• (1730)

MOTION IN AMENDMENT OF SENATOR SPARROW NEGATIVED ON DIVISION

On the Order:

On the motion in amendment of the Honourable Senator Sparrow, seconded by the Honourable Senator Lawson:

That the report be not now adopted but that it be amended

- (a) by adding, on the first page, immediately before amendment number 1, the following:
 - "1. Page 15, clause 15.1: add, after line 4, on page 15, the following new Clause:
 - "15.1. (1) A registration certificate is not required for any purpose under this Act or any other enactment for a firearm that is reasonable for use in Canada for hunting or sporting purposes.
 - (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), a registration certificate may be issued for a firearm that is reasonable for use in Canada for hunting or sporting purposes.
 - (3) For the purposes of this section, a firearm shall be deemed to be reasonable for use in Canada for hunting or sporting purposes if
 - (a) it is a rifle or shotgun designed or intended to be used for hunting or sporting purposes; and
 - (b) it is not a firearm described in
 - (i) paragraph (b) or (c) of the definition of "prohibited firearm" in section 84 of the Criminal Code, or
 - (ii) paragraph (b) or (c) of the definition of "restricted firearm" in section 84 of the Criminal Code.
 - (4) Notwithstanding any other provision, no person who possesses a firearm that is reasonable for use in Canada for hunting or sporting purposes commits an offence under this Act or any other enactment by reason only that the person is not the holder of a registration certificate for the firearm.""; and
- (b) by renumbering the subsequent amendments accordingly.

Motion in amendment of Senator Sparrow, negatived on the following division:

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