JOINT COMMITTEE

"By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Byrne, it was ordered—That the subject-matter of Notice of Motion No. 11 be referred to the Special Joint Committee on Divorce."

March 22, 1966:

"On motion of Mr. Pilon, seconded by Mr. McNulty, it was ordered—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House will unite with them in the formation of a Joint Committee of both Houses to inquire into and report upon divorce in Canada, and that the Members to serve on the said Committee, on the part of this House, will be as follows: Messrs. Aiken, Baldwin, Brewin, Cameron (*High Park*), Cantin, Choquette, Chrétien, Fairweather, Forest, Goyer, Honey, Laflamme, Langlois (*Mégantic*), MacEwan, Mandziuk, McCleave, McQuaid, Otto, Peters, Ryan, Stanbury, Trudeau, Wahn, and Woolliams."

LÉON-J. RAYMOND, Clerk of the House of Commons.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Senate:

March 23, 1966:

"Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Message from the House of Commons requesting the appointment of a Special Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Commons on Divorce.

The Honourable Senator Connolly, P.C., moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Roebuck:

That the Senate do unite with the House of Commons in the appointment of a Special Joint Committee of both Houses of Parliament to inquire into and report upon divorce in Canada and the social and legal problems relating thereto, and such matters as may be referred to it by either House;

That twelve Members of the Senate, to be designated at a later date, act on behalf of the Senate as members of the said Special Joint Committee;

That the Committee have power to engage the services of such technical, clerical and other personnel as may be necessary for the purpose of the inquiry;

That the Committee have the power to send for persons, papers and records, to examine witnesses, to report from time to time, and to print such papers and evidence from day to day as may be ordered by the Committee, and to sit during sittings and adjournments of the Senate; and

That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to inform that House accordingly.

After debate, and—

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

March 29, 1966:

"With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator Beaubien (*Provencher*) moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Inman: