External Affairs and National Defence

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

## EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AND NATIONAL DEFENCE

AUTHORIZATION FOR COMMITTEE TO EXAMINE CANADA'S PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL PEACEKEEPING

Mr. Marcel Prud'homme (Saint-Denis): The motion reads:

That the Standing Committee on External Affairs and National Defence be empowered to examine all aspects of Canada's participation in international peacekeeping, present and anticipated, and report to the House not later than May 15, 1984.

Mr. Nielsen: We have no problem with that motion, Mr. Speaker. I understand that the purpose for moving it now is so that the machinery can be put in place in anticipation of the work of the Standing Committee to carry out this reference. The Hon. Member for the Government will undoubtedly be

putting a similar reference when we come back after prorogation, at which time we will have to consider its form and see how we deal with it at that time.

Mr. Young: Mr. Speaker, that meets with our agreement also. It is in line with the discussion which I understand took place between the three House Leaders.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Agreed?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: I declare the motion carried.

Motion agreed to.

It being 7.06 p.m. this House now stands adjourned until tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock, pursuant to Standing Order 2(1).

At 7.06 p.m. the House adjourned, without question put, pursuant to Standing Order.