

the proponent of this particular bill that seems in the humble opinion of the Chair to run totally counter to the procedures in the way they are set out so clearly in the citation referred to by the honourable Parliamentary Secretary.

The fact of the matter is that the bill before us at the present time is a proposal to exempt or to except from the operation of the general law one person, namely Dr. Henry Morgentaler. I cannot by any stretch of the imagination be persuaded that this is the subject-matter of a public bill or that it is in any way the alteration of the general law. It is the alteration or the exception for one person of the application of the law, which seems crystal clear to me to be the subject-matter of a private Member's private bill and not a public bill.

The honourable Member put forward some very eloquent arguments about the urgency and the importance of the matter which would certainly go to the merits of the bill and would be part of the entreaty to other Members to support it. Procedurally I feel that despite every careful consideration of the honourable Member's very interesting arguments we are left with no other choice than to decide the matter is really a proper subject-matter not of a public bill but of a private bill.

Pursuant to Standing Order 39(4), the following Question was made an Order of the House for a Return:

No. 2,089—*Mr. Howie*

From January 1, 1974 to December 31, 1974 in the Department of Regional Economic Expansion (a) how many consultants were hired (b) what were the terms of reference, time and length of the work assignment (c) what amount was paid to each?—Sessional Paper No. 301-2/2,089.

Mr. Blais, Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Privy Council, presented,—Return to the foregoing Order.

The House resumed debate on the motion of Mr. Macdoanld (Rosedale), seconded by Mr. Sharp,—That Bill C-73, An Act to provide for the restraint of profit margins, prices, dividends and compensation in Canada, be now read a second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Finance, Trade and Economic Affairs.

And debate continuing;

[At 5.00 o'clock p.m., *Private Members' Business* was called pursuant to Standing Order 15(4)]

[*Notices of Motions (Papers)*]

Notices of Motions (Papers) Nos. 36, 34, 37 and 39 having been called were allowed to stand at the request of the government.

By unanimous consent, it was ordered,—That motions numbered 15 and 30 be debated successively and at 5.30 o'clock p.m. the question be put on each motion in succession.

The House resumed debate on the motion of Mr. Leggatt, seconded by Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre),—That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency praying that he will cause to be laid before this House a copy of all correspondence between the Minister of Justice and the Attorneys General and Ministers of Health of the provinces dealing with the subject of abortion and/or Section 251 of the Criminal Code of Canada.—(*Notice of Motion for the Production of Papers No. 15*).

And on the motion of Mr. Munro (Esquimalt-Saanich), seconded by Mr. McKinley,—That an Order of the House do issue for copies of the Area Programme Summaries for the years 1972-73, 1973-74 and 1974-75, covering such areas as Commonwealth Africa, South America, Francophone Africa, and any other area breakdowns for which Area Programmes have been prepared.—(*Notice of Motion for the Production of Papers No. 30*).

After further debate; at 5.30 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker interrupted the debate pursuant to Order made this day.

And the question being put on motion numbered 15, it was negatived on the following division:

(*Division No. 73*)

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Messrs.

Alexander	Halliday	McCleave
Alkenbrack	Hamilton	McGrath
Allard	(Qu'Appelle-Moose Mountain)	McKenzie
Andre	Hamilton	McKinley
(Calgary Centre)	(Swift Current-Maple Creek)	McKinnon
Baker	Hargrave	Mitges
(Grenville-Carleton)	Hnatyshyn	Muir
Baldwin	Huntington	Munro
Balfour	Jarvis	(Esquimalt-Saanich)
Bawden	Johnston	Murta
Beatty	Kempling	Neil
Beaudoin	Knowles	Nystrom
Brewin	(Winnipeg North Centre)	Oberle
Brisco	Knowles	Orlikow
Clark	(Rocky Mountain)	Paproski
(Rocky Mountain)	Clarke	Patterson
Clarke	(Vancouver Quadra)	Peters
(Vancouver Quadra)	Cossitt	Roche
Cossitt	Crouse	Saltsman
Crouse	Darling	Schellenberger
Darling	Dinsdale	Scott
Dinsdale	Dionne	Smith
Dionne	(Kamouraska)	(Churchill)
(Kamouraska)	Ellis	Stanfield
Ellis	Epp	Stevens
Epp	Fairweather	Symes
Fairweather	Firth	Towers
Firth	Fortin	Wagner
Fortin	Fraser	Wenman
Fraser	Friesen	Whiteway
Friesen	Gauthier	Whittaker
Gauthier	(Roberval)	Wise
(Roberval)	Gilbert	Woolliams
Gilbert	Graffey	Yewchuk—85.
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