

## NEW STANDING ORDER 57A

Leaving  
Chair on  
certain  
days.

(1) On Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, when the order of the day is called for the House to go into Committee of Supply, Mr. Speaker shall leave the Chair without question put, provided that, except by the unanimous consent of the House, the estimates of each department shall be first taken up on a Monday or a Tuesday.

Six  
motions  
on  
Monday.

(2) On the first six occasions in any session upon which an order for Supply is called for the purpose of moving, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair", it must stand as the first order of the day on a Monday. If a debate on any of the said six motions be not concluded on Monday, the order for the resumption of that debate shall be set down as the first order of the day for the next Tuesday sitting.

Appointed  
days.

(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of standing order 15 (3), a Minister of the Crown may request at a prior sitting that any Monday after an Address has been agreed to, in answer to His Excellency's speech, be appointed for the consideration of the order for Supply and, thereupon, the said Monday shall be deemed to have been so appointed.

Debate  
on motion.

(4) (a) No debate on any motion "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" for the House to go into Committee of Supply and on any amendments proposed thereto, except as hereinafter provided, shall exceed two sitting days.

Unused  
time.

(b) Should a debate on any of the first five of the said six motions be concluded before the expiry of the two sitting days allowed for each debate, the unused time may be added in whole or in part to the two-day allowance for debate on the next or on any subsequent one of the said six motions to go into Supply.

Debate  
not con-  
cluded on  
Tuesday.

(c) When a debate on any of the said six motions is not concluded on a Tuesday because unused time in a former debate has been carried forward, the provisions of section (1) of this standing order shall be suspended and the order for the resumption of any such debate may be called on any government day.