

National Parks Act

"15. (1) Subject to subsection (2), the Governor General in Council may, by proclamation setting out the boundaries thereof, establish a reserve for a National Park in the Barclay, Clayoquot and Renfrew Land Districts, to include that region of Renfrew District commonly known as the Carmanah Watershed area, on Vancouver Island in the province of British Columbia and in the internal waters and territorial sea of Canada adjacent to the coasts thereof, pending the disposition of any claim by aboriginal peoples of British Columbia to any right, title or interest in or to the lands comprised in the reserve and the establishment of a National Park therein.

(2) A proclamation may be issued pursuant to subsection (1) where

(a) the Governor in Council is satisfied that Her Majesty in right of Canada has the administration and control of the entire interest of Her Majesty in the lands described in the proclamation;

(b) the Government of British Columbia has agreed that the lands are suitable for a National Park; and

(c) a notice of the proclamation setting out the boundaries of the lands has been published

(i) in the *Canada Gazette* at least ninety days prior to the date of issue of the proclamation, and

(ii) at least once a week for four consecutive weeks during the period of ninety days preceding that date in a newspaper or alternative medium serving the area in which the lands are situated and in two major daily newspapers in each of the following regions, namely, the Atlantic provinces, Québec, Ontario, the prairie provinces and British Columbia, in both official languages and in any other language that, in the opinion of the Minister, is appropriate.

(3) Upon the issue of a proclamation pursuant to subsection (1), the *National Parks Act* applies to the reserve established thereby as if it were a park within the meaning of the Act.

16. Following the disposition of any claim referred to in subsection 15(1) in respect of the reserve established pursuant thereto, the Governor in Council may, by a proclamation amending Schedule I to the *National Parks Act*, establish a National Park comprising all or any portion of the reserve under the name designated and having the boundaries set out in the proclamation."

And:

To delete line 5 and substitute the following:

"Land Districts, and to include, subject to negotiation and agreement with the Government of the Province of British Columbia, that region of Renfrew" . . .

Mr. Jim Hawkes (for the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of the Environment) moved:

Motion No. 11

That Bill C-30 be amended in Clause 15 by striking out lines 16 to 31 at page 14 and lines 1 to 7 at page 14 and substituting the following therefor:

"15. Section 10 of *An Act to amend the National Parks Act*, being chapter 11 of the Statutes of Canada, 1974, are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"10. (1) Subject to subsection (3), the Governor in Council may, by a proclamation amending Schedule I to the *National Parks Act*, establish a National Park, under the name designated and having the boundaries set out in the proclamation,

(a) in the rural municipalities of Val Marie and Old Post in the province of Saskatchewan;

(b) in the district of Thunder Bay in the province of Ontario;

(c) in the county of Bruce in the province of Ontario;

(d) in the districts of St. Barbe and Humber West in the province of Newfoundland.

(2) Subject to subsection (3), the Governor in Council may, by a proclamation amending Schedule I to the *National Parks Act*, establish a National Marine Park in the county of Bruce in the province of Ontario under the name designated and having the boundaries set out in the proclamation.

(3) A proclamation may be issued pursuant to subsection (1) or (2) where

(a) the Governor in Council is satisfied that clear title to the lands described in the proclamation is vested in Her Majesty in right of Canada;

(b) the government of the province in which the lands are situated has agreed that they are suitable for a National Park or a National Marine Park, as the case may be; and

(c) a notice of the proclamation setting out the boundaries of the lands has been published

(i) in the *Canada Gazette* at least ninety days prior to the date of issue of the proclamation, and

(ii) at least once a week for four consecutive weeks during the period of ninety days preceding that date in a newspaper or alternative medium serving the area in which the lands are situated and in two major daily newspapers in each of the following regions, namely, the Atlantic provinces, Québec, Ontario, the prairie provinces and British Columbia, in both official languages and in any other language that, in the opinion of the Minister, is appropriate."

Motion No. 12

That Bill C-30 be amended in Schedule I by adding immediately before the description of Elk Island National Park at page 24 the following:

"(3) WATERTON LAKES NATIONAL PARK

In the Province of Alberta, all those parcels of land more particularly described under *Firstly* and *Secondly* as follows:

Firstly, commencing at the northeast corner of Blood Indian Reserve 148A (formerly Blood Indian Reserve Timber Limit A) according to plan no. 4513 in the Canada Lands Surveys Records at Ottawa, a copy of which has been deposited in the Land Titles Office for the South Alberta Land Registration District at Calgary under no. 1714 H.L., said corner being at the intersection of the northerly boundary of section 28, township 1, range 28, west of the 4th meridian and the left bank of Belly River according to said plan;

Thence easterly along the northerly boundaries of sections 28 and 27, including the road allowance, in said township to the northeast corner of said section 27;

Thence southerly along the easterly boundaries of sections 27, 22, 15, 10 and 3, including the road allowances, in said township to the International boundary between Canada and the United States;

Thence westerly along said International boundary to its intersection with the Interprovincial boundary between Alberta and British Columbia;

Thence northerly along said Interprovincial boundary to its intersection with the height of land known as Avion Ridge which separates the waters flowing into Bauerman Brook from the waters flowing into Castle River according to the map of Waterton Lakes Park filed in said office under no. 7673 Book E.X Folio 203, a copy of which has been recorded in said Records under no. 40398;

Thence generally easterly along said Avion Ridge, on which are located Newman Peak and Mount Glendowan, to its intersection with Cloudy Ridge according to said map;

Thence generally northeasterly along said Cloudy Ridge to the headwaters of an unnamed small creek that flows into Yarrow Creek immediately west of Yarrow Cabin according to said map;

Thence generally northerly along the right banks of said creeks to the easterly boundary of section 16, township 3, range 30, west of the 4th meridian;

Thence southerly along the easterly boundary of said section 16 and across the road allowance to the northeast corner of section 9, in said township 3;