

### Order Paper Questions

2. What was the average cost to approve each application?
3. What was the average grant and loan per application by (a) province (b) city (c) type of dwelling?
4. What was the average income level per recipient of a (a) grant (b) loan by (i) province (ii) city (iii) type of dwelling?

**Hon. Bill McKnight (Minister of Labour):** I am informed by Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation as follows:

1. (a) A breakdown of the number of eligible homeowners who applied for assistance under the Canada Home Renovation Plan (CHRP) is as follows:

(i) Province	No. of Eligible Applicants
Newfoundland	2,867
Prince Edward Island	1,048
Nova Scotia	8,206
New Brunswick	8,255
Quebec	33,166
Ontario	42,659
Manitoba	5,806
Saskatchewan	3,151
Alberta	10,359
British Columbia	12,995
Yukon	82
Northwest Territories	—

Note: CMHC did not maintain a record of the number of ineligible homeowners who may have applied for CHRP, as the applications were returned.

(ii) Since the program was only partially computerized for statistical monitoring purposes, a breakdown, by city, is not available.

(iii) Program eligibility was restricted to owner-occupied, single family houses containing not more than two units. Where the building contained two units, only one loan was permitted. No other information on dwelling type is available.

(b) All eligible applications which were received up to the program termination date were accepted. Note: Approximately 4,000 applications were subsequently cancelled after approval as the homeowners did not proceed with the work as agreed.

2. The approximate average administrative cost to approve each application was \$191.

3. (a) The average forgivable loan per application, by province, was:

Province	Average Forgivable Loan
Newfoundland	\$ 1,859
Prince Edward Island	1,844
Nova Scotia	1,755
New Brunswick	1,988
Quebec	1,786
Ontario	1,694
Manitoba	1,601
Saskatchewan	1,875
Alberta	1,599
British Columbia	1,738
Yukon	2,154
Northwest Territories	—

Only the forgivable loan was available, the applicant provided the balance.

(b) and (c) See response to parts 1(ii) and 1(iii) above.

4. (a) The average income level per recipient of the forgivable loan, by province, is as follows:

(i) Province	Average Income of Forgivable Loan Recipient
Newfoundland	\$ 20,849
Prince Edward Island	21,434
Nova Scotia	21,186
New Brunswick	21,374
Quebec	23,709
Ontario	24,575
Manitoba	25,109
Saskatchewan	22,193
Alberta	22,046
British Columbia	25,005
Yukon	24,803
Northwest Territories	—

(ii) and (iii) See response to parts 1(ii) and 1(iii) above.

(b) Not known. Only the forgivable loan was available under the program, the applicant provided the balance.

### CANADA OIL SUBSTITUTION PROGRAM

#### Question No. 62—Mr. Howie:

In the fiscal year ending March 31, 1984, under the Off-Oil Program, how many (a) applications for assistance were received (b) rebate cheques were issued?

**Mr. John McDermid (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources):** (a) During the fiscal year 1983-84, the COSP Secretariat received approximately 247,900 applications under the Canada Oil Substitution Program (COSP); (b) 244,224.

[English]

**Mr. Speaker:** The questions as enumerated by the Parliamentary Secretary have been answered.

**Mr. Dick:** Mr. Speaker, I would ask that the remaining questions be allowed to stand.

**Mr. Speaker:** Is it the pleasure of the House that the remaining questions be allowed to stand?

**Some Hon. Members:** Agreed.

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### MOTION TO ADJOURN UNDER S.O. 30

#### UNIVERSALITY IN SOCIAL PROGRAMS

**Hon. Douglas C. Frith (Sudbury):** Mr. Speaker, as I indicated to you, when I gave notice before noon of this day, in light