

Speaking in committee

(6) A senator desiring to speak shall address the Chair.

Special procedures

(7) Except as provided in these rules, a select committee shall not, without the approval of the Senate, adopt any special procedure or practice that is inconsistent with the practices and usages of the Senate itself.

Report from select committee

78. (1) A report from a select committee shall be presented by the chairman of the committee or by a senator designated by the chairman.

No debate

(2) A report presented to the Senate shall be received without debate.

Report for information only

(3) A report which by its own terms is for the information only of the Senate shall be laid on the Table but may on motion be placed on the Orders of the Day for future consideration.

Reporting bill without amendment

(4) When a committee reports a bill without amendment, such report shall stand adopted without any motion, and the senator in charge of the bill shall move that it be read a third time on a future day.

Reporting bill with amendments

(5) When the report recommends amendments to a bill, or makes proposals that require implementation by the Senate, consideration of the report shall not be moved unless notice has been given pursuant to Rule 44(1)(e) or Rule 45(1)(f), as the case may be.

Bill must be reported

79. The committee to which a bill has been referred shall report the bill to the Senate. When any amendment to the bill has been recommended by the committee, such amendment shall be stated in the report.

Explanation of amendments

80. On every report of amendments to a bill made from a committee, the senator presenting the report shall explain to the Senate the basis for and the effect of each amendment.