

FEDERAL-PROVINCIAL FISCAL ARRANGEMENTS ACT

NOTICE OF ALLOCATION OF TIME TO CONSIDER THIRD READING STAGE OF BILL C-96

Hon. Elmer M. MacKay (Minister of National Revenue): Mr. Speaker, I wish to inform the House that there have been consultations among the representatives of the Parties in this House and that it has not been possible to reach an agreement pursuant to Standing Orders 115 or 116 with regard to the allocation of time on the third reading stage of Bill C-96, an Act to amend the Federal-Provincial Fiscal Arrangements and Federal Post-secondary Education and Health Contributions Act, 1977. Therefore, at the next sitting of the House it is my intention to propose the following motion pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 117:

That, in relation to Bill C-96, an Act to amend the Federal-Provincial Fiscal Arrangements and Federal Post-secondary Education and Health Contributions Act one sitting day be allotted to the third reading stage of the said Bill; and

That fifteen minutes before the expiry of the time provided for the consideration of government business on the above-mentioned sitting day, any proceedings then before the House shall be interrupted, if necessary, for the purpose of this Order, and, in turn, every question necessary to dispose of the said stage of the said Bill shall be put forthwith and successively, without further debate or amendment.

Some Hon. Members: Shame, shame!

Mr. Fulton: It's not acceptable.

Mr. Lewis: Yes, it is.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): It is a notice and the Minister can move it at any time.

Mr. Fulton: He can?

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): Yes. The Hon. Member for Skeena (Mr. Fulton), who has been around here for a long time, and also the Hon. Member for Regina West (Mr. Benjamin)—does he have a point of order?

Mr. Benjamin: Mr. Speaker, is it permitted under the rules to ask any questions with regard to this proposal?

Some Hon. Members: No.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): I regret to say that the Hon. Member should know very well that that is not permitted. The Hon. Member for Regina West has been here since 1968 and he should know the rules.

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PAROLE ACT AND PENITENTIARY ACT

MEASURE TO AMEND

The House resumed consideration of Bill C-67, an Act to amend the Parole Act and the Penitentiary Act, as reported

Federal-Provincial Fiscal Arrangements Act

(with amendments) from the legislative committee: and the amendment of Mr. Robinson.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): Is the House ready for the question?

Some Hon. Members: Question.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): The question is on Motion No. 13 standing in the name of the Hon. Member for Burnaby (Mr. Robinson). Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the motion?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

Some Hon. Members: No.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): All those in favour of the motion will please say yea.

Some Hon. Members: Yea.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): All those opposed to the motion will please say nay.

Some Hon. Members: Nay.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): In my opinion, the nays have it. I declare the motion lost.

Motion No. 13 negatived.

Hon. Elmer M. MacKay (for the Solicitor General) moved:
Motion No. 13A

That Bill C-67, be amended in Clause 5 by adding immediately after line 16 at page 8 the following:

“(4.1) For the purpose of determining the order to be made in respect of an inmate pursuant to subsection (4), the Board shall take into consideration any factor that is relevant to the case of the inmate and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing,

- (a) a pattern of persistent violent behaviour established on the basis of any evidence and, in particular,
 - (i) the number of offences committed by the inmate causing physical or psychological harm,
 - (ii) the seriousness of the offence for which the sentence imposed is then being served,
 - (iii) reliable information demonstrating that the inmate has had difficulties controlling violent impulses to the point of endangering the safety of any other person,
 - (iv) the use of weapons in the commission by the inmate of any offence,
 - (v) explicit threats of violence,
 - (vi) behaviour of a brutal nature associated with commission of any offence by the inmate, and
 - (vii) a substantial degree of indifference on the part of the inmate as to the reasonably foreseeable consequences to other persons of the behaviour of the inmate;
- (b) psychiatric or psychological evidence that the physical or mental illness or disorder of the inmate is of such a nature that the inmate is likely to commit, prior to the expiration according to law of the sentence the inmate is then serving, an offence causing the death of or serious harm to another person;
- (c) reliable information the existence of which compels reaching the conclusion that the inmate is planning to commit, prior to the expiration