

Questions

(k) Manner in which the programming policies of the station would be determined and implemented; (l) The program commitments of the applicant in relation to the requirements of the Act and the regulations that the service be varied, of a high standard, and basically Canadian in content and character; (m) Characteristics of the community, the nature of the available broadcasting service, and the capacity of the applicant to meet the varied needs of the proposed service area.

[English]

REJECTION BY UNIONS OF APPEALS FOR
MODERATE WAGE DEMANDS

Question No. 1,118—**Mr. Southam:**

1. In its effort to combat the present high inflation cycle in Canada, is it the government's intention to make a special enquiry into the problem of "why unions reject appeals to moderate wage demands"?

2. What reason is being given by CLC and CNTU that any program of voluntary restraint on wages will be rejected?

Hon. Ron Basford (Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs): 1 and 2. No. The Prices and Incomes Commission has engaged in a series of exploratory discussions with the executives of the CLC and the CNTU, with a view to broadening the restraint program, endorsed by the Federal/Provincial Conference of First Ministers at their meeting on February 16-17, 1970 to include wage and salary earners. This subject was discussed at public meetings between the Government and the CLC and the CNTU on March 23, 1970.

FEDERAL CONSIDERATION OF OUTLAWING
TOBACCO ADVERTISING

Question No. 1,146—**Mr. Robinson:**

Is the federal government considering the advisability of outlawing the advertising of tobacco?

Hon. John C. Munro (Minister of National Health and Welfare): The Department of National Health and Welfare is examining the recommendations of the House of Commons Standing Committee on Health, Welfare and Social Affairs concerning cigarette advertising, as well as other suggestions made by the Committee.

COMPANY OF YOUNG CANADIANS PERSONNEL

Question No. 1,183—**Mr. Robinson:**

1. How many (a) staff members (b) volunteers (c) consultants (d) others have been employed by and/or involved in the Company of Young Canadians in each year since its inception?

[Mr. Pelletier.]

2. How many have joined the Company of Young Canadians and how many of (a), (b), (c) and (d) in Part 1 have left the Company of Young Canadians in each year since its inception?

[Translation]

Hon. Gérard Pelletier (Secretary of State): I am informed by the Company of Young Canadians as follows: 1. The number of persons employed by the C.Y.C. in each year since its inception is: (a) Staff: 1966 to April 1967, 73; April 1967 to December 1967, 117; January 1968 to December 1968, 107; January 1969 to December 1969, 136.

(b) Volunteers: 1966 to April 1967, 136; April 1967 to December 1967, 267; January 1968 to December 1968, 288; January 1969 to December 1969, 333.

(c) Consultants: 1966 to April 1967, 30; April 1967 to December 1967, 21; January 1968 to December 1968, 23; January 1969 to December 1969, 35.

(d) Council members: 1966 to April 1967, 30; April 1967 to December 1967, 21; January 1968 to December 1968, 23; January 1969 to December 1969, 35.

2. The number of persons who joined the C.Y.C. and the number of persons who left the C.Y.C. are as follows: (a) Staff: 1966 to April 1967, 64 joined, 19 left; April 1967 to December 1967, 53 joined, 42 left; January 1968 to December 1968, 30 joined, 60 left; January 1969 to December 1969, 29 joined, 96 left.

(b) Volunteers: 1966 to April 1967, 95 joined, 18 left; April 1967 to December 1967, 184 joined, 65 left; January 1968 to December 1968, 158 joined, 108 left; January 1969 to December 1969, 153 joined, 176 left.

(c) Consultants: 1966 to April 1967, 10 joined, 21 left; April 1967 to December 1967, 3 joined, 16 left; January 1968 to December 1968, 10 joined, 24 left; January 1969 to December 1969, 1 joined, 24 left.

(d) Council members: 1966 to April 1967, 30 joined, 11 left; April 1967 to December 1967, 3 joined, 3 left; January 1968 to December 1968, 5 joined, 3 left; January 1969 to December 1969, 15 joined, 24 left.

[English]

PURCHASE OF U.S. TELEVISION PROGRAM,
"SESAME STREET"

Question No. 1,218—**Mr. Rose:**

Is CBC now giving favorable consideration to the purchase of the television program Sesame Street from the United States' National Educational Television network and, if so, will CBC purchase this