

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 9th August, 1956

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### INQUIRY

For Friday, 10th August, 1956.

By the Honourable Senator Fergusson:

8th August—That she will inquire of the Government:—

1. Has the Government done anything to determine whether or not the Provinces are in favour of ratification of the United Nations Convention on the Political Rights of Women?

2. (a) Has there been any approach made by the Government to any Provincial Government regarding the U.N. Convention on the Political Rights of Women?

(b) If so, what was the response?

3. (a) If no steps have been taken by the Government, has there been any approach or enquiry regarding the U.N. Convention on the Political Rights of Women made to the Government by any of the Provincial Governments?

(b) If so, which Provinces made such approach or enquiry?

4. If nothing has been done by either the Government or any Provincial Governments toward securing the approval of ratification of this Convention by the Provinces, does the Government propose to pursue the matter?

### MOTION

For Thursday, 9th August, 1956.

By the Honourable Senator Macdonald, P.C.:

24th July—Resolved,—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve the International Wheat Agreement opened for signature at Washington on May 14, 1956, and that this House do approve the same.