

Supplementary Order Paper

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, the 27th Day of September, 1950

POLITICAL DISABILITIES REMOVAL AMENDMENT BILL

Hon. Mr. SULLIVAN, in Committee, to move the following amendment:—

Clause 2: To insert, after subclause (1), the following new subclause:—

(1A) Section four of the principal Act is hereby further amended by adding to subsection one the following proviso:—

“ Provided that, in the case of a society in respect of which at the time of the taking of the ballot there is no provision in operation under any Act, regulation, award, industrial agreement, or other instrument whereby a person is obliged to become a member of the society, any such resolution shall be deemed to have been duly passed if a majority of the total valid votes recorded at the ballot is in favour thereof.”

EXPLANATORY NOTE

THE above amendment will involve the addition of the following paragraph to the explanatory note to the Bill:—

The Bill is, however, limited to unions or societies to which compulsory unionism applies. In other cases a resolution may still be passed by a majority of the total valid votes recorded at the ballot.
