

of the Senate and to adjourn from place to place, it is so provided in the motion constituting the committee or by a special motion providing for any or all of the following:

- (1) That the Standing Senate Committee on be empowered to engage the services of such counsel and technical, clerical and other personnel as may be necessary for the purposes of its examination and consideration of such legislation and other matters as may be referred to it, at such rates of remuneration and reimbursement as the committee may determine, and to compensate witnesses by reimbursement of travelling and living expenses, in such amounts as the committee may determine.
- (2) That the Standing Senate Committee on be empowered to sit during sittings and adjournments of the Senate.

OR

That the Standing Senate Committee on be empowered to sit while the Senate is sitting on (date) or today.

OR

That the Standing Senate Committee on be empowered to sit during the adjournments of the Senate.

- (3) That the Standing Senate Committee on be empowered to adjourn from place to place.

In the event of any change in membership of the select committee, the authority of the Senate is necessary. In such circumstances the Government Whip usually moves the following motion:

That the name of the Honourable Senator, be substituted for that of the Honourable Senator, on the list of members appointed to serve on the committee on

In the case of a joint committee, the following is added:

That a message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House accordingly.

Other similar motions may be moved:

That the name of the Honourable Senator, be removed from the list of senators serving on the Standing Senate Committee on

and/or

That the name(s) of the Honourable Senator(s) be added to the list of Senators serving on the (said) Standing Senate Committee on

The quorum for a select committee is set out in rules 67 and 70. In the case of a special joint committee, it submits a report for approval in both Houses recommending that the quorum be fixed at members, provided that both Houses are represented. *See Senate Journals, June 30, 1966, page 706.*

If a standing committee wishes to reduce its quorum, it must ask leave of the Senate to suspend the appropriate rule. This may be done by