THE SENATE

Tuesday, May 4, 1965

The Senate met at 8 p.m., the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayers.

EXCISE TAX ACT

BILL TO AMEND-FIRST READING

The Hon. the Speaker informed the Senate that a message had been received from the House of Commons with Bill C-96, to amend an act to amend the Excise Tax Act.

Bill read first time.

Hon. John J. Connolly moved that the bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading on Thursday next.

Motion agreed to.

PUBLIC SERVICE SUPERANNUATION

BILL TO AMEND CERTAIN ACTS—FIRST READING

The Hon. the Speaker informed the Senate that a message had been received from the House of Commons with Bill C-97, to amend certain acts respecting the superannuation of persons employed in the Public Service, members of the Canadian Forces and members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Bill read first time.

Hon. John J. Connolly moved that the bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading on Thursday next.

Motion agreed to.

FINANCE CHARGES (DISCLOSURE) BILL

FIRST READING

Hon. David A. Croll presented Bill S-2, to make provision for the disclosure of information in respect of finance charges.

Hon. Mr. Choquette: Is that new?
Bill read first time.

Hon. Mr. Croll moved that the bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading on Thursday next.

Motion agreed to.

DOCUMENTS TABLED

Hon. John J. Connolly tabled:

Budget Papers, 1965-66, for the information of Parliament, as follows:

Part I-Economic Review of 1964.

Part II—A preliminary review of the Government Accounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1965. (English and French texts).

Copy of amendments made by the President and Puisne Judges of the Exchequer Court of Canada to the General Rules and Orders of the Exchequer Court of Canada, dated January 11, 1965, pursuant to section 88(2) of the Exchequer Court Act, chapter 98, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French texts).

Copy of amendment made July 17, 1964, by the President and Puisne Judges of the Exchequer Court of Canada to the General Rules and Orders regulating the Practice and Procedure in Admiralty cases in the Exchequer Court of Canada, pursuant to section 31(4) of the Admiralty Act, chapter 1, R.S.C., 1952. (English text).

Report of the Eastern Canada Farm Survey 1963. (French text).

Report of the Cornwall International Bridge Company, Limited, for the year ended September 30, 1964, certified by the Auditor General, pursuant to sections 85(3) and 87(3) of the Financial Administration Act, chapter 116, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French texts).

Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for Canada—Volume III, Annual Statements of Life Insurance Companies and Fraternal Benefit Societies, for the year ended December 31, 1963, pursuant to section 9 of the Department of Insurance Act, chapter 70, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French texts).

Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for Canada—Co-operative Credit Societies, for the year ended December 31, 1963. (English and French texts).

Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for Canada—Small Loans Companies and Money-Lenders licensed under the Small Loans Act, for the year ended December 31, 1963. (English and French texts).

Report of The Seaway International Bridge Corporation, Ltd., for the year ended December 31, 1964, certified by the Auditor General, pursuant to sections 85(3) and 87(3) of the Financial Administration Act, chapter 116, R.S.C., 1952. (English text).