

Order of Reference

Extract from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Senate, Tuesday, November 27, 1984:

The Honourable Senator Lafond moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Thompson:

That a Special Committee of the Senate be appointed to hear evidence on and to consider matters relating to national defence;

That 12 Senators, to be designated at a later date, four of whom shall constitute a quorum, act as members of the Special Committee;

That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records, to examine witnesses, to report from time to time and to print such papers and evidence from day to day as may be ordered by the Committee;

That the Committee have power to adjourn from place to place within Canada, and to such places abroad where members of the Canadian Armed Forces may be stationed;

That the Committee have power to sit during adjournments of the Senate;

That the Committee be empowered to retain the services of professional and clerical staff as deemed advisable by the Committee; and

That the papers and evidence received and taken on the subject before the Committee during the Thirty-second Parliament be referred to the Committee.

After debate, and —

The question being put on the motion, it was —

Resolved in the affirmative.

Charles Lussier
Clerk of the Senate