

Minutes of Proceedings

Order of Reference

Tuesday, November 17, 1970.
(4)

Pursuant to adjournment and notice the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce met this day at 9.30 a.m. to consider:

Bill S-5, "An Act respecting Weights and Measures".

Present: The Honourable Senators Hayden (*Chairman*), Aird, Beaubien, Blois, Burchill, Carter, Connolly (*Ottawa West*), Hollett, Isnor, Kinley and Welch. (11)

Present but not of the Committee: The Honourable Senators Lafond and Urquhart. (2)

In attendance: E. Russell Hopkins, Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel.

Witnesses:

Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs:

The Honourable Ron Basford,
Minister.

G. E. Anderson,
Assistant Director and Chief Engineer,
Standards Branch.

National Research Council:

Dr. A. E. Douglas,
Director,
Division of Physics.

At 11.00 a.m. the Committee adjourned until later this day, and subsequently, until Wednesday, November 18, 1970, at 9.30 a.m.

Wednesday, November 18, 1970.
(5)

Pursuant to adjournment and notice the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce met this day at 9.30 a.m. to resume consideration of Bill S-5.

Present: The Honourable Senators Hayden (*Chairman*), Beaubien, Blois, Burchill, Carter, Connolly (*Ottawa West*), Cook, Flynn, Haig, Hollett, Isnor, Kinley, Molson and Welch. (14)

Present but not of the Committee: The Honourable Senator Lafond. (1).

In attendance: E. Russell Hopkins, Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel; Pierre Godbout, Director of Committees, Assistant Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel.

Witnesses:

Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs:

G. E. Anderson,
Assistant Director and Chief Engineer,
Standards Branch.

Department of Justice:

Paul D. Beseau,
Legislation Section.

Upon motion it was Resolved to amend clause 6 of the Bill.

Note: (The full text of the amendment appears by reference to the Report of the Committee immediately following these Minutes.)

Upon motion it was Resolved to report the said Bill as amended.

At 10.15 a.m. the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

ATTEST:

Frank A. Jackson,
Clerk of the Committee.