

get to the point at which my hon. friend's motion No. 1 has not been reworded or redrafted, the minister will accept it in the form in which it appears on the order paper.

Mr. Munro (Hamilton East): Quite so. I turn, now, to page 14 of the bill, present clause 24. I move, seconded by my colleague, the Minister of Employment and Immigration (Mr. Cullen):

That Bill C-8, An Act to amend the Canada Labour Code, be amended by striking out line 9 on page 14 and substituting therefor the following:

"keep for a period of at least thirty-six"

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Is the House ready for the question?

Some hon. Members: Question.

Motion agreed to.

Mr. John A. Fraser (Vancouver South): Mr. Speaker, I am referring to page 15 of the bill and to clause 27. I move as follows:

That Bill C-8, An Act to amend the Canada Labour Code, be amended by adding immediately after the following new subclause:

"27.1 subsection 81 of the said Act is amended by adding thereto the following new subsection:

"(3) Every person operating or carrying on a federal work, undertaking, or business who has reasonable grounds to believe that any person may commit, or has threatened to commit, an act that endangers the safety or health of the person operating or carrying on the work, undertaking or business or any of his employees shall forthwith notify the nearest police authority."

I guess that is motion No. 2.

Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): Let's deal with that.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Order. I might suggest to the hon. member that it would be simpler if he were to make two separate motions on account of the fact he is proposing amendments to two different clauses. I suggest he move to add the new clause 27(1) and then come forward with another amendment to move to new clause 27(2).

Mr. Fraser: I have moved the new clause 27(1), and at that point I sat down, anticipating what Your Honour has just asked. We have one motion in front of us in relation to 27(1).

Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): Carried.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Order, please. The Clerk has just brought a point to my attention. In what the hon. member has just proposed he suggests that section 81 of the act be amended by adding thereto a new subsection. In his previous proposal which was examined by the Chair during the lunch hour he was suggesting that 27(1)(3) be repealed and certain words substituted. The hon. member is now, in one way, suggesting an addition to a clause. In another, he is repealing a clause and revising it. I want to make sure we do things in the right way. It is my interpretation that he is suggesting the repeal of the clause and its replacement.

Mr. Munro (Hamilton East): No.

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Mr. Fraser: I do not think so.

Hon. John C. Munro (Minister of Labour): What was advised during the lunch hour by the lawyers for the Department of Justice was to leave 71(1) as it is. It provides for certain rights to employees with respect to overtime and vacation pay. This is in regard to orders to pay arrears and I am sure it is not the intention of the hon. member for Vancouver South (Mr. Fraser) to negate that provision. We wish to amend the clause by making an additional provision which would be numbered (3) as moved.

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Mr. Deputy Speaker: Is that agreed?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion (Mr. Fraser) agreed to.

Clause 27.1 agreed to.

Mr. John A. Fraser (Vancouver South): Mr. Speaker, in the motion that you now have in front of you you will see clause 27.2 which reads:

27.2 Section 82 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

I am sure the minister understands that Section 82 of the Code has literally been revised over the noon hour, the consequence of which is this motion. So the effect of this motion is not only to put in the second part of what we may call the Garbutt amendment but also to bring back to full force those other sections of the Code which it is not the intention to delete. So I will read the entire amendment.

I move, seconded by the hon. member for Halifax (Mr. Stanfield) that:

27.2 Section 82 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"82(1) Every person employed upon or in connection with the operation of any federal work, undertaking or business shall, in the course of his employment,

(a) Take all reasonable and necessary precautions to ensure his own safety and the safety of his employees; and

(b) at all appropriate times use such devices and wear such articles of clothing or equipment as are intended for his protection and furnished to him by his employer, or required pursuant to this Part to be used or worn by him.

(2) Every person employed upon or in connection with any federal work, undertaking or business, who has reasonable grounds to believe that any person may commit, or has threatened to commit, an act that endangers the safety of his employer or any person employed upon or in connection with any work, undertaking or business, shall forthwith notify his employer.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the said motion?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Clause 27.2 agreed to.

Mr. Munro (Hamilton East): Mr. Speaker, we will now move on to page 19 of the bill. We intend to add to 82.1 (12) paragraph (c) dealing with imminent danger. The wording is not in front of me or my colleagues in the House at present, so