Minutes of Proceedings

Thursday, November 13, 1975 (78)

Pursuant to adjournment and notice the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce met this day at 2:30 p.m.

SUBJECT: Bill C-2—"An Act to amend the Combines Investigation Act and The Bank Act and to Repeal an Act to amend an Act to amend the Combines Investigation Act and the Criminal Code".

Present: The Honourable Senators Hayden (Chairman), Beaubien, Connolly (Ottawa West), Cook, Desruisseaux, Flynn, Laird, Lang, Macnaughton, Molson and Walker. (11)

Present, not of the Committee: The Honourable Senators Benidickson, Denis and Lawson. (3)

In Attendance: Messrs. R. J. Cowling and J. F. Lewis, Advisors to the Committee.

WITNESSES:

Dept. of Consumer and Corporate Affairs:

The Hon. André Ouellet, P.C., Minister; and

Mr. Robert J. Bertrand, Assistant Deputy Minister and Director of Investigation and Research.

The Committee, together with the witnesses, proceeded to the discussion of the said Bill as passed by the House of Commons.

Following the discussion, it was Agreed that Mr. Ouellet appear again Wednesday next, November 26, 1975, at 9:30 a m

At $4:00\ p.m.$, the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

ATTEST:

Frank A. Jackson, Clerk of the Committee.