APPENDIX "L"

ASSOCIATION OF CANADIAN SMALL LOAN COMPANIES

217 Bay Street Toronto 1, Ont. March 12, 1949.

The Chairman,
The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce,
The Senate,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Re: Bill "N"—An Act Respecting Bankruptcy

Gentlemen: Section 135 of the Bill lists debts from which a bankrupt is not released by an order of discharge.

Clause (c) of this Section reads—"any debt or liability for maintenance and support of his wife and children."

Consumer cash-lending agencies, (Licensees under Small Loans Act), may make loans of cash for the purpose of liquidating indebtedness assumed for such purposes.

We respectfully suggest that such a loan should be included within the meaning of Section 135.

This can be done by adding a clause (f) to paragraph (l) of the following effect—

(f) any debt or liability incurred for the purpose of discharging another debt or liability from which the bankrupt would not be released by an order of discharge.

Yours very truly,

A. W. BRUCE, President

APPENDIX "M"

AN ACT RESPECTING BANKRUPTCY—Senate Bill N—1949.

Draft amendment to section 52: "Copyright".

Submitted by the Honourable Senator David. For clause 52, substitute the following:

Copyright, manuscripts and unmarketable material to revert automatically to the author.

52 (1). Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act or in any other statute, any copyright or any interest in a copyright in whole or in part assigned to a publisher, printer, firm or person becoming bankrupt or against whom a receiving order has been made—if the work covered by such copyright has not been published and put on market at the time of the bankrupt or of the receiving order—shall automatically revert and be delivered to the