

2023RD ASSEMBLY
2ND SESSION

H. J. Res. 7

IN THE

House of Commons

OCTOBER 30TH · THE GENTLEMEN, LEO CAVINDER,
SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING JOINT RESOLUTION FOR
CONSIDERATION; WHICH WAS HELD AT THE DESK.

A JOINT RESOLUTION TO

Provide for various amendments to The Due Process Act
and the Criminal Code Act.

TABLE OF PROVISIONS.

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.

B **E IT ENACTED** *by this House of Commons with the advice and consent of the same, as follows:*

1 **SECTION 1. Amendment.**

2 (a) HCC § 2-1-6(a) is amended by adding “by the Inspector
3 General under HCC §§ 2-2-7(c), 2-2-8(e), and 2-2-9(c).”

4 (b) HCC § 2-1-6(d) is amended by striking “fine(s)” and
5 inserting “monetary relief awarded.”

6 (c) HCC § 2-2-6(b) is amended by adding:

7 “(3) ENFORCEMENT OF HOUSE CODE.—The
8 Speaker and the Sergeant-at-Arms shall be
9 responsible for enforcing House of Commons Code
10 and House Administrative Code.”

11 (d) HCC § 2-2-8(a) is amended by inserting “,as described
12 in HCC § 2-2-6(b)(3),” between “person” and “shall.”

13 (e) HCC § 2-2-8(b) is amended by adding:

14 “(1) Subsections (a) and (b) shall not apply to HCC
15 § 2-1-6.

16 (2) Collected amounts under this section shall
17 become the property of DOR.”

18 (f) Amend HCC § 2-1-6 header as to read “Collection of
19 Monetary Relief Awarded.”

20 (g) HCC § 2-2-11 is amended by adding:

21 “(c) JUDICIAL REVIEW.—The Inspector General
22 does not have the authority to strike House of
23 Commons Code or House Administrative Code
24 statutes as unconstitutional, but may suggest in
25 their opinion that a statute may be and ask the
26 House of Commons Assembly to correct it.

27 (d) AGENCY REPORTING VIOLATIONS.—Should
28 an Agency believe that a Member has violated a
29 statute or an Administrative Code that is within
30 the Agency’s jurisdiction, it shall report the
31 suspected violation to the Sergeant-at-Arms who
32 shall determine if they will file a criminal
33 complaint against the Member, notwithstanding
34 HCC § 2-2-6(b)(1).”

35 (h) HCC § 2-7-2(b)(1) is amended by striking all and
36 inserting:

37 “(1) AUTHORITY TO ISSUE.—Authorized persons
38 as described in HCC § 2-2-6(b)(3) shall have the
39 ability to issue criminal complaints against a
40 Contractor for violations of House of Commons
41 Code or House Administrative Code.”

42 (i) REMOVAL OF POINTS AMENDMENT.—

43 (1) Amend HCC § 2-2-3(a)(1) by striking “and not
44 more than 2 points”

45 (2) Amend HCC § 2-2-3(a)(2) by striking “and not
46 more than 4 points”

47 (3) Amend HCC § 2-2-3(a)(3) by striking “and not
48 more than 5 points”

49 (4) Amend HCC § 2-2-4(a)(1) by striking “and not
50 more than 3 points”

51 (5) Amend HCC § 2-2-4(a)(2) by striking “and not
52 more than 5 points”

53 (6) Amend HCC § 2-2-4(a)(3) by striking “and not
54 more than 7 points”

55 (7) Amend HCC § 2-2-4(a)(4) by striking “and not
56 more than 8 points”

Speaker of the House Assent