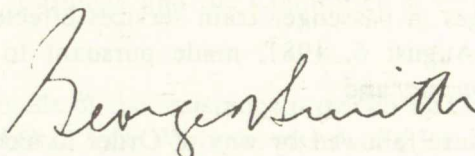


REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE

Tuesday, July 6, 1982

The Standing Senate Committee on Transport and Communications which was authorized to enquire and report upon the national rail passenger service provided to Canadians by VIA Rail Canada Inc., has, in obedience to its Order of Reference of 28 October 1981 proceeded to that inquiry and now presents its Interim Report entitled: "Interim Report on Passenger Rail Service provided by VIA Rail Canada Inc."

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "George I. Smith".

GEORGE I. SMITH,
Chairman.