

Your Committee commends the above reports to the House.

A copy of the relevant Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence (*Issues Nos. 23 and 24*) is tabled.

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*(The Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence accompanying the said Report recorded as Appendix No. 76 to the Journals).*

Mr. Duquet, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills and Standing Orders, presented the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read as follows:

Pursuant to its Order of Reference of May 1, 1969, your Committee has considered the petitions for Private Bills of the following;

1. The Canada North-west Land Company (Limited),
2. Nova Scotia Savings & Loan Company,
3. Canadian Pacific Railway Company,
4. Thomas Ledwell Doyle, of the City of Moncton, New Brunswick and six other persons, praying for the passing of an Act incorporating "Atlantic Mutual Life Assurance Company" and, in French, "*La Compagnie mutuelle d'assurance-vie Atlantique*",

filed after the time specified in Standing Order 90, together with the Reports of the Clerk of Petitions thereon tabled on April 25, 1969 and on May 1, 1969, respectively.

The Parliamentary Agents of the different petitioners stated that the delay beyond the time specified by Standing Order 90 was occasioned, in part, by factors beyond the control of their clients. Nevertheless, they declared that it is essential that the proposed legislations be allowed to proceed during the present session of Parliament. They therefore respectfully asked that these petitions be received.

After hearing the reasons given for late-filing of these petitions, the Committee recommends that Standing Order 90 be suspended, in relation thereto, and that these petitions be received. The consequent charges as provided for by Standing Order 91(3) (a) and (c) amount to \$300. in each case.

The petitions referred to above, together with the reports of the Clerk of Petitions related thereto, are returned herewith.

A copy of the relevant Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence (*Issue No. 3*) is tabled.

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*(The Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence accompanying the said Report recorded as Appendix No. 77 to the Journals).*

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Duquet, seconded by Mr. Caccia, the said Report was concurred in.

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Olson, seconded by Mr. MacEachen, it was ordered,—That the Standing Committee on Regional Development be granted leave to adjourn from place to place within Canada for the