

The Chairman opened the meeting and read the Orders of Reference dated January 30, 1967 and July 13, 1966 respectively.

The Committee discussed the question of visits to Indian communities. The Minister offered suggestions regarding such visits.

On motion of Mr. Baldwin, seconded unanimously,

Resolved,—That the Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure, after discussion with departmental officials, immediately establish several subcommittees to visit areas which are regionally distinct and representative and which require urgent consideration; and then report back to the Main Committee.

On motion of Mr. Prud'homme, seconded unanimously,

Resolved,—That arrangements be made by the Subcommittee and Agenda and Procedure for a subcommittee to visit the Indian communities at Caughnawaga and St. Regis on the 13th or 14th of February 1967.

Mr. Bell answered questions and agreed to supply the Committee with certain details concerning the planned visits.

At 2:05 p.m., the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chair.

Fernand Despatie,
Clerk of the Committee.

TUESDAY, February 7, 1967

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