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White (Fraser Valley West)

[Translation]

The parliamentary secretary to the Leader of the government in the House has the floor regarding clause 2.

Mr. Peter Milliken (Parliamentary Secretary to Leader of the Government in the House of Commons, Lib.): Mr. Chairman, some discussions took place between the different parties in this House.

[English]

Mr. Chairman, I think you will find there is unanimous consent if such is required, but you will find there is general consent in the committee to have the amendments put by members of the opposition. I do not believe there are any government amendments to the bill, although there may be some, as the hon. member for Calgary Southwest is keen on saying.

The opposition may wish to move amendments and there would be a disposition to allow all of those amendments to be put, notwithstanding which clause they may be on. Then the discussion could range over all of the clauses and all of the amendments while being nominally on clause 2.

At the end of the discussion I think you would find a disposition to put the question in order on all of the clauses, the amendments appropriately placed for each clause, the title and the preamble, or whatever there may be to put questions on at the end of the bill. I would invite the Chairman to do that if that is satisfactory. I think you will find general consent.

[Translation]

The Chairman: Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. members: Agreed.

The Chairman: We received 11 amending clauses and I believe all of them are in order.

The chief opposition whip has the floor regarding clause 2.

On Clause 2

Mr. Gilles Duceppe (Laurier—Sainte-Marie, BQ): Mr. Chairman, I will table a series of eight amendments supported by the hon. member for Kamouraska—Rivière-du-Loup, and I will read each of them.

The first amendment reads:

That Bill C-74, in Clause 2, be amended by deleting, in lines 18 and 19, on page 1, the word "arbitrator".

The second amendment reads:

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The Deputy Speaker: I declare the motion carried.

(Motion agreed to, bill read the second time and the House went in committee thereon, Mr. Kilgour in the chair.)

[English]

The Chairman: Order. House in committee of the whole on Bill C-74, an act respecting the supervision of longshoring and related operations at west coast ports.