

## PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Clerk of the Senate had received a Certificate from the Registrar General of Canada showing that Ann Elizabeth Haddon Heath had been summoned to the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that there was a Senator without, waiting to be introduced.

The Honourable Senator Heath was introduced between the Honourable Senator Martin, P.C., and the Honourable Senator Nichol, and having presented Her Majesty's Writ of Summons it was read by the Clerk Assistant, as follows:—

## CANADA

ROLAND MICHENER  
(G.S.)

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories QUEEN, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

## TO

Our Trusty and Well-beloved  
ANN ELIZABETH HADDON HEATH,  
of the city of Nanaimo, in the Province of  
British Columbia,

## GREETING:

KNOW YOU, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Canada; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Canada at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Canada convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Counsellor, Roland Michener, Chancellor and Principal Companion of Our Order of Canada upon whom We have conferred Our Canadian Forces' Decoration, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, this seventh day of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy and in the nineteenth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND,

RON BASFORD,  
*Registrar General of Canada.*

Ordered, That the Writ be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Heath came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took her seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Heath had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of her by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the said Declaration.

The Honourable Senator Martin, P.C., laid on the Table the following:—

Report of Expenditures and Administration in connection with the *Unemployment Assistance Act* for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1970, pursuant to section 9 of the said Act, Chapter 26, Statutes of Canada, 1956.

Report on the Quinquennial Actuarial Examination of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (Dependants) Pension Fund as at March 31, 1969, under Part IV of the *Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act*, pursuant to sections 89 (3) and 90 of the said Act, Chapter 241, R.S.C., 1952.

Copies of an Agreement between the Government and oil companies operating on Banks Island, Northwest Territories, executed at Calgary, Alberta, September 1970.

Copies of a press release, dated October 21, 1970, by the Minister of Justice and Attorney General of the Province of Quebec concerning persons held under the provisions of the Order in Council passed under the *War Measures Act*. (French text).

Report of the Department of National Revenue containing Statements relative to Customs-Excise Revenue and Other Services by Ports; Excise and Income of Canada, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1970, pursuant to section 5 of the *Department of National Revenue Act*, Chapter 75, R.S.C., 1952.

The Honourable Senator Hayden, from the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce, tabled the following Report:—

Tuesday, October 27, 1970.

The Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce, which was authorized by the Senate on 19th November, 1969, to examine and report upon the White Paper entitled: "Proposals for Tax Reform", reports, pursuant to Rule 84, that the expenses incurred by the Committee in its examination of and report upon the said White Paper to the end of the 2nd Session of the 28th Parliament are as follows: