

Tuesday, June 18, 1991

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

The Hon. *P. A. Dueck* (Minister of Advanced Education, Training and Technology) made a ministerial statement relating to the awarding of the Grawemeyer Award to Professor Kieran Egan of Simon Fraser University.

Mr. *Jones* made a statement.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Committee to sit again later today.

On the motion of the Hon. *W. B. Strachan* that the House adjourn for five minutes, a debate arose.

The House continued to sit after six o'clock p.m.

Motion agreed to, on division.

SIX SEVENTEEN O'CLOCK P.M.

Bill (No. 11) intituled *Adoption Amendment Act, 1991* was committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 6) intituled *Pension Benefits Standards Act* was read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Bill (No. 2) intituled *Land Title Amendment Act, 1991* was committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 7) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1991* was committed, reported complete with amendment, and by leave read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 10) intituled *Crown Counsel Act* was committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed.

The Hon. *C. H. Richmond* advised that the House will sit Wednesday, pursuant to Standing Order 2 (2).

And then the House adjourned at 9.59 p.m.

Wednesday, June 19, 1991

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Mr. *Vander Zalm*.

The Hon. *D. Parker* (Minister of Lands and Parks) tabled the Annual Report of the Ministry of Crown Lands for the period April 1, 1989 to March 31, 1990.

The Hon. *L. Hanson* (Minister of Transportation and Highways) tabled the Consolidated Financial Statements for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1990 of British Columbia Railway.

The Hon. *R. G. Fraser* (Attorney General) made a ministerial statement relating to the circumstances surrounding the dismissal of the Attorney General's Executive Assistant.

Mr. *Sihota* made a statement.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

The House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders and Government Motions on Notice."

Bill (No. 5) intituled *Range Amendment Act, 1991* was read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

And then the House adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

Thursday, June 20, 1991

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by Mr. *Blencoe*.

The Deputy Clerk of the House informed the House of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker, whereupon Mr. *Pelton*, Deputy Speaker, took the Chair, pursuant to Standing Order 12.

Mr. *Blencoe* asked leave, pursuant to Standing Order 35, to move adjournment of the House to discuss a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, the lack of a vehicle ferry between Victoria and Seattle.

Mr. Speaker stated he would take the matter under advisement.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, it was *Ordered* that leave be given for the Select Standing Committee on Labour and Justice to meet today while the House is in session.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$360,045 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1992.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$3,674,226,790 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Ministry Operations, to 31st March 1992.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,725,684,165 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Medical Services Commission and Pharmacare, to 31st March 1992.

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The Committee reported the Resolutions.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

The Chairman further reported that in consideration of Vote 38 (Ministry of Health), the Hon. *C. H. Richmond* moved that the question be now put.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

YEAS—34

<i>Long</i>	<i>Couvelier</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Messmer</i>	<i>Crandall</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Johnston</i>	<i>Ree</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>S. Hagen</i>	<i>Chalmers</i>	<i>Bruce</i>
<i>Loenen</i>	<i>Veitch</i>		

NAYS—15

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Miller</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>Boone</i>
<i>Jones</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Clark</i>	

The Chairman further reported that in consideration of Vote 38, the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—34

<i>Long</i>	<i>Couvelier</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Messmer</i>	<i>Crandall</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Johnston</i>	<i>Ree</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>S. Hagen</i>	<i>Chalmers</i>	<i>Bruce</i>
<i>Loenen</i>	<i>Veitch</i>		

NAYS—14

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Miller</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Cashore</i>	<i>Boone</i>
<i>Jones</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Lovick</i>		

And then the House adjourned at 12 o'clock noon.

Thursday, June 20, 1991

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

The Hon. *J. Savage* presented a petition relating to Burns Bog.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

Mr. *Davidson* gave notice of his intention to raise a matter of privilege.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

The House continued to sit after six o'clock p.m.

The House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders and Government Motions on Notice."

Bill (No. 5) intituled *Range Amendment Act, 1991* was committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 6) intituled *Pension Benefits Standards Act* was committed, reported complete with amendment, and by leave, read a third time and passed.

The Chairman further reported that in consideration of a proposed amendment to section 2 of Bill (No. 6), the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—12

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Miller</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Jones</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Marzari</i>

NAYS—27

<i>Long</i>	<i>Pelton</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Chalmers</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Messmer</i>	<i>Crandall</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>J. Jansen</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Ree</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Loenen</i>	<i>S. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	

Sections 22 and 78 of Bill (No. 6) passed, on division.

And then the House adjourned at 9.55 p.m.

Friday, June 21, 1991

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by the Hon. *H. Dirks*.

The Deputy Clerk of the House informed the House of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker, whereupon Mr. *Pelton*, Deputy Speaker, took the Chair, pursuant to Standing Order 12.

The Hon. *L. Hanson* (Minister of Transportation and Highways) tabled the Annual Report of BC Transit, 1990-1991.

The Hon. *C. H. Richmond* (Minister of Forests), presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Administrator, which read as follows:

ALLEN MCEACHERN
Administrator

The Administrator transmits herewith Bill (No. 13) intituled *Forest Amendment Act, 1991* and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

*Government House,
 June 20, 1991.*

Bill introduced and read a first time.
 Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

Order called for "Private Members' Statements."

Mr. Speaker delivered his reserved opinion, as follows:

Honourable Members:

Yesterday, the Honourable Second Member for Victoria sought to invoke the provisions of Standing Order 35 and provided the Chair with a written statement of the matter, namely, proposals for the provisions of a vehicle ferry service between Victoria and Seattle.

I have examined the material submitted by the Honourable Member and listened carefully to his statement. It is clear that the matter complained of is similar to a number of matters which have been ruled on by previous Speakers of this House who gave their opinions to the effect that the matter did not qualify under the provisions of Standing Order 35 in view of the fact that it involved an on-going matter. In addition, I would note that a parliamentary opportunity for debate is at hand through the vehicle of the Estimates. While the matter raised is undoubtedly one of great interest to the residents of Victoria and Lower Vancouver Island, the Member seeking to invoke Standing Order 35 must bring himself within the ambit of the rules relating thereto.

Accordingly, I am not prepared to set aside the ordinary routine of parliamentary business.

F. C. A. PELTON
Deputy Speaker

The Hon. *R. G. Fraser* (Attorney General) presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Administrator, which read as follows:

ALLEN MCEACHERN
Administrator

The Administrator transmits herewith Bill (No. 15) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act (No. 2), 1991* and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

*Government House,
 June 20, 1991.*

Bill introduced and read a first time.
 Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, on behalf of the Hon. *S. B. Hagen* (Minister of Education), presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Administrator, which read as follows:

ALLEN MCEACHERN
Administrator

The Administrator transmits herewith Bill (No. 14) intituled *Teaching Profession Amendment Act, 1991* and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 20, 1991.

Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

And then the House adjourned at 12.47 p.m.

Monday, June 24, 1991

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Dr. *Huberts*.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, it was *Ordered* that leave be given for the Select Standing Committee on Ethical Conduct and Conflict of Interest to meet today while the House is in session.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

The House continued to sit after six o'clock p.m.

Bill (No. 14) intituled *Teaching Profession Amendment Act, 1991* was read a second time, on division, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Bill (No. 13) intituled *Forest Amendment Act, 1991* was read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

And then the House adjourned at 9.59 p.m.

Tuesday, June 25, 1991

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by Mr. *Barnes*.

The Hon. *L. Chalmers* (Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food) made a ministerial statement relating to the failure of the Federal Government to invite provincial participation at meetings currently being held in Vancouver relating to management of West Coast fisheries.

Mr. *Gabelmann* made a statement.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

And then the House adjourned at 12.01 p.m.

Tuesday, June 25, 1991

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

The Hon. *E. N. Veitch* (Provincial Secretary and Minister Responsible for Multiculturalism and Immigration) presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Administrator, which read as follows:

ALLEN MCEACHERN
Administrator

The Administrator transmits herewith Bill (No. 12) intituled *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act* and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.
Government House,
June 20, 1991.

Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *C. Gran* (Minister of Women's Programs and Government Services and Minister Responsible for Families) tabled the Twenty-second Annual Report of the business done in pursuance of the *Pension (College) Act* for the year ended August 31, 1990.

The Hon. *J. Weisgerber* (Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources) tabled the British Columbia Petroleum Corporation Financial Statements, March 31, 1991.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

The Hon. *C. H. Richmond* made a ministerial statement, pursuant to Practice Recommendation 3, relating to the business of the House for the balance of the week, and, pursuant to Standing Order 2 (2), advised that the House will sit on Wednesday at 9 o'clock a.m.

Mr. *Rose* made a statement.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, it was *Ordered* that leave be given for the Select Standing Committee on Finance, Crown Corporations and Government Services and the Select Standing Committee on Health, Education, Social Services, Housing and Women's Issues to meet today while the House is in session.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again later today.

The House continued to sit after six o'clock p.m.

By leave, the Hon. *J. T. Rabbitt* moved —

By leave, that the proceedings in regard to the third reading of Bill (No. 6) intituled *Pension Benefits Standards Act*, be declared null and void and that the Bill be re-committed forthwith with respect to section 78 and section 81.

Bill (No. 6) was re-committed.

The Committee reported Bill (No. 6) complete with amendment.

Leave was not granted for third reading of Bill (No. 6).

Bill (No. 15) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act (No. 2), 1991* was read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Bill (No. 13) intituled *Forest Amendment Act, 1991* was committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

52. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$337,553 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Social Services and Housing, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1992.

The Committee reported the Resolution.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again now.

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that the question be now put, the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—29

<i>Long</i>	<i>Reynolds</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Parker</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Loenen</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Weisgerher</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>McCarthy</i>			

NAYS—19

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Miller</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that the Committee rise and report progress, the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—19

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Miller</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	

NAYS—27

<i>Long</i>	<i>Reynolds</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Loenen</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Parker</i>	

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond* that the Committee of Supply sit now, the House divided as follows:

YEAS—28

<i>Long</i>	<i>Loenen</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Parker</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Pelton</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Reynolds</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>

NAYS—19

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Miller</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	

Mr. *Rose* rose on a point of order, namely, the provision of electronic *Hansard*.

Mr. Speaker made a statement relating to the temporary provision of television coverage and stated that permanent coverage would be in place by October 1991.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

53. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding \$1,983,211,447 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Social Services and Housing, Ministry Operations, to 31st March 1992.

The Committee reported the Resolution.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

The Chairman further reported that on the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond* that the question be now put, the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—27

<i>Long</i>	<i>Loenen</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Reynolds</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Parker</i>	

NAYS—19

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Miller</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	

The Chairman further reported that in consideration in Committee of Vote 53, the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—27

<i>Long</i>	<i>Loenen</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Reynolds</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Parker</i>	

NAYS—19

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Miller</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	

Ms. *Smallwood* gave notice of her intention to raise a matter of privilege.

The Hon. *C. H. Richmond* moved —

That the reports of Resolutions from the Committee of Supply on the 12th, 20th and 25th of June, be now received, taken as read and agreed to.

Motion agreed to.

The Hon. *C. H. Richmond* moved —

That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the public service of the Province, there be granted from and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund:

1. The sum of \$10 billion, 669 million, 971 thousand towards defraying the charges and expenses of the Ministries of Education, Health and Social Services and Housing of the Province for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1992, the sum to include \$2 billion, 668 million authorized for these purposes under section 1 of *Supply Act (No. 1), 1991*.

Motion agreed to.

Mr. *Clark* gave notice of his intention to raise a matter of privilege.

The Hon. *C. H. Richmond* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Administrator, which read as follows:

ALLEN MCEACHERN
Administrator

The Administrator transmits herewith Bill (No. 16) intituled *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991* and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 26, 1991.

Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion that the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 9 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, a debate arose.

The House continued to sit after midnight.

Mr. *Miller* moved the following amendment—

The motion is amended by striking out 9 o'clock a.m. tomorrow and substituting 10 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, July 2, 1991.

The amendment was defeated on the following division:

YEAS—17

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Miller</i>			

NAYS—27

<i>Long</i>	<i>Loenen</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Jacobsen</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Reynolds</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Parker</i>	

And then the House adjourned at 12.55 a.m.

Wednesday, June 26, 1991

NINE O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by Mr. *Couvelier*.

Mr. *Clark* rose on a matter of privilege relating to statements made by the Minister of Finance and Corporate Relations in relation to the *Supply Act (No. 1), 1991*.

Mr. Speaker stated that matters of privilege ought to be raised in the presence of the Member involved, and further stated that as the Minister of Finance and Corporate Relations was not present, he would reserve consideration of the matter until the Minister had an opportunity to respond.

The Hon. *L. Hanson* (Minister of Transportation and Highways) tabled the Annual Report of the Ministry of Transportation and Highways, 1989-90.

The Hon. *S. B. Hagen*, on behalf of the Hon. *J. Jansen* (Minister of Finance and Corporate Relations), tabled the following:

The Financial Statements and Auditor's Report of the British Columbia Housing and Employment Development Financing Authority, as at March 31, 1991.

The Financial Statements and Auditor's Report of the British Columbia Educational Institutions Capital Financing Authority, as at March 31, 1991.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

The House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders and Government Motions on Notice."

Bill (No. 15) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act (No. 2), 1991* was committed.

The Committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Bill to be considered at the next sitting.

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that the Committee rise and report progress, the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—15

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Jones</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>G. Hanson</i>
<i>Miller</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	

NAYS—32

<i>Long</i>	<i>Loenen</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Chalmers</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Couvelier</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Pelton</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Fraser</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Johnston</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Reynolds</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Parker</i>	<i>Bruce</i>

The Chairman further reported that a proposed amendment to section 8 of Bill (No. 15) was defeated, on division.

The Chairman further reported that a proposed amendment to section 16 of Bill (No. 15) was defeated, on division.

The Chairman further reported that a proposed amendment to section 17 of Bill (No. 15) was defeated, on division.

The Chairman further reported that a further amendment to section 17 of Bill (No. 15) was defeated, on division.

And then the House adjourned at 12.03 p.m.

Wednesday, June 26, 1991

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

The Hon. *G. P. Bruce* (Minister of Municipal Affairs, Recreation and Culture) tabled the British Columbia Heritage Trust Financial Statements, March 31, 1991.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

The Hon. *P. A. Dueck* (Minister of Advanced Education, Training and Technology) made a ministerial statement relating to full-time student spaces in the post-secondary educational system.

Mr. *Jones* made a statement.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

Bill (No. 6) intituled *Pension Benefits Standards Act* was read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 15) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act (No. 2), 1991*, was again committed, reported complete with amendment.

Leave was not granted for third reading of Bill (No. 15).

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

On the motion for second reading of Bill (No. 16) intituled *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991*, a debate arose.

The debate continued.

The House continued to sit after six o'clock p.m.

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, the House adjourned for five minutes.

SIX FOURTEEN O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate on the motion for second reading of Bill (No. 16) intituled *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991* continued.

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond* that the question be now put, the House divided as follows:

YEAS—29

<i>Long</i>	<i>Pelton</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Chalmers</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Johnston</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbit</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Mowat</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Parker</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Loenen</i>			

NAYS—16

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Miller</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>
<i>Jones</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Cashore</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Barnes</i>

On the motion for second reading of Bill (No. 16) intituled *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991*, the House divided as follows:

YEAS—29

<i>Long</i>	<i>Pelton</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Chalmers</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Weisgerber</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>L. Hanson</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Johnston</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbit</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Mowat</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Parker</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Loenen</i>			

NAYS—16

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Miller</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>
<i>Jones</i>	<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Cashore</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>Sihota</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Barnes</i>

Bill (No. 16) read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

And then the House adjourned at 7.16 p.m.

Thursday, June 27, 1991

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by Mr. *Kempf*.

The Hon. *J. Weisgerber*, on behalf of the Hon. *L. Hanson* (Minister of Transportation and Highways), tabled the Annual Report of the British Columbia Ferry Corporation for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1991.

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, it was *Ordered* that leave be given for the Select Standing Committee on Labour and Justice and the Select Standing Committee on Constitutional Matters and Intergovernmental Relations to meet today while the House is in session.

The Hon. *C. H. Richmond* advised the House that, pursuant to Practice Recommendation 3, all proceedings relating to *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991* would be concluded today.

Bill (No. 15) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act (No. 2), 1991* was read a third time and passed.

On the motion of the Hon. *W. B. Strachan* (Minister of Health and Minister Responsible for Seniors), the House proceeded to consideration of Motion 34 on the Order Paper.

34 The Hon. *W. B. Strachan* moved—

Be it resolved that the Select Standing Committee on Constitutional Matters and Intergovernmental Relations be authorized to consider the state of the Canadian federation and to consult broadly with British Columbians to determine their views on:

1. The social and economic interests and aspirations of British Columbians and other Canadians within the federation; and
2. The form of federation that can most effectively meet the social and economic aspirations of British Columbians and all Canadians.

That the Committee may review and report on proposals for constitutional change brought forward within British Columbia or elsewhere in Canada.

That the Committee provide a preliminary report and recommendations to the Legislative Assembly by August 15, 1991.

In addition to the powers previously conferred upon the said Committee by the House, the Committee shall have the following additional powers, namely:

- (a) to sit during a period in which the House is adjourned, during the recess after prorogation until the next following Session and during any sitting of the House;
- (b) to adjourn from place to place as may be convenient;
- (c) to appoint of their number one or more subcommittees and refer to such subcommittee any of the matters referred to the Committee; and
- (d) to retain such personnel as required to assist the Committee.

That the Committee may release its report during a period when the Legislative Assembly is adjourned or prorogued by depositing a copy with the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly and, upon the resumption of the sittings of the House, the Chairman shall present all reports to the Legislative Assembly.

Motion agreed to.

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond* the House proceeded to consideration of Motion 35 on the Order Paper.

35 The Hon. *C. H. Richmond* moved—

Be it resolved that this House authorize the Select Standing Committee on Ethics and Conflict of Interest to examine, inquire into and make recommendations with respect to matters found in Motions on Notice 21, 22, 30, 31, 32, 33, 24, 25, 26 and 27 and undertake a full review of the adequacy and effectiveness of the *Members' Conflict of Interest Act* and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to consider:

1. The matter of the Member for Esquimalt-Port Renfrew's alleged use of Legislative Assembly letterhead for communication with Northwest Carpet Distributors Canada Ltd. and related matters;

2. The matter of the Member for Vancouver East's alleged use in the Legislative Assembly of information provided to him from "reliable Government sources" which information was subject to section 11 of the *Social Service Tax Act* and related matters;

3. The matter of the Member for Esquimalt-Port Renfrew's alleged use in the Legislative Assembly of information acquired by an alleged contravention of section 193, *Criminal Code* (Canada), together with prosecutorial decisions taken subsequent thereto and related matters;

4. The matter of the Second Member for Cariboo's alleged use of Government-funded services to solicit funds and memberships for a private organization and related matters;

5. The matter of the Second Member for Point Grey's advocacy about compensation for physicians in the Legislative Assembly and related matters;

6. The matter of the Member for Burnaby North's advocacy about compensation for members of the British Columbia Teacher's Federation in the Legislative Assembly and related matters;

7. The matter of the Member for Delta's purported claim of an obligation for post-election employment owed to him by the Government;

8. The matter of ministerial post-employment conflict of interest and the potential abuse by former ministers, for personal and private gain, of information and relationships gained in the public service;

9. The alleged use of government resources by candidates for the leadership of the Social Credit Party; and

10. The propriety of both the actions of the former Minister of Finance (Saanich and the Islands) with respect to the disclosure of information gathered under the provisions of the *Financial Institutions Act*, and the subsequent investigation of the matter by the Premier and the Attorney General.

And that the said Committee be granted traditional powers to receive evidence, both during the present Legislative Sitting and/or during adjournment, to adjourn from place to place, to summon witnesses and to call for papers.

A debate arose.

The Member for North Island moved an amendment to Motion 35.

Mr. Speaker declared a five-minute recess.

ELEVEN TWENTY-SEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

The House continued the debate on Motion 35.

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, the debate was adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

Bill (No. 16) intituled *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991* was committed.

The Committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Bill to be considered at the next sitting.

And then the House adjourned at 11.59 a.m.

Thursday, June 27, 1991

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

The Hon. *H. Dirks* (Minister of Development, Trade and Tourism) tabled the British Columbia Trade Development Corporation Annual Report, 1990-1991.

On the motion of Mr. *Harcourt*, Bill (No. M 207) intituled *An Act to Lower the Voting Age to Eighteen Years* was introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of Mr. *Harcourt*, Bill (No. M 208) intituled *Election Contributions Disclosure Act* was introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of Mr. *Harcourt*, Bill (No. M 209) intituled *Conflict of Interest Act* was introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

Mr. *Ree* presented the First Report of the Select Standing Committee on Labour and Justice, which read as follows:

FIRST REPORT

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

June 27, 1991

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Standing Committee on Labour and Justice, referred the Compensation Advisory Committee Report and Recommendations, 1990 this present Session for the purpose of recommending a Resolution to the Legislative Assembly for fixing of salaries, pursuant to section 7 (1) and (2) of the *Provincial Court Act*, reports as follows:

Your Committee met on June 20, 1991, to hear from the Compensation Advisory Committee, the Ministry of Attorney General, the Judicial Council of British Columbia and the Provincial Court of British Columbia and on June 27, 1991, to consider your Committee's Report.

Your Committee wishes to express its gratitude to the witnesses appearing before it and their contribution to the overall review of judicial salaries in this Province.

Recommendation 1

Your Committee recommends that:

1. A salary of \$103,000 per annum be paid to the Provincial Court Judges of British Columbia commencing January 1, 1991 and \$107,000 per annum commencing January 1, 1992; \$107,000 per annum for the Associate Chief Judge commencing January 1, 1991 and \$111,000 per annum commencing January 1, 1992; and for the Chief Judge a salary of \$111,000 per annum commencing January 1, 1991 and \$116,000 per annum commencing January 1, 1992; and
2. The differentials for Chief and Associate Chief Judges be increased to \$8,000 and \$4,000, respectively, effective January 1, 1991 and to \$9,000 and \$4,000, respectively, effective January 1, 1992.

Recommendation 2

Your Committee recommends that, given the favourable acceptance of section 7 (1) and (2) of the *Provincial Court Act*, it would be most beneficial to everyone involved in this process that future reports and recommendations emanating from the Compensation Advisory Committee contain, at a minimum, the results of comprehensive analyses related to comparative judicial workload, among other pertinent data.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. REE, *Chairman*

The Report was taken as read and received.

By leave of the House, the Rules were suspended and the Report adopted.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

Bill (No. 16) intituled *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991* was again committed.

By leave, the Hon. *D. M. Mercier* (Minister of Environment) tabled the First Annual Report of the B.C. Hazardous Waste Management Corporation, 1990-1991.

The Committee rose without question put.

The Member for Maillardville-Coquitlam, having disregarded the authority of the Chair, was *Ordered* by the Speaker to withdraw from the House for the remainder of the sitting, pursuant to Standing Order 19.

Bill (No. 16) was again committed.

The Committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Bill to be considered later today.

The House continued to sit after six o'clock p.m.

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, the House adjourned for five minutes.

SIX TEN O'CLOCK P.M.

Bill (No. 16) intituled *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991* was again committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time, on division, and passed.

The Chairman reported that on the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond* that the question be now put, the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—29

<i>Long</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>Chalmers</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Messmer</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Crandall</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Ree</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Mowat</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Parker</i>	<i>Bruce</i>
<i>McCarthy</i>			

NAYS—22

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Harcourt</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Guno</i>	<i>Boone</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Miller</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>	<i>G. Hanson</i>
<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Edwards</i>		

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that the Title pass, the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS—29

<i>Long</i>	<i>Dueck</i>	<i>De Jong</i>	<i>Chalmers</i>
<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Messmer</i>	<i>Vant</i>	<i>Gran</i>
<i>Peterson</i>	<i>Richmond</i>	<i>Crandall</i>	<i>Mercier</i>
<i>Smith</i>	<i>S. B. Hagen</i>	<i>Serwa</i>	<i>Rabbitt</i>
<i>Reid</i>	<i>Dirks</i>	<i>Ree</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Huberts</i>	<i>Savage</i>
<i>Mowat</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Parker</i>	<i>Bruce</i>
<i>McCarthy</i>			

NAYS—22

<i>G. Janssen</i>	<i>Smallwood</i>	<i>Blencoe</i>	<i>Harcourt</i>
<i>Zirnhelt</i>	<i>Lovick</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>Rose</i>
<i>Perry</i>	<i>A. Hagen</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	<i>Marzari</i>
<i>Cull</i>	<i>Guno</i>	<i>Boone</i>	<i>Barnes</i>
<i>Miller</i>	<i>Barlee</i>	<i>Gabelmann</i>	<i>G. Hanson</i>
<i>Pullinger</i>	<i>Edwards</i>		

The Hon. *C. Gran* (Minister of Women's Programs and Government Services and Minister Responsible for Families) tabled the Annual Report of the British Columbia Buildings Corporation, 1991.

On the motion of the Hon. *C. H. Richmond*, the House proceeded to the adjourned debate on Motion 35.

Motion 35 amended as follows:

By adding "Motion 18" in the first sentence, and by adding the following:

"11. The matter of Cabinet's knowledge of the role of the former Premier in the Fantasy Gardens sale and related events."

Motion, as amended, agreed to.

Mr. Speaker declared a short recess.

His Honour the Administrator having entered the House, and being seated in the Chair—

Ian D. Izard, Esq., Law Clerk and Clerk Assistant, read the titles to the following Bills:

- Bill (No. 2) *Land Title Amendment Act, 1991.*
- Bill (No. 3) *Budget Measures Implementation Act, 1991.*
- Bill (No. 4) *Property Purchase Tax Amendment Act, 1991.*
- Bill (No. 5) *Range Amendment Act, 1991.*
- Bill (No. 6) *Pension Benefits Standards Act.*
- Bill (No. 7) *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1991.*
- Bill (No. 10) *Crown Counsel Act.*
- Bill (No. 11) *Adoption Amendment Act, 1991.*
- Bill (No. 13) *Forest Amendment Act, 1991.*
- Bill (No. 15) *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act (No. 2), 1991.*

His Honour was pleased in Her Majesty's name to give assent to the said Bills.

The said assent was announced by *Ian M. Horne*, Q.C., Clerk of the House, in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Administrator doth assent to these Bills."

Ian D. Izard, Esq., Law Clerk and Clerk Assistant, read the title to the following Bill:

- Bill (No. 16) *Supply Act (No. 2), 1991.*

His Honour the Administrator was pleased in Her Majesty's name to give assent to the said Bill.

The said assent was announced by *Ian M. Horne*, Q.C., Clerk of the House, in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Administrator doth thank Her Majesty's loyal subjects, accepts their benevolence, and doth assent to this Bill."

His Honour the Administrator was then pleased to retire.

The Hon. *E. N. Veitch* moved—

That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until it appears to the satisfaction of Mr. Speaker, after consultation with the Government, that the public interest requires that the House shall meet, or until Mr. Speaker may be advised by the Government that it is desired to prorogue the Fifth Session of the Thirty-fourth Parliament of the Province of British Columbia. Mr. Speaker may give notice that he is so satisfied or has been so advised and thereupon the House shall meet at the time stated in such notice, and, as the case may be, may transact its business as if it had been duly adjourned to that time and date; and

That, in the event of Mr. Speaker being unable to act owing to illness or other cause, the Deputy Speaker shall act in his stead for the purpose of this order.

And then the House adjourned at 6.41 p.m.

STEPHEN ROGERS, *Speaker*

DISSOLUTION

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor by His Proclamation issued on the 19th day of September 1991, was pleased to dissolve the Thirty-fourth Legislative Assembly of the Province.

PROCLAMATION

[L.S.]

D. C. LAM

Lieutenant Governor

CANADA: PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her Other Realms and Territories, QUEEN, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS We have thought fit to dissolve the present Legislative Assembly of Our said Province;

NOW KNOW THAT We do, for this end, publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby dissolve the thirty-fourth Legislative Assembly accordingly on September 19, 1991, and the members thereof are discharged from further attendance.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our Province to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, the Honourable DAVID C. LAM, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-one, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

E. N. VEITCH
Provincial Secretary

R. G. FRASER
Attorney General