Public Bills

Bill C-384, An Act respecting employment with the Government of Canada not covered by the Public Service Employment Act—Mr. Orlikow.

Bill C-385, An Act to amend the Department of Employment and Immigration Act (handicapped persons)—Mr. Friesen.

Bill C-386, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (abortion)—Mr. Oberle.

Bill C-387, An Act respecting representation in the House of Commons—Mr. Towers.

Bill C-388, An Act to provide for full employment in Canada—Mr. Broadbent.

Bill C-389, An Act to amend the Canada Evidence Act (incriminating statements)—Mr. Orlikow.

Bill C-390, An Act to amend the Bank of Canada Act—Mr. Lambert (Bellechasse).

Bill C-391, An Act to amend the Broadcasting Act (equal time to opposition parties)—Mr. Orlikow.

Bill C-392, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (abortion)—Mr. Rondeau.

Bill C-393, An Act respecting the age of retirement-Mr. Mitges.

Bill C-394, An Act to amend the Public Service Staff Relations Act (strike ballots)—Mr. Forrestall.

Bill C-395, An Act to amend the Broadcasting Act (advertising on children's programs)—Mr. McGrath.

Bill C-396, An Act respecting the holding of a national plebiscite on the separation of Québec from Canada—Mr. Schumacher.

Bill C-397, An Act to divide the calendar year into three Parliamentary semesters—Mr. Baker (Grenville-Carleton).

Bill C-398, An Act to amend the Narcotic Control Act-Mr. Friesen.

Bill C-399, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (pornography)—Mrs. Appolloni.

Bill C-400, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (pornography)—Mr. Reid.

Bill C-401, An Act to amend the Broadcasting Act (guidelines respecting portrayal of sex and violence)—Mr. McGrath.

Bill C-402, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (pornography)—Mr. Lawrence.

Bill C-403, An Act to amend the British North America Acts, 1867 to 1965 (duration of House of Commons)—Mr. Peters.

Bill C-404, An Act to amend the Hazardous Products Act (aluminum wiring)—Mr. Peters.

Bill C-405, An Act concerning the exportation of the growth and produce of Canada—Mr. Peters. [Mr. Speaker.]

PRIVILEGE

MR. MACKAY—"BUGGING" OF OFFICE

Mr. Elmer M. MacKay (Central Nova): Mr. Speaker, I rise on a question of privilege. It is not very often that I rise in this chamber on a question of privilege, but in view of the revelations that have come today and previously, I think I have a matter which affects the privileges of all members of the House. As a matter of fact, I learned about it when I was called out to the lobby.

Because of some of the circumstances, I thought it prudent to retain the services of an electronics expert to check my office, and I have been told that there is a live recording device hidden in one of the chairs in my office, a device that is fully operative. I thought this might be of some interest to the House, particularly in view of the assurances—

• (1512)

An hon. Member: How about that?

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. The hon. member raises a matter which is of great moment and concern. The matter will be investigated forthwith by officials of the House. That is the least I can undertake at this time. Until such time as any further information may come to light with respect to this occurrence, I can only assure the House that I will personally undertake to investigate this matter with the fullest vigour at my command.

An hon. Member: Fox is not surprised.

WAYS AND MEANS

DESIGNATION OF ORDER OF THE DAY TO DEBATE WAYS AND MEANS MOTIONS

Hon. Norman A. Cafik (Minister of State (Multiculturalism)): Mr. Speaker, in accordance with Standing Order 60, I request you to designate an order of the day for consideration tomorrow of the ways and means motions tabled by the Minister of Finance on October 20 last.

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QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

Mr. Roger Young (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Justice): Mr. Speaker, I ask that all questions be allowed to stand.