

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, February 28, 1967.

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The Special Joint Committee of the Senate and of the House of Commons respecting Mr. Justice Landreville met at 9.40 a.m. this day. The Joint Chairmen, the Honourable Senator Lang and Mr. Laflamme, presided.

Members present:

Representing the Senate: The Honourable Senators Cook, Fournier (*de Lanaudière*), Hnatyshyn, Lang, Macdonald (*Cape Breton*) (5).

Representing the House of Commons: Messrs. Bell (*Carleton*), Cashin, Fairweather, Gilbert, Goyer, Guay, Laflamme, McCleave, McQuaid, Patterson, Tolmie (11).

Also present: Messrs. Berger and Stanbury, Members of Parliament.

Counsel present: Dr. Maurice Ollivier, Parliamentary Counsel; Mr. Yves Fortier, Counsel to the Committee.

In attendance: Mr. Justice Landreville and Mr. Terrence Donnelly.

The Committee agreed to Mr. Justice Landreville's request to make a statement. He said: "I wish to disclose that at your convenience, and the convenience of this Committee, and subject to the objections already noted on the record, I will tender, under oath, my evidence, subject myself to the cross-examination of counsel and any member of this Committee, and call witness and produce documents to this Committee."

The Joint Chairman (Mr. Laflamme) pointed out that it had already been indicated that Mr. Justice Landreville would be allowed to testify before the Committee. The required Certificate was filed with the Joint Chairmen of the Committee.

The question of other possible witnesses was discussed and the House of Commons' Standing Order 69 (1) was read by the Joint Chairman (Mr. Laflamme).

The Clerk of the Committee administered the Oath to Mr. Justice Landreville.

Mr. Justice Landreville then addressed the Committee. He made an examination of and expressed opinions on matters related to the report of the Honourable Ivan C. Rand. He answered questions.

At 10.30 a.m., the Committee agreed to take a ten-minute recess.

On re-assembling, Mr. Justice Landreville resumed his presentation.

At 12.05 p.m., the Committee adjourned until 3.30 p.m. this day.