

per diem, during their attendance, and a reasonable allowance for travelling expenses, upon any certificate or order of the Chairman of the Committee before which such witnesses have been summoned; but no witness shall be so paid, unless a certificate shall first have been filed with the Chairman of such Committee, by some member thereof, stating that the evidence to be obtained from such witness is, in his opinion, material and important; and no such payment shall be made in any case, without the authority of the Standing Committee on Contingencies, which shall be signified by the endorsement of the Chairman thereof upon the aforesaid certificate; and when any witness shall have been in attendance during three days, if his presence is still further required, recourse shall again be had to the Contingent Committee, and so on every three days; and no witness residing at the Seat of Government shall be paid for his attendance.

VIII. That all Bills and Documents submitted for the consideration of the House, be printed in each of the English and French languages, in equal proportion, unless otherwise directed.

All documents to be printed in English and French.

IX. That no allowance will in future be made to any person in the employ of this House, who

No allowance for travelling expenses.