

Appendix
(B.)

14th June.

Report of
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stages on same
day.Notice to be
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pensation.

IV.

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Office and Re-
gister.Plans, &c., to
be lodged.Examination
of Bill.

referred to the Select Committee on Standing Orders, no further proceeding on either of such stages shall be had, until the Report of the said Select Committee shall have been brought up.

XLII. That no Private Bill shall pass through two stages on one and the same day, without the special leave of The House.

XLIII. That, (except in cases of urgent and pressing necessity,) no motion be made to dispense with any Sessional or Standing Order of The House, without due notice thereof.

IV. *The Orders regulating the Practice in the Private Bill Office.*

XLIV. That a Book, to be called "The Private Bill Register," be kept in a Room, to be called "The Private Bill Office," in which Book shall be entered by the Clerk, or Clerks, appointed for the business of that office, the name, description and place of residence of the Parties applying for the Bill, or their Agent, and all the Proceedings, from the Petition to the passing of the Bill: such entry to specify briefly each day's Proceeding in The House, or in any Committee to which the Bill or Petition may be referred; the day and hour on which the Committee is appointed to sit; the day and hour to which such Committee may be adjourned; and the name of the Committee Clerk: Such Book to be open to public inspection daily, during office hours.

XLV. That all Plans, Sections, Books of Reference, Lists of Owners and Occupiers, Estimates, Copies of the Subscription Contracts, and Declarations required by the Standing Orders of The House, be lodged in the Private Bill Office; and that the receipt thereof be acknowledged accordingly, by the Clerk of the said Office, upon the said Documents, and upon the Petition, before it is presented.

XLVI. That between the First and Second Reading of every Private Bill, every such Bill shall, according to its priority, be examined with all practicable dispatch, by the Clerk of the Private Bill Office, as to its conformity with the Rules and Standing Orders of the House, and, if not in due form, the Clerk shall specify thereon the page in which any

irregularity occurs, and shall enter the day of such Examination in a Book to be kept for that purpose.

XLVII. That a filled-up Bill, as proposed to be submitted to the Committee on the Bill, and in the case of a re-committed Bill, a filled-up Bill, as proposed to be submitted to the Committee on re-committal, be deposited in the Private Bill Office, one clear day before the meeting of the Committee on every Private Bill; and that all Parties shall be entitled to a copy thereof, upon payment of the charges for making out Amendments of such Bill.

XLVIII. That when it is intended to bring up any Clause, or to propose any Amendment, on the Report, or the consideration of the Report, or on the Third Reading of any Private Bill, Notice shall be given thereof, in the Private Bill Office, on the day previous to such Report, or consideration of the Report, or Third Reading.

XLIX. That the Clerk of the Private Bill Office do prepare, daily, Lists of all Private Bills, and Petitions for Private Bills, upon which any Committee is appointed to sit; specifying the hour of meeting; and the room where the Committee shall sit; and that the same be hung up in the Lobby of The House.

L. That every Plan, and Book of Reference there-to, which shall be certified by The Speaker of The Legislative Assembly, in pursuance of any Act of the Provincial Parliament, shall previously be ascertained and verified, in such manner as shall be deemed most advisable by The Speaker, to be exactly conformable, in all respects, to the Plan and Book of Reference which shall have been signed by the Chairman of the Committee upon the Bill.

The Fees to be levied should, as has been already suggested, be made payable into the Private Bill Office. The Tariff of Fees might be framed somewhat after the style of that appended to The House of Commons' Orders, intituled "Fees to be taken in the Private Bill Office," though a much shorter scale of payments would probably suffice.

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