

Province of  Saskatchewan

## THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Regina, Sask.,  
February 12, 1965.

Prof. Frank R. Scott,  
451 Clarke Ave.,  
MONTREAL, Quebec.

Dear Frank:

We have had presented to our Legislature a resolution asking the Legislature to approve of the draft of an Act to amend the Canadian Constitution contained in the Federal White Paper entitled "An Act to Provide for the Amendment in Canada of the Constitution of Canada" and to recommend to the Government of Canada that the Act be submitted to the House of Commons or the Senate to hold public hearings.

I enclose herewith a copy of our Orders of the Day with the motion marked.

I wonder whether you can let us have any thoughts which you might have on the proposed Act. As I see it, it is the old Fulton formula which we opposed at Ottawa made a little worse by the Favreau changes. Accordingly, our previous objections are still valid. It occurred to me, however, that you may have some additional thoughts which you would wish to offer.

I heard a radio broadcast some time ago in which Eugene Forsey expressed approval of the Favreau formula. This surprised me. Perhaps I do not know Dr. Forsey well enough to put an appropriate value on his point of view. If you know his argument, and if you have any comment upon it, we would appreciate receiving your comment.

Anything you could do to assist us would be appreciated. I expect that the other New Democratic groups in Provincial Legislatures across Canada would equally appreciate your comments.

Best personal regards.

Yours sincerely,



A. E. Blakeney

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