



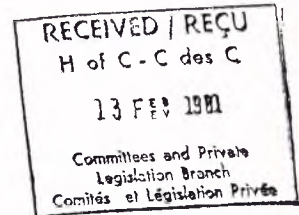
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ST. JOSEPH'S COUNCIL, No. 6361
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January 26, 1981.

The Honourable Senator Harry Hayes,
Co-Chairman,
Joint Commons/Senate Committee,
on the Constitution of Canada,
P.O. Box 1044,
South Block,
The Parliament Buildings,
OTTAWA, Ontario.
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Dear Senator Harry Hayes;

I am writing on be-half of the Knights of Columbus, concerning the proposed new Constitution For Canada which includes an entrenched Charter of Rights.

We as Catholics must ensure:

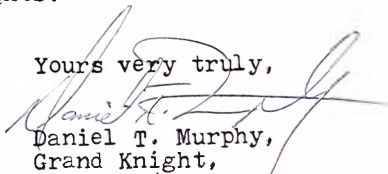
- (1) That the lives of the unborn be protected from the Crime of Murder.
- (2) That our Children have the opportunity for a catholic education.
- (3) The Preservation of Roman Catholic schools and the guaranteed Right to Preserve the Catholicity of these Schools.

These Rights which now are guaranteed under the North America Act of 1867 and the Canadian Bill of Rights must be re-enforced in our New Constitution.

As Catholic Gentlemen we Strongly Support the Pro-life Movement and the Roman Catholic Separate School System.

Trusting you will support Our Rights.

Yours very truly,


Daniel T. Murphy,
Grand Knight,
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Bowmanville, Ont.

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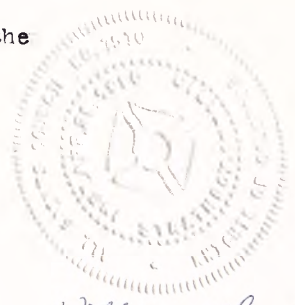
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To: The Office of the Prime Minister
The Honourable Senator Harry Hayes
Mr. Serge Joyal, M. P.
Mr. Ralph Ferguson, M. P.

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We as Catholic gentlemen and members of the Knights of Columbus wish to voice our opinion on the new constitution. There are two issues that we would like to see protected and insured that they are included in the constitution.

1. The protection of the unborn.
2. The preservation of our Roman Catholic schools with the guaranteed right to preserve the catholicity of those schools.



Yours truly,

We the undersigned.

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