

With leave of the Senate,
The Honourable Senator Croll moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Fergusson:

That a Special Committee of the Senate be appointed to investigate and report upon all aspects of poverty in Canada, whether urban, rural regional or otherwise, to define and elucidate the problem of poverty in Canada, and to recommend appropriate action to ensure the establishment of a more effective structure of remedial measures:

That the Committee have power to engage the services of such counsel, staff and technical advisors as may be necessary for the purpose of the inquiry;

That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records, to examine witnesses, and to report from time to time;

That the Committee be authorized to print such papers and evidence from day to day as may be ordered by the Committee, to adjourn from place to place, and notwithstanding Rule 76 (4), to sit during sittings and adjournments of the Senate;

That the evidence taken on the subject during the preceding session be referred to the Committee; and

That the Committee be composed of the Honourable Senators Bélisle, Carter, Connolly (*Halifax North*), Cook, Croll, Eudes, Everett, Fergusson, Fournier (*Madawaska-Restigouche*), Hastings Inman, Lefrançois, MacDonald (*Queens*), McGrand, Pearson, Quart, Roebuck and Sparrow.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the motion, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Croll:

That when the Senate adjourns today, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, 20th October, 1970, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The question being put on the motion, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

The Honourable Senator Martin, P.C., moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator McDonald,

That the Senate do now adjourn.

The question being put on the motion, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.