ORDER OF REFERENCE

EXTRACT from the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Senate, Wednesday, July 2, 1947.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the Motion by the Honourable Senator McDonald (Kings):

That, in view of the recent discoveries of high-grade phosphate rock in the Saguenay area in the province of Quebec, and of good quality potash in the province of Saskatchewan, the Dominion and Provincial governments confer with a view to taking prompt action to have mines developed in order to make available to our farmers, at fair prices, these high-grade chemicals, which are necessary in building up soils, and in the production of maximum crops, so that Canada may be self-sufficient so far as requirements of chemical fertilizers are concerned.

After further debate, and— On Motion, it was—

Ordered, that the subject matter of the said Motion be referred to the Standing Committee on Natural Resources.

L. C. MOYER,

Clerk of the Senate.