solicitor concerned. He asked that the petition be received and that no charges be assessed.

3. Petition of THE DOMINION OF CANADA GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Counsel for the petitioner stated that the petition was filed late because of a misunderstanding between the petitioner and the solicitor concerned. He requested that the petition be received and that the consequent charges be waived.

4. Petition to incorporate MEOTA PIPE LINES LTD.

The Sponsor of the petition explained that the petitioners for the incorporation of this new company were not aware of the time limit for presenting petitions for Private Bills. He pointed out that the petitioners wished to proceed with the incorporation at this session of Parliament.

5. Petition to incorporate WORLD MORTGAGE CORPORATION.

Counsel stated that neither the petition nor the draft bill were in proper form for presentation within the time specified in Standing Order 93. He requested that the petition be received.

Having considered the petition for a Private Bill numbered above as 1, your Committee recommends that Standing Order 93 be suspended and that this petition be received. The consequent charges as provided by Standing Order 94(3)(a) and (c) will amount to \$300.00.

With respect to the petitions numbered above as 2 to 5 inclusive, your Committee recommends that Standing Orders 93 and 94(3)(a) and (c) be suspended and that the petitions be received. This will result in the waiving of all charges.

The petitions referred to above, together with the reports of the Clerk of Petitions related thereto, are returned herewith.

Mr. Hahn, from the Special Committee on Defence, presented the Second Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:

Your Committee has considered Bill C-90, An Act to amend the National Defence Act, and has agreed to report it without amendment.

A copy of the Committee's Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence relating to this Bill (Issues Nos. 1 to 6) is appended.

(The Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence accompanying the said Report recorded as Appendix No. 3 to the Journals).

On motion of Mr. Walker, seconded by Mr. Rinfret, it was ordered,— That the name of Mr. Irvine be substituted for that of Mr. Coates on the Joint Committee on Consumer Credit; and

That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours thereof.