

The Order being read for the consideration of the amendment made by the Senate to Bill C-187, An Act respecting inland water resources in the Yukon Territory and Northwest Territories;

Mr. Chrétien, seconded by Mr. Turner (Ottawa-Carleton), moved,—That the said amendment be now read a second time and concurred in.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to.

Accordingly, the said amendment was read the second time and concurred in, on division.

The Order being read for the report stage of Bill C-212, An Act to amend the Yukon Act, the Northwest Territories Act and the Territorial Lands Act, as reported (with amendments) from the Standing Committee on Indian Affairs and Northern Development;

Motion numbered (1) having been called as follows:

That Bill C-212, An Act to amend the Yukon Act, the Northwest Territories Act and the Territorial Lands Act, be amended by adding thereto, immediately following clause 1 thereof, the following:

“2. Subsection (1) of section 9 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

“(1) There shall be a Council of the Yukon Territory, which shall be composed of fifteen members elected to represent such electoral districts in the Territory as are named and described by the Commissioner in Council and by renumbering the subsequent clauses accordingly.”—*Mr. Nielsen.*

Mr. Deputy Speaker ruled that the said motion was out of order in that it was irrelevant to and beyond the scope of the bill.

Mr. Nielsen, seconded by Mr. Nowlan, moved,—That Bill C-212, An Act to amend the Yukon Act, the Northwest Territories Act and the Territorial Lands Act be amended by deleting the words “but the Governor in Council may, after consultation with the Council, at any time dissolve the Council and cause a new Council to be elected” in clause 2, lines 12, 13, 14 and 15, page 1 thereof, and replacing the comma after the word “longer” in line 12 with a period.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, pursuant to section 11 of Standing Order 75, a recorded division was deferred.

Mr. Chrétien, seconded by Mr. Cadieux (Labelle), moved,—That Bill C-212, An Act to amend the Yukon Act, the Northwest Territories Act and the Territorial Lands Act, be amended by striking out lines 12 to 15 on page 1 and substituting the following:

“longer, but the Governor in Council may at any time, after consultation with the Council where he deems such consultation to be practicable or, otherwise, after consultation with each of the members of the Council with whom consultation can then be effected, dissolve the Council and cause a new Council to be elected.”

After debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, pursuant to section 11 of Standing Order 75, a recorded division was deferred.