West Coast Ports Operations Act

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Madam Speaker: Motion agreed to, bill read the second time and the House went into committee thereon, Mr. Blaker in the chair.

• (1750)

[English]

The Deputy Chairman: Order. House in Committee of the Whole on Bill C-137, to provide for the resumption and continuation of longshoring and related operations at ports on the west coast of Canada.

Shall Clause 2 carry?

Some Hon. Members: Carried.

Clause 2 agreed to.

Mr. Nielsen: Mr. Chairman, I rise on a point of order. I believe that the Government has an amendment. I am not too sure whether it applies to Clause 2 or a later clause.

Mr. Blais: Mr. Chairman, I rise on a point of order. I have a motion to propose to amend Clause 6 of the Bill.

The Deputy Chairman: I thank the Minister for advising the Chair of his proposed motion. I had understood that possibly other amendments may be coming shortly.

Shall Clause 3 carry?

On Clause 3—Resumption of operations and work.

Mr. Nielsen: Mr. Chairman, we have no objection to Clause 3 carrying, but we do have an amendment to Subclause (2), paragraph (b) which is consequential on an amendment that we have to Clause 4. I would ask the indulgence of the Committee to stand Clause 3(2)(b) until after the Committee has dealt with our substantive amendment to Clause 4.

• (1800)

The Deputy Chairman: If the House is agreeable, we will stand Clause 3 until consideration of the amendment under Clause 4. That will achieve the same effect as the Hon. Member suggested.

Clause 3 stood.

On Clause 4-

Mr. Crombie: Mr. Chairman, in Clause 4 I have a motion to propose which would involve, as my friend says, a consequential amendment to Clause 3 and perhaps to Clause 5 as well. The amendment I propose with respect to Clause 4 reads as follows:

That Bill C-137, an Act to provide for the resumption and continuation of longshoring and related operations at ports on the west coast of Canada, be amended by deleting Clause 4 thereof and substituting the following therefor:

- 4 (1) The Minister of Labour shall, after the coming into force of the Act,
- (a) within 14 days appoint an arbitration board consisting of three members, of which Business, Labour and Government would each nominate one member, and refer to that Board the further extension of the term of the collective agreement to which this Act applies to include the period referred to in subsection 2(a) and all the matters relating to the amendment of the collective agreement that in the opinion of the arbitration board, at the time of its appointment, are in dispute between the employers association and the union; and
- (b) provide for the form in which the decision of the arbitration board in respect of all matters referred to it shall be set forth.