

VINCENT MASSEY
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CANADA

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom,
Canada and Her other Realms and Territories QUEEN, Head of the
Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

TO OUR BELOVED AND FAITHFUL THE SENATORS of Canada, and the MEMBERS
elected to serve in the House of Commons of Canada and to each and
every of you,

GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the Meeting of Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to
the third day of the month of January, 1959. Nevertheless, for certain
causes and considerations, We have thought fit further to Prorogue the same
to Thursday the fifteenth day of the month of January, 1959, so that neither you
nor any of you on the said third day of January, 1959, at Our City of Ottawa,
to appear are to be held and constrained, for We do Will that you and each of
you be as to Us in this matter entirely exonerated; Commanding, and by the
tenor of these Presents, enjoining you and each of you, and all others in this
behalf interested, that on Thursday, the fifteenth day of the month of January,
1959, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at Our City of Ottawa, aforesaid,
personally you be and appear for the DESPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do,
act and conclude upon those things which in Our said Parliament of Canada,
by the Common Council of Canada, may by the favour of God be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent,
and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS: Our
Right Trusty and Well-beloved Counsellor, VINCENT MASSEY, Member
of Our Order of the Companions of Honour, Governor General and
Commander-in-Chief of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, this sixteenth day of
December in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and
fifty-eight and in the seventh year of Our Reign.

By Command,

C. STEIN,
Under Secretary of State.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN