

STANDING ORDER 51

The present standing order 51 reads as follows:

Notices of motion for the production of papers which the member asking for the same intends to move without discussion, shall be marked by him with an asterisk and shall be placed by the Clerk on the order paper above "Notices of motions" under the heading "Notices of motions for the production of papers". All such notices when called shall be forthwith disposed of; but if on any such motion a debate be desired, it will be transferred by the Clerk to the order of "Notices of Motions".

For
production
of papers.

It is proposed that the words "above 'Notices of motions'" be deleted from the foregoing standing order. Formerly, when Mondays and Wednesdays were taken up as government days, this heading was called by virtue of the terms of a resolution of the House. In standing order 15 (3), as amended, the heading "notices of motions for the production of papers" has been listed as an order of business to be called on the same days as it was called in past sessions; namely, Mondays and Wednesdays, and in some cases on Thursdays when the latter day is a private Members' day. No change in practice is being proposed.

STANDING ORDER 53

The present standing order 53 reads as follows:

A member who has made a motion may withdraw the same by leave of the House, such leave being granted without any negative voice.

Withdrawal
of motion.

This standing order has been redrafted in order to clarify its provisions but no change in practice is being proposed.