

been first recommended to the House by a message for the Governor General, that is, a royal recommendation.

Mr. Allmand: Mr. Speaker, on the same point of order. I think that I should have had the opportunity in the first place to move the first reading of the bill as you called it on the Order Paper.

I would so move first reading of Senate Public Bill S-12.

In response to the minister's statement, if you wish to hear argument, there is considerable argument that the Senate, as the House of Lords in England, can introduce such bills. They were in fact introduced under previous Conservative governments under the government of the right hon. member for Yellowhead. The hon. Senator Flynn introduced a similar type of bill and in the 1920s when the Meighen government was in power similar bills were introduced.

We put to the House Bill S-12 as sent to this House by the Senate which will extend the variable entrance requirements for unemployment insurance in high unemployment regions.

Mr. Speaker: The hon. member for Notre-Dame-de-Grace has made a point of order. I shall proceed with that, of course. The Speaker is in a position where I recognized the Minister of Justice who made a statement, not an argument.

I now must put the motion by the member for Notre-Dame-de-Grace to the House.

* * *

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT

MEASURE TO AMEND

Hon. Warren Allmand (Notre-Dame-de-Grâce) moved that Bill S-12, to amend the Unemployment Insurance Act, be read the first time.

Mr. Speaker: Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the motion?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

Mr. Speaker: All those in favour of the motion will please say yea.

Some hon. Members: Yea.

Mr. Speaker: All those opposed will please say nay.

Some hon. Members: Nay.

Routine Proceedings

Mr. Speaker: In my opinion, the nays have it.

And more than five members having risen:

Call in the members.

The House divided on the motion, which was negatived on the following division:

(Division No. 166)

YEAS

Members

Allmand	Anawak
Angus	Assad
Axworthy (Saskatoon—Clark's Crossing)	Axworthy (Winnipeg South Centre)
Baker	Bélair
Bellemare	Berger
Bevilacqua	Black
Blaikie	Boudria
Butland	Campbell (South West Nova)
Catterall	Clancy
Crawford	de Jong
Duhamel	Ferguson
Finestone	Fisher
Flis	Fontana
Foster	Fulton
Gaffney	Gagliano
Gauthier	Gray (Windsor West)
Grey (Beaver River)	Harb
Harvard	Harvey (Edmonton East)
Heap	Hopkins
Hovdebo	Hunter
Jordan	Kaplan
Keyes	Kilger (Stormont—Dundas)
Kristiansen	Langan (Mission—Coquitlam)
Langdon (Essex—Windsor)	Laporte
LeBlanc (Cape Breton Highlands—Canso)	Lee
MacDonald (Dartmouth)	MacLaren
MacWilliam	Manley
Marleau	Martin (Lasalle—Émard)
McCurdy	Mifflin
Milliken	Murphy
Nault	Nystrom
Pagtakhan	Parker
Peterson	Phinney
Proud	Prud'homme
Rideout	Riis
Robichaud	Rodriguez
Samson	Simmons
Skelly (Comox—Alberni)	Speller
Stewart	Stupich
Taylor	Tobin
Vanclief	Volpe
Walker	Wappel
Whittaker	Wood
Young (Gloucester)—87	

NAYS

Members

Anderson	Andre
Atkinson	Attewell
Beatty	Belsher
Bernier	Bird
Bjornson	Blackburn (Jonquière)
Blenkarn	Bouchard (Roberval)
Bourgault	Boyer
Brightwell	Browes
Cadieux	Campbell (Vancouver Centre)
Cardiff	Casey
Chadwick	Champagne (Champlain)
Chartrand	Clark (Yellowhead)
Clark (Brandon—Souris)	Clifford