issued by the Department of Industry on the same subject. (English and French texts).

Copies of 2 contracts between the Government of Canada and Municipalities in the Provinces of Alberta and Manitoba for the use or employment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, pursuant to section 20 (3) of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act, chapter 54, Statutes of Canada, 1959. (English text).

Capital Budget of the Canadian Overseas Telecommunication Corporation for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1969, pursuant to section 80 (2) of the Financial Administration Act, Chapter 116, R.S.C., 1952, together with a copy of Order in Council P.C. 1968-830, dated April 30, 1968, approving same. (English text).

## **RULES OF THE SENATE**

## PROPOSED SPECIAL COMMITTEE—NOTICE OF MOTION

Hon. Paul Martin: Honourable senators, I give notice that on Thursday next, September 19, 1968, I will move:

That a Special Committee of the Senate be appointed to examine the Rules of the Senate, and to recommend to the Senate any changes therein considered by the committee to be either necessary or desirable; and

That the committee have power to call for persons, papers and records, to examine witnesses, to report from time to time, to print such papers and evidence from day to day as may be ordered by the committee and to sit during sittings and adjournments of the Senate.

## **CENSUS AND STATISTICS**

PROPOSED COMMITTEE-NOTICE OF MOTION

Hon. Chesley W. Carter: Honourable senators, I give notice that on Thursday next, September 19, 1968, I will move:

That a Committee of the Senate inquire into and report upon existing legislation regarding the census and statistics and upon the administration of such legislation and recommend any changes in such legislation and administration required to establish and develop the census and statistics service as a vital and efficient aid to the good government of Canada and the advancement of private business in the public interest.

## SCIENCE POLICY

MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE

Hon. Maurice Lamontagne moved, pursuant to notice:

That a Special Committee of the Senate be appointed to consider and report on the science policy of the Federal Government with the object of appraising its priorities, its budget and its efficiency in the light of the experience of other industrialized countries and of the requirements of the new scientific age and, without restricting the generality of the foregoing, to inquire into and report upon the following:

(a) recent trends in research and development expenditures in Canada as compared with those in other industrialized countries;

(b) research and development activities carried out by the Federal Government in the fields of physical, life and human sciences;

(c) federal assistance to research and development activities carried out by individuals, universities, industry and other groups in the three scientific fields mentioned above; and

(d) the broad principles, the long-term financial requirements and the structural organization of a dynamic and efficient science policy for Canada.

That the committee have power to engage the services of such counsel, staff and technical advisers as may be necessary for the purpose of the inquiry;

That the committee have power to send for persons, papers and records, to examine witnesses, to report from time to time, to print such papers and evidence from day to day as may be ordered by the committee, to sit during sittings and adjournments of the Senate, and to adjourn from place to place;

That the papers and evidence received and taken on the subject in the preceding session be referred to the committee; and

That the committee be composed of the Honourable Senators Aird, Argue, Belisle, Bourget, Cameron, Desruisseaux, Grosart, Hayes, Kinnear, Lamontagne, Lang, Leonard, MacKenzie, O'Leary (Carleton), Phillips (Prince), Sullivan, Thompson and Yuzyk.

He said: Honourable senators, since I do not intend to participate in the debate on the