

## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, May 31, 1966.

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The Standing Committee on Industry, Research and Energy Development met this day at 9.40 o'clock a.m., the Chairman Mr. Cashin presiding.

*Members present:* Messrs. Bower, Cashin, Choquette, Davis, Faulkner, Forest, Fulton, Hales, Hopkins, McCutcheon, O'Keefe, Peters, Reid, Saltsman (14)

*Also present:* Mr. Gordon H. Aiken, M.P.

*In attendance:* From the Department of Mines and Technical Surveys: Dr. J. M. Harrison, Assistant Deputy Minister (*Research*); Dr. J. D. Ives, Geographical Branch; Dr. J. H. Hodgson, Dominion Observatories Branch; Mr. K. M. Pack, Director of Administration.

The Committee proceeded to examine the estimates of the Department of Mines and Technical Surveys.

Item 55 Geographical Surveys and Research was called and carried subject to satisfactory reply to Mr. Fulton's question concerning grants to Universities.

Note 1. Appendix 1 contains the answer to Mr. Fulton's question.

Item 60 Research in Astronomy and Geophysics—Administration Operation and Maintenance was carried.

Item 65 Research in Astronomy and Geophysics—Construction or Acquisition of Buildings, Works, Land and Equipment was carried.

Item 85 Polar Continental Shelf Project was called and carried subject to satisfactory reply to Mr. Fulton's question regarding delineation and jurisdiction of the Polar Continental Shelf area.

Mr. Hales asked a general question regarding the unspent balance in the Mines and Technical Surveys estimates for each of the past five years.

Note 2. This information is contained in Appendix 2.

The Chairman called items 70, 75, 80, 25 and 30 pertaining to water resources and called upon Dr. Harrison to make an introductory statement.

Dr. Harrison made a brief statement regarding water resources.

At 11.02 o'clock a.m., on a motion by Mr. McCutcheon, seconded by Mr. Fulton, the meeting adjourned to the call of the Chair.

R. V. Virr,  
*Clerk of the Committee.*