

HOUSE OF COMMONS

Monday, December 14, 1987

The House met at 11 a.m.

Prayers

ROUTINE PROCEEDING

[English]

INUIVALUIT REGIONAL CORPORATION

TABLING OF AGREEMENTS BETWEEN INUIVALUIT ON THE
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

Hon. Doug Lewis (Minister of State and Minister of State (Treasury Board)): Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 67(2), I am pleased to table, in both official languages, the following documents:

(A) an amending agreement between the Inuvialuit Regional Corporation, representing the Inuvialuit and the Government of Canada, approved by Order in Council PC 1985-1144 to permit the Petroleum Incentives Program (PIP) to apply to Inuvialuit lands;

(B) an amending agreement between the Inuvialuit Regional Corporation, representing the Inuvialuit and the Government of Canada, approved by Order in Council PC 1987-26, which comprises of housekeeping amendments;

(C) an amending agreement between the Inuvialuit Regional Corporation, representing the Inuvialuit and the Government of Canada as represented by the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development dated April 11, 1987 to provide a single efficient process whereby Canada consents to amendments to the Inuvialuit final agreement.

The appropriate legislation to enforce these agreements will be introduced in the very near future.

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TRANSPORT

PRESENTATION OF THIRD REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Mr. Pat Nowlan (Annapolis Valley—Hants): Mr. Speaker, I have the honour to present, in both official languages, the

third report of the Standing Committee on Transport to which, pursuant to Standing Order 99(2), the committee requests a comprehensive response.

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FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CUSTOMS ORDERS VALIDATION ACTS

MEASURE TO ENACT

The Hon. George Hees (for the Minister of National Revenue) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-96, an Act to validate certain customs duty orders relating to fresh fruit and vegetables.

Mr. Speaker: Is it the pleasure of the House that the Hon. Minister shall have leave to introduce the Bill?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion agreed to, Bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Speaker: When shall the Bill be read a second time?

Hon. Doug Lewis (Minister of State and Minister of State (Treasury Board)): Mr. Speaker, I think you would find consent to proceed with this Bill later this day rather than at the next sitting of the House.

The same comment would also apply to the Bill on the Order Paper in the name of the Minister of Labour (Mr. Cadieux), entitled an Act to amend an Act respecting the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Co., Limited, and also to the Bill on the Order Paper in the name of the Minister of Labour, entitled an Act to amend the Canada Labour Code.

Mr. Speaker: The Hon. Minister of State has asked the Chair to seek the consent of the House that the Bill entitled an Act to validate certain customs duty orders relating to fresh fruits and vegetables be read the second time, rather than at the next sitting of the House, later this day. Is there consent?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. Speaker: I will deal with the other applications for consent as we get to each Bill.