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FILING OF OBJECTION TO REPORT OF COMMISSION FOR ONTARIO

Madam Speaker: It is my duty to inform the House that an objection signed by the Hon. Members for Kitchener (Mr. Lang), London-Middlesex (Mr. Bloomfield), Guelph (Mr. Schroder), Lac-Saint-Jean (Mr. Gimaïel), Cochrane-Superior (Mr. Penner), Thunder Bay-Nipigon (Mr. Masters), Red Deer (Mr. Towers), Calgary North (Mr. Wright), Ontario (Mr. Fennell), and Scarborough Centre (Mr. Kelly) has been filed with me pursuant to Section 20 of the Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act, Chapter E-2, R.S.C. 1970, to the Report of the Electoral Boundaries Commission for the Province of Ontario.

I would like to apologize to the Hon. Members who signed this objection since, through an administrative error, this objection was not announced to the House when it resumed its sitting on Monday. However, I am assured by the Hon. Member for Kitchener that these objections were filed within the time limit. Therefore, with the permission of the House, we will proceed with filing these objections. If the House agrees, I would suggest that we follow past practice and print the text of the objections as an appendix to this day's *Votes and Proceedings*.

Mr. Nielsen: Madam Speaker, I am afraid that in the hubbub that followed the Question Period and while you were making that statement from the Chair, I did not hear it all. With the permission of the House, you might provide me the courtesy of reading what you said and providing any necessary consent or observations tomorrow.

Madam Speaker: These are objections signed by the Hon. Members for Kitchener, London-Middlesex, Guelph, Lac-Saint-Jean, Cochrane-Superior, Thunder Bay-Nipigon, Red Deer, Calgary North, Ontario and Scarborough Centre. They have been filed with me pursuant to Section 20 of the Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act, Chapter E-2, R.S.C. 1970 to the Report of the Electoral Boundaries Commission for the Province of Ontario.

I apologized to Hon. Members because these objections were not tabled in the House on the day that the House resumed its sitting. Apparently the objection was filed with the Clerk or with the Table, but for some reason that document was not seen by anyone. We were, therefore, not aware on the first day of the sitting that we had this particular document in our hands. The Hon. Member for Kitchener inquired about these objections. Upon research, we found the document.

The Hon. Member for Kitchener tells us that the document was filed on June 30. Therefore, as is customary, we take his word for that. I have therefore asked the House if I may file these objections and print the text in today's *Votes and Proceedings*.

Mr. Nielsen: Madam Speaker, I have not seen them. Permit me the courtesy of having a look at them and providing a response tomorrow.

Madam Speaker: As the Hon. Member wants.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION

TABLING OF MEMBERSHIP OF CABINET COMMITTEES

Hon. Yvon Pinard (President of the Privy Council): Madam Speaker, under Standing Order 46(2), I would like to table the membership list for Cabinet committees. In accordance with recent practice, I also ask that this document be printed as an appendix to today's *Hansard*.

Madam Speaker: Shall we have this list of Cabinet committees appended to today's *Hansard*?

Mr. Baker (Nepean-Carleton): Madam Speaker, may I ask the President of the Privy Council (Mr. Pinard) whether there have been any changes as a result of Cabinet changes in the names of acting Ministers and second acting Ministers? If so, will the Minister be tabling that in the House of Commons?

Mr. Pinard: Madam Speaker, there have been changes in acting Ministers.

[Translation]

If I am not mistaken, we tabled the list in the House a few days ago. I will check. However, if we did not, I can give the Hon. Member the assurance that the list will be tabled as soon as possible. I think the list was tabled, however. I remember seeing it, and it did contain a number of changes.

[English]

Madam Speaker: Does the House agree?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

Madam Speaker: It is so ordered.

[Editor's Note: For above document see Appendix A.]

Mr. Paproski: Madam Speaker, I would like to ask the President of the Privy Council a question. Can the Minister please advise the House what Minister is in charge of the new sports pool, not Loto Canada or Super Loto but the new sports pool that we passed just before the recess?

Mr. Pinard: If the Hon. Member has a question on this subject, the new Minister of State for Fitness and Amateur Sport (Mrs. Hervieux-Payette) will be pleased to answer it.

Mr. Paproski: Is she in charge of the pool?