

*Proceedings on Adjournment Motion*

There is little more that can be said. It is the opinion of the Department of Labour that no conventions of the I.L.O. are being violated in this instance. This is a legitimate legal strike and it is a matter of one group effecting economic pressure upon another in order to reach a settlement. There is unquestionably quite a wide difference of opinion on the question of union security or the closed shop, as seemed to be indicated in the first

request. However, that does not in any way permit the federal government to move into this jurisdiction. Certainly we would wish to express our desire that a settlement be reached, but I am sure it would be considered a violation of provincial rights to interfere at this time.

Motion agreed to and the house adjourned at 10.24 p.m.

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