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COMMITTEE ON SHIPPING AND TRANSPORTATION

Purpose

To consider matters relating to shipping and transportation arising out of the war.

Personnel

Minister of Transport (Convener), Minister of Trade and Commerce, Minister of Labour, Minister of National Defence.

Related Agencies Specially Established for War Purposes:

Canadian Shipping Board

Purpose

To provide for the restriction and control of voyages between ports outside of Canada or between ports in Canada and ports outside of Canada of British ships registered in Canada; to deal with applications for priority of shipping space; generally to assist in providing ocean transport for Canadian export trade.

Personnel

Major J. G. Parmelee, Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce (Chairman); The Director of Shipping; T. C. Lockwood, Transport Controller; H. L. Keenleyside, Department of External Affairs; R. K. Smith, Department of Transport; A. W. Merriam, Department of National Revenue; Commander J. A. Heenan, Department of National Defence; F. E. Bawden, Department of Trade and Commerce.

Transport Controller

Purpose

To deal with all applications for preference or priority of movement to be given to any class or classes of troops, naval forces, materials or supplies on behalf of any of the Allied Governments, or their agencies; and also to deal with such applications as may be made by private parties.

Personnel

T. C. Lockwood.

Statutory Bodies also Related to Work of Committee:

**Board of Transport Commissioners
National Harbours Board**

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COMMITTEE ON PRICE CONTROL AND LABOUR.

Purpose

To consider matters relating to the movement of wholesale and retail commodity prices; the distribution of consumer's goods; the cost of living; and labour relations.

Personnel

Minister of Labour (Convener), Minister of Trade and Commerce, Minister of National Revenue, Minister of Public Works, Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Fisheries.

Related Agency Specially Established for War Purposes:

Wartime Prices and Trade Board

Purpose

To provide safeguards under war conditions against any undue enhancement in the prices of food, fuel, and other necessities of life, and to ensure an adequate supply and equitable distribution of such commodities.

Personnel

H. B. McKinnon, Commissioner of Tariff, (Chairman); F. A. McGregor, Department of Labour; David Sim, Commissioner of Excise; C. B. Hebert, Tariff Board; A. M. Shaw, Department of Agriculture; K. W. Taylor, (Secretary).

Special Administrators under the Board: D. C. Dick, (Wool); S. R. Noble, (Sugar); Maurice Samson, (Hides and Leather); J. M. Stewart, (Coal).

Statutory Body also Related to Work of Committee:

Commissioner under Combines Investigation Act