

Minutes of Proceedings

Order of Reference

Wednesday, March 8, 1972.

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Pursuant to adjournment and notice the Standing Senate Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs met this day at 10:00 a.m.

Present: The Honourable Senators: Prowse (*Chairman*), Argue, Buckwold, Fergusson, Fournier, Goldenberg, Hastings and Hayden. (8)

In attendance: Mr. E. Russell Hopkins, Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel; Mr. Réal Jubinville, Executive Director; Mr. Patrick Doherty and Mr. William Earl Bailey, Special Research Assistants.

The Committee proceeded to the examination of the parole system in Canada.

The following witnesses, representing the Canadian Penitentiary Service, Department of the Solicitor General, were heard in explanation of the Committee's examination:

Mr. P. A. Faguy, Commissioner;

Mr. J. W. Braithwaite, Associate Deputy Commissioner.

The following were also present but were not heard:

Mr. H. F. Smith, Director, Treatment and Training;

Mr. J. R. G. Surprenant, Chief, Secretariat.

On Motion of the Honourable Senator Hastings it was Resolved to include the Brief presented by Mr. Faguy and the Statistics submitted by the Canadian Penitentiary Service in this day's proceedings. They are printed as appendices under the following titles:

Appendix "A"

"A presentation to the Standing Senate Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs"

Appendix "B"

"Temporary Absences"

Appendix "C"

"Report on Inmates Serving Life, Indefinite Sentences or Classified as Dangerous Sexual Offenders"

Appendix "D"

"Institutions and Inmate Population"

Appendix "E"

"Indians and the Canadian Penitentiary Service"

Appendix "F"

"Number of Psychiatrists Now Working in Canadian Penitentiary Service"

Appendix "G"

"Average Maintenance Cost per Inmate by Security Type, Based on Actual Expenditures"

At 12.35 p.m. the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

ATTEST:

Denis Bouffard

Clerk of the Committee