

purchase of nine DHC-4A Caribou aircraft, product support and services by the Government of Malaysia from The de Havilland Aircraft of Canada, Limited, Downsview, Ontario, pursuant to section 21B of the said Act, chapter 105, R.S.C., 1952, as amended 1960-61. (English text).

Statutory Orders and Regulations published in the *Canada Gazette*, Part II, of Wednesday, September 11, 1968, pursuant to section 7 of the Regulations Act, chapter 235, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French texts).

PUBLICATION OF STATUTES ACT

BILL TO AMEND—FIRST READING

Hon. Paul Martin presented Bill S-2, to amend the Publication of Statutes Act.

Bill read first time.

Hon. Mr. Martin moved that the bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading on Tuesday next.

Motion agreed to.

CANADA EVIDENCE ACT

BILL TO AMEND—FIRST READING

Hon. Mr. Martin presented Bill S-3, to amend the Canada Evidence Act.

Bill read first time.

Hon. Mr. Martin moved, with leave of the Senate, that the bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading on Tuesday next.

Motion agreed to.

PRECIOUS METALS MARKING BILL

FIRST READING

Hon. Mr. Martin presented Bill S-4, respecting the marking of articles containing precious metals.

Bill read first time.

Hon. Mr. Martin moved, with leave of the Senate, that the bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading on Tuesday next.

Motion agreed to.

CANADIAN OVERSEAS TELECOMMUNICATION CORPORATION ACT

BILL TO AMEND—FIRST READING

Hon. Mr. Martin presented Bill S-5, to amend the Canadian Overseas Telecommunication Corporation Act.

Bill read first time.

Hon. Mr. Martin moved, with leave of the Senate, that the bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading on Tuesday next.

Motion agreed to.

OMBUDSMAN COMMITTEE

PROPOSED COMMITTEE—NOTICE OF MOTION

Hon. Arthur W. Roebuck: Honourable senators, I have the honour this afternoon to represent the enterprising and forward-looking senator who is my desk mate. Senator Croll has asked me to give two notices on his behalf, which I have very great pleasure in doing because I thoroughly agree with their contents.

First I give notice that Senator Croll, on Tuesday next, September 17, 1968, will move:

That the Senate considers it desirable to establish at an early date a committee of the Senate, to be known as the "Ombudsman Committee", to inquire into and report to the Senate on any matter or thing within the jurisdiction of Parliament relevant to the protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms, and the prevention of unjust or arbitrary conduct, and in particular to investigate and report upon any grievance complained of as a result of administrative action for which no other remedy is available.

POVERTY IN CANADA

PROPOSED SPECIAL COMMITTEE—NOTICE OF MOTION

Hon. Mr. Roebuck: I have a further notice, honourable senators, under the same conditions on behalf of Senator Croll:

That a Special Committee of the Senate be appointed to investigate and report upon all aspects of poverty in Canada, whether urban, rural, regional or otherwise, to define and elucidate the problem of poverty in Canada, and to