MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, October 23, 1963.

Pursuant to adjournment and notice the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills met today at 4.00 p.m.

Present: The Honourable Senator Bouffard, Chairman; Baird, Boucher, Connolly (Ottawa-West), Dupuis, Pouliot and Stambaugh.—7.

In attendance: Mr. E. Russel Hopkins, Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel. The Official Reporters of the Senate.

Bill SD-32, An Act to amend the Marriage and Divorce Act was considered.

On Motion of the Honourable Senator Dupuis, it was Resolved to report recommending that authority be granted for the printing of 1,000 copies in English and 1,000 copies in French of the Committee's proceedings on the said Bill.

On Motion of the Honourable Senator Pouliot, it was Resolved to postpone the further consideration of the Bill to Thursday, October 31st, 1963, at 9.30 A.M. in room 356-S.

Attest.

Gerard Lemire, Clerk of the Committee.

THURSDAY, November 7, 1963.

Pursuant to adjournment and notice the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills met this day at 10.30 a.m.

Present:—The Honourable Senators: Bouffard (Chairman), Aseltine, Baird, Dupuis, Hnatyshyn, Horner, Hugessen, Monette, Pouliot, Stambaugh and Taylor (Westmorland).—11.

In attendance:—Mr. E. Russell Hopkins, Q.C., Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel, the Official Reporters of the Senate.

Bill S-32, An Act to amend the Marriage and Divorce Act was read and considered.

The Honourable Senator Pouliot, sponsor of the Bill, was heard and questioned with respect to the said Bill.

The Chairman informed the Committee that he would request Mr. R. Bedard, Associate Deputy Minister of Justice, to appear before the Committee at some future date, to present the views of the Department of Justice with respect to the Bill.

On Motion of the Honourable Senator Aseltine it was Resolved to print as an appendix an "Extract from the Senate *Hansard* of October 31st, 1962".

At 11.45 a.m. the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

Attest.

D. Jarvis, Clerk of the Committee.