HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Supplementary Order Paper

Wednesday, the 31st Day of May 1978

CONTRACEPTION, STERILISATION, AND ABORTION AMENDMENT BILL

Proposed Amendment

Hon. Mr G. F. GAIR, in Committee, to move the following amendment:

Clause 3: To add to the proposed new section 32 on page 4 the following subsection:

- "(9) In any case brought before him under this section, no registered medical practitioner shall act in any capacity on that case with another registered medical practitioner where:
 - (a) They are in practice together; or (b) One is employed by the other; or

(c) They are financially interested in the same licensed institution; or

(d) Both are employed or engaged by the same licensed institution except where that licensed institution is under the control of a Hospital Board."

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The proposed subclause (9) would prevent 2 doctors from acting together on a case where they could be accused of having a financial interest in common.