HOUSE OF COMMONS

Wednesday, June 23, 1976

The House met at 2 p.m.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH GUIDELINES FOR EMPLOYEES OF CROWN AGENCIES—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Sinclair Stevens (York-Simcoe): Mr. Speaker, I rise pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 43 to raise a matter of urgent and pressing necessity. In view of the revelation yesterday by the Minister of Finance that there are still no conflict of interest guidelines applying to employees of Crown corporations and similar agencies in Canada, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Central Nova (Mr. MacKay):

That the House support the immediate establishment and implementation of guidelines with regard to employees of Crown corporations and similar agencies, and that the standard be similar to that set for public servants on December 18, 1973 by order in council, and that in the case of quasi judicial bodies the standards be at least equal to those applying to our judiciary.

Mr. Speaker: Such a motion can be presented only with the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

JUSTICE AND LEGAL AFFAIRS

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REQUEST FOR TELEVISION COVERAGE OF COMMITTEE HEARINGS ON BILL C-84—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. John Reynolds (Burnaby-Richmond-Delta): Mr. Speaker, due to the importance of the discussion on Bill C-84 in committee, I move under the provisions of Standing Order 43, seconded by the hon. member for Prince George-Peace River (Mr. Oberle):

That this House instruct the Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs to allow live radio and television coverage of the committee hearings on Bill C-84.

Mr. Speaker: Such a motion can be presented only with the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

AGRICULTURE

PROPOSED REVISION OF DAIRY POLICY IN CONSULTATION WITH PROVINCIAL MARKETING BOARDS—MOTION UNDER S.O.

Mr. John Wise (Elgin): Mr. Speaker, I rise under the provisions of Standing Order 43 on a matter of urgent and pressing necessity. Now that the full impact of this government's new dairy policy has been experienced by producers and observation reveals individual producer hold-backs in sufficient amounts and numbers as to result in extreme financial losses and bankruptcies within the industry, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Dauphin (Mr. Ritchie):

• (1410)

That this House instruct the Minister of Agriculture, in consultation with the various provincial marketing boards, to revise immediately the present dairy policy, having special regard for the removal of at least a portion of the penalty clause and the return of a percentage of the resultant holdback and a revision of the interprovincial subsidy quotas.

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Standing Order 43 such a motion can be presented only with the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

SUGGESTION BILL C-242 BE PUT FORWARD AS GOVERNMENT MEASURE—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Paul Yewchuk (Athabasca): Mr. Speaker, I rise under the provisions of Standing Order 43 to move a motion of urgent and pressing necessity. In view of the rapid approach of the summer recess I move, seconded by the hon. member for Grenville-Carleton (Mr. Baker):

That Bill C-242, which deals with smokers in transit, be put forward as a government bill in order to facilitate its passage through this House before the House breaks for the summer recess.

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

Mr. Speaker: Such a motion, pursuant to Standing Order 43, could only be presented with the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

Some hon. Members: Oh, oh!

Mr. Paproski: The Liberals said no.