

Hon. Paul Martin: Honourable senators, this order is standing in my name. I had already spoken to the part that was initiated by Senator Fergusson. I would normally have suggested that perhaps the matter should be taken off the Order Paper now. But I suppose it would be better not to do that until Senator Casgrain is in her place. For that reason, I ask that this matter stand until Tuesday next.

BUSINESS OF THE SENATE

Hon. Paul Martin: Honourable senators, there are several other items that we had hoped to be able to

proceed with today. Information is being sought in respect of one of them by an honourable senator. As is well known, many honourable senators are attending the meetings in Quebec of the Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Commons on the Constitution of Canada. This explains why two other items are not being dealt with today.

The Senate adjourned until Tuesday, April 27, at 8 p.m.
