

process all cases, including complaints. The figures are broken down by type of case, and by case requiring a public hearing by the Board as well as by case disposed of without a hearing.

Although the Canada Labour Relations Board does not release these figures to the general public nor does it publish them in its annual report, they are made available, upon request, to other government agencies such as provincial labour relations boards, Labour Canada, the Public Service Staff Relations Board, et cetera, as well as to university researchers and students of industrial relations. We have no record of any request by the members of the general public for such information, but it is the Board's policy in the event of such requests, to exercise discretion in the release of this type of information since it could easily be misinterpreted, as the averages would reflect delays not necessarily attributable to the Board, such as cases kept in abeyance at the request of the parties, et cetera. The figures would also have to be interpreted in the light of priorities and of difficulties in scheduling public hearings on a nation-wide basis.

SAINT JOHN HARBOUR BRIDGE AUTHORITY

Question No. 590—**Mr. Howie:**

What are the (a) names (b) positions of the persons who occupy positions on the Executive and Board of Directors of the Saint John Harbour Bridge Authority and, in each case, what amount was he/she paid in respect of that position in the fiscal year ended March 31, 1983?

Hon. Roy MacLaren (Minister of State (Finance)): The Saint John Harbour Bridge Authority was incorporated under provincial law and is not a federal Crown corporation. The federal Government is merely a creditor of the Authority and has no ownership rights.

The information the Hon. Member is seeking should thus be requested from the Authority whose address is P.O. Box 6176, Station 'A', King Street, West Saint John, N.B. E2L 4R6.

VETERANS' LAND ADMINISTRATION

Question No. 617—**Mr. Towers:**

1. Are any files still active under the Veterans' Land Administration and, if so, how many?
2. What average amount is owing to the Administration?
3. What interest rate is paid on unpaid balances under the Administration?

Hon. W. Bennett Campbell (Minister of Veterans Affairs):

1. There are 30,676 files still active.
2. An average of \$7,263.50 per loan.

3. Unmatured Balance	Interest per cent on Unmatured Balance
\$ 43,934,572	3.50
106,421	3.75
444,157	4.00
1,966,830	4.25
9,741,915	4.50
26,394,034	4.75
28,077,588	5.00
1,204,547	6.375
30,935	6.50
3,027,030	6.75
53,534,161	7.00

Order Paper Questions

6,286,224	7.50
5,433,757	7.75
7,562,730	8.00
4,041,625	8.25
12,759,172	8.50
4,544,030	8.75
2,016,117	9.00
5,832,538	9.25
292,184	9.50
3,110,142	9.75
1,883,302	10.00
213,639	10.75
188,874	12.75
20,824	13.00
8,017	13.25
12,097	13.50
135,529	14.00
13,129	15.75
\$222,816,120	

DVA—ADVERTISING PROGRAMS AND BENEFITS

Question No. 618—**Mr. Towers:**

In the fiscal year (a) 1980-81 (b) 1981-82 (c) 1982-83 did the Department of Veterans Affairs spend any amount in informing veterans of programs and benefits available to them and, if so, in each case, what amount?

Hon. W. Bennett Campbell (Minister of Veterans Affairs):
Yes. (a) \$100,162, (b) \$104,923, (c) \$149,887.

VETERANS EMPLOYED BY CROWN CORPORATIONS

Question No. 619—**Mr. Towers:**

Are any veterans currently employed by Crown corporations and, if so, by corporation, what number?

Mr. John Evans (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): The information requested is not available. The personnel record of an employee may or may not indicate if the employee is a veteran.

VETERANS EMPLOYED BY GOVERNMENT

Question No. 620—**Mr. Towers:**

Are any veterans currently employed by the Government and, if so, by department, what number?

Mr. John Evans (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): The information requested is not available. The personnel record of an employee may or may not indicate if the employee is a veteran.

VETERANS' PENSIONS

Question No. 622—**Mr. Towers:**

Are any veterans currently receiving burnt-out pensions and, if so, by province, what number?

Hon. W. Bennett Campbell (Minister of Veterans Affairs):
The number of individuals receiving War Veterans Allowance and Civilian War Allowances is as follows: