

Canadian Wheat Board Act

minister, to go into a voluntary plan, on the one hand; and then in the course of a sign-up it would be a matter of judgment for the minister as to whether, even though the association represents a significant number, there is a sufficient number to make the plan work, and that this lies in the hands of the minister.

Mr. Lang: That is correct.

[*Translation*]

Mr. Lambert (Bellechasse): I am still referring to clause 35.12 and to the explanation just given by the minister concerning a sufficient number of producers. Will the regulations determine in greater detail the meaning of producers? What will influence the minister's decision: the volume of grain or the number of producers?

[*English*]

Mr. Lang: We are really looking here at the number of producers. I do not see a practical problem because the administrators of a plan would not want to go forward with it unless they had a fairly large volume of grain and producers. Therefore, we would not have much difficulty with making a judgment.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 4 to 11 inclusive agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Bill reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: When shall the bill be read the third time? By leave, now?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. Benjamin: No, Mr. Speaker, I do not give consent to giving the bill third reading now.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: There is nothing in the order which says it cannot be given third reading now, except the time. The Chair cannot read the minds of hon. members; they must indicate whether or not they wish to carry on. The bill has been reported. Does the hon. member wish me to put the question and give him the floor for third reading?

Mr. Benjamin: I would like to call it 10.30 p.m., Mr. Speaker.

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BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

Mr. Paproski: Mr. Speaker, I rise on a point of order. I would like to know what business we have on hand for tomorrow, if the House leader would be so kind as to tell us what he has on the platter.

Mr. MacEachen: Mr. Speaker, we will continue with the bill presently under consideration. Then we will consider Bill C-4. Following that we will have consultations tomorrow morning.

Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): Mr. Speaker, what about Bill C-30?

[*Translation*]

Mr. Deputy Speaker: It being 10.30 p.m., this House stands adjourned until Tuesday at 11 o'clock a.m., pursuant to order passed on Monday, May 30, 1977.

At 10.35 p.m. the House adjourned, without question put, pursuant to special order.