The Hon. the Speaker: Honourable senators, is leave granted?

Some Hon. Senators: No.

The Hon. the Speaker: I regret that the motion cannot be withdrawn.

Senator Prud'homme: It is not our decision.

Senator Lynch-Staunton: Get your act together!

Senator Kinsella: Who runs the Senate of Canada?

BANKING, TRADE AND COMMERCE

STATE OF CANADIAN FINANCIAL SYSTEM—
COMMITTEE AUTHORIZED TO EXTEND DATE
OF PRESENTATION OF FINAL REPORT

Hon. B. Alasdair Graham (Deputy Leader of the

Government), for Senator Kirby, pursuant to notice of November 28, 1995, moved:

That, notwithstanding the order of reference adopted by the Senate on Wednesday, November 30, 1994, the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce, which was authorized to examine the present state of the financial system in Canada, be empowered to present its final report no later than Tuesday, December 10, 1996; and

That, notwithstanding usual practices, if the Senate is not sitting when an interim report of the Committee is completed, the Committee shall deposit its report with the Clerk of the Senate, and said report shall thereupon be deemed to have been tabled in the Chamber.

Motion agreed to.

The Senate adjourned until tomorrow at 2 p.m.