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Hon. Herménégilde Chiasson
Lieutenant-Governor

Speaker: Hon. Michael Malley

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1 o'clock p.m.

Prayers.

Hon. Mr. Green laid upon the table of the House a letter dated October 13, 2005, addressed to Hon. Elvy Robichaud from Édouard Maltais, Chair of the New Brunswick Healthcare Association.

Hon. Mr. Harrison, Government House Leader, announced that with the unanimous consent of the House, Bill 57 would be ordered for third reading. Following the time reserved for Private Members' Motions, it was the intention of government that the House resolve itself into a Committee of Supply to take into consideration the estimates of the Department of Public Safety.

Pursuant to Standing Rule 77, it was agreed by unanimous consent to rescind the Order referring Bill 57 to the Committee of the Whole House and Order the Bill for third reading forthwith.

Accordingly, the following Bill was read a third time:

Bill 57, *An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Income Tax Act*.

Ordered that the said Bill does pass.

Pursuant to Notice of Motion 59, Mr. Stiles moved, seconded by Mr. Betts:

WHEREAS there are currently more than 2000 brave men and women serving in Afghanistan from New Brunswick and across Canada;

WHEREAS our Canadian armed forces continue to advance democracy, liberty, and fundamental human rights in an unstable region of our world;

WHEREAS the people of New Brunswick recognize the importance of Canada's role in the rebuilding of Afghanistan as this nation continues on its path to stability, democracy, and self-sufficiency;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that this Legislative Assembly express its support for the incredible efforts put forth by all of Canada's Armed Forces stationed in Afghanistan and throughout the world.

And the question being put, a debate ensued.

And after some time, Mr. C. LeBlanc, the Deputy Speaker, took the chair as Acting Speaker.

And after some further time, Mr. Betts, the Deputy Speaker, took the chair.

And the debate being ended and the question being put, Motion 59 was resolved in the affirmative.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of Supply with Mr. C. LeBlanc in the chair.

And after some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. C. LeBlanc, the Chairman, after requesting that Mr. Speaker revert to Presentations of Committee Reports, reported that the Committee had had under consideration the matters referred to them, had made some progress therein and asked leave to sit again.

Pursuant to Standing Rule 78.1, Mr. Speaker then put the question on the motion deemed to be before the House, that the report be concurred in, and it resolved in the affirmative.

And then, 6 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned.