

Minutes of Proceedings

Order of Reference

Tuesday, February 6, 1973.

(1)

Pursuant to adjournment and notice the Standing Committee on National Finance met this day at 10.00 a.m. to consider the Supplementary Estimates (A) laid before Parliament for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1973.

Present: The Honourable Senators Grosart (Deputy Chairman), Carter, Flynn, Giguère, Laird, Langlois, Phillips, Prowse and Rowe. (9)

Present but not of the Committee: The Honourable Senators Argue, Hays, Gélinas and Molgat. (4)

The Honourable Senator Carter moved that unless and until otherwise ordered by the Committee, 800 copies in English and 300 copies in French of its day-to-day proceedings be printed.

WITNESSES:

From the Treasury Board:

- The Honourable C. M. Drury, President;
- Mr. A. Kroeger, Deputy Secretary; and
- Mr. B. A. MacDonald, Assistant Deputy Secretary, (Program Branch).

The Treasury Board undertook to furnish answers to several questions on the Supplementary Estimates (A), 1973, at the earliest possible time.

It was *agreed* to print as Appendix "A" to the Report the explanation of certain one-dollar items contained in the said Supplementary Estimates.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Phillips, it was *agreed* that the drafting of the Report be left in the hands of the Deputy Chairman and the Honourable Senator Molgat and presented to the Senate at the earliest opportunity.

At 1.00 p.m. the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

ATTEST:

Gérard Lemire,
Clerk of the Committee.