

A copy of the Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence, respecting the Canada Elections Act and related matters, (*Issues No. 3 to 15*) is appended, together with a copy of suggested amendments to the Canada Elections Act.

*(The Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence accompanying the said Report recorded as Appendix No. 14 to the Journals).*

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Mr. Cyr for Mr. Godin, from the Standing Committee on Mines, Forests and Waters, presented the Third Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:

Your Committee reports progress and recommends that it be reconstituted to continue its reference or references in the new session.

Your Committee held 16 meetings in the course of which it heard 13 witnesses.

A copy of the Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence (*Issues No. 1 to 6*) is appended.

*(The Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence accompanying the said Report recorded as Appendix No. 15 to the Journals).*

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Mr. McNulty, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented the Sixth Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:

Complying with an Order of the House of June 27, 1963, your Committee has given consideration to the subject matter of Bill C-15, An Act to amend the Railways Act (Responsibility for Dislocation Costs), and has heard evidence from representatives of the railways, from officials of various brotherhoods of railway employees, and from Mr. Howard Chase, a former member of the Board of Transport Commissioners.

The Committee was favourable to the subject-matter of Bill C-15 and commends it to the House and the government; and to further clarify our views on the situation relating to the subject-matter, the Committee recommends that:

The government give consideration to amending section 182 of the Railway Act to ensure the rights of railway employees in those cases where abandonment, merger or co-ordination between railways, or the closing or near-closing of terminals and shops or the introduction of "run-throughs" is undertaken by the management.

The Committee would prefer that such matters as adjustment, compensation, re-training arrangements, and other ameliorations of the dislocation be a matter of negotiation between management and the employees' legitimate bargaining agencies but it recognizes that a strong encouragement to such means of settlement will ensue when section 182 is read in such a legal way as to offer firm protection to the employees.

A copy of the relevant Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence (*Issues No. 1 to 8*) is appended.

*(The Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence accompanying the said Report recorded as Appendix No. 16 to the Journals).*