S.O. 43

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

[Translation]

HEALTH CARE

MAINTENANCE OF MONTREAL TÉLÉ-MÉDIC SERVICE—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mrs. Thérèse Killens (Saint-Michel): Madam Speaker, I rise under the provisions of Standing Order 43 to ask for the unanimous consent of the House to introduce a motion dealing with an important matter of pressing and urgent necessity.

Considering that the people of Montreal enjoy an excellent emergency service, Télé-Médic, which up to now has enabled us to save human lives and since that service had to suspend operations due to a lack of funds; and considering that such a service is vital for a city such as Montreal, I move, seconded by the hon, member for Chicoutimi (Mr. Dionne):

That the House exert pressure on the Quebec health minister to find an immediate solution to that problem.

Madam Speaker: The Department of National Health and Welfare could be involved in that resolution. I will present it, but I think it deals with a provincial jurisdiction. Anyhow, presentation of such a motion under the provisions of Standing Order 43 requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

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[English]

ECONOMIC COUNCIL OF CANADA

REFERENCE OF REPORT TO STANDING COMMITTEE—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Don Blenkarn (Mississauga South): Madam Speaker, I wish to move a motion under Standing Order 43. The Economic Council of Canada's seventeenth report is entitled "A Climate of Uncertainty." In view of the fact that the projections in the budget of October 28 differ dramatically from those of the Economic Council of Canada, an agency of this government, and the Economic Council advocates measures significantly different from those set out in the budget, I therefore move, seconded by the hon. member for Vancouver Quadra (Mr. Clarke):

That this House refer the report of the Economic Council of Canada entitled "A Climate of Uncertainty" to the Standing Committee on Finance, Trade and Economic Affairs for analysis and investigation, and that the committee be

instructed to call before it the Minister of Finance, the governor of the Bank of Canada and such other witnesses as it feels appropriate.

Madam Speaker: For presentation, this motion requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

ENERGY TAX CREDIT

CALL FOR INTRODUCTION—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. F. Oberle (Prince George-Peace River): Madam Speaker, I too rise to move a motion under Standing Order 43. Having regard to the harsh realities of the recent budget and the energy statement, and in view of the fact that one year ago today the Progressive Conservative Party brought down a budget proposing a refundable energy tax credit to assist lower and medium-income people in Canada meet rising energy costs through an income-tested tax credit amounting to \$80 per adult per family and \$30 per child, to be paid in full to all those having incomes of up to \$21,380, a program which would have helped Canadians save \$500 million in 1980 and \$1 billion in 1981; and having regard to the fact that the "new democratic-liberal party" has failed to produce any alternative, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Cariboo-Chilcotin (Mr. Greenaway):

That this House direct the government to introduce the refundable energy tax credit immediately, thereby benefiting 7.1 million Canadian families, or 7.6 per cent of the total population of Canada, with over 70 per cent of such benefits going to individuals and families with less than \$20,000 of family income.

Madam Speaker: For presentation, this motion requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

COMMUNICATIONS

PRIVATE DISH ANTENNAE—STUDY CONDUCTED BY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Mark Rose (Mission-Port Moody): Madam Speaker, I too rise to move a motion under Standing Order 43. In view of the fact that the Department of Communications has recently threatened private owners of satellite receiver dishes with prosecutions whose penalties include fines of up to \$1,000 a day, confiscation of equipment and even jail, despite an in-House DOT legal study which concluded that private dish antennae may in fact not be illegal under current legislation, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Skeena (Mr. Fulton):

That the Minister of Communications table this study for the information of this House and interested members of the public and, further, advise this House