## PROCEDURES FOR COMMITTEE OF PRIVILEGES HEARINGS

- 1. Chair to make opening statement, declaring purpose of hearing. Various submissions from Mr A, Mr B, Mr C to be incorporated in volume of documents.
- 2. (a) Mr A to be called and sworn.
  - (b) Mr A to be invited to make opening statement.
  - (c) Chair, and other members if they wish, to ask questions of Mr A.
  - (d) Chair to invite Mr B, or his representative, to examine Mr A if he wishes.
  - (e) Chair, and other members, to ask further questions, if required.
  - (f) Mr A to be invited to make statement.
- 3. (a) Mr B to be called and sworn.
  - (b) Mr B, or his representative, to be invited to make opening statement.
  - (c) Chair, and other members if desired, to ask questions of Mr B and, if required and after a brief deliberative meeting, to ask questions arising from the oral evidence given by Mr A.
  - (d) Committee to invite Mr A to examine Mr B if he wishes.
  - (e) Chair, and other members, to ask further questions, if required.
  - (f) Mr B to be invited to make statement.
- 4. (a) Mr C to be called and sworn.
  - (b) Mr C, or his representative, to be invited to make opening statement.
  - (c) Chair, and other members if desired, to ask questions of Mr C, and, if required and after a brief deliberative meeting, to ask questions arising from oral evidence given by Mr A and Mr B.
  - (d) Committee to invite Mr A and Mr B to examine Mr C if they wish.
  - (e) Chair, and other members, to ask further questions, if required.
  - (f) Mr C to be invited to make statement.
- 5. Committee to adjourn for a brief deliberative meeting to determine whether it wishes to receive any further evidence or to examine any other witnesses.

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## If other witnesses called:

- (a) Witness to be called and sworn.
- (b) Witness to be invited to make opening statement.
- (c) Chair, and other members if they wish, to ask questions of witness.
- (d) Chair to invite other witnesses or legal counsel to examine witness if they wish.
- (e) Chair, and other members, to ask further questions, if required.
- (f) Witness to be invited to make statement.
- 6. Chair to invite Mr A, Mr B, or his representative, and Mr C, or his representative, to make closing statements, if desired.
- 7. Hearing to conclude.