

of the Canadian Radio-Television Commission on satellites, CATV, microwave and CATV, commercial policy, extension of service, FM radio, integration and rationalization of Canadian broadcasting, mentioned in answer to Question Number 82 as reported in *Hansard* on page 1137, November 24, 1969.

[Translation]

**Hon. Gérard Pelletier (Secretary of State):** Mr. Speaker, the Canadian Radio-Television Commission advises me that the studies mentioned in notice of motion No. 271 for production of papers are based on privileged financial information communicated to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, in accordance with the Statistics Act.

For the above-mentioned reasons and as a result of the request made by the Canadian Radio-Television Commission, I would ask the hon. member to kindly withdraw that motion.

[English]

**Mr. Rose:** Agreed, Mr. Speaker.

**Mr. Speaker:** The motion is withdrawn.

Order discharged and motion withdrawn.

#### REPORT ON ATTITUDES OF INDIAN PEOPLE

Motion No. 300—**Mr. Howard (Skeena):**

That an Order of the House do issue for a copy of the report on attitudes of Indian people based mainly on a visit to the Six Nations Reserve on July 16, 1969, submitted to the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development by Berger, Tisdal, Clark and Lesley Ltd., as referred to on page 6 of the quarterly report on public relations activity, June, July, August, 1969 by the said Berger, Tisdal, Clark and Lesley Ltd.

**Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre):** Stand.

**Mr. Speaker:** Stand.

#### FEASIBILITY REPORT ON ALBERTA-MONTREAL PIPELINE

Motion No. 308—**Mr. Douglas (Nanaimo-Cowichan-The Islands):**

That an Order of the House do issue for a copy of the feasibility report prepared in the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce regarding the construction of an oil pipeline from Alberta to Montreal.

**Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council):** Mr. Speaker, as the House was informed in response to a similar inquiry earlier last year, internal working papers have been prepared from time to time on various oil policy questions. However, these papers are privileged matter and cannot be tabled. In view of this,

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the Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce would hope the hon. member would withdraw his motion.

**Mr. Douglas (Nanaimo-Cowichan-The Islands):** Mr. Speaker, since the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources has quoted from this report and has made known what purports to be the conclusion of the report, it seems to me hon. members are entitled to it.

**Mr. Macdonald (Rosedale):** Transfer for debate.

**Mr. Speaker:** Transferred for debate.

#### TARIFF BOARD REPORT ON BINDER TWINE

Motion No. 343—**Mr. Saltsman:**

That an Order of the House do issue for a copy of the Tariff Board Report on Binder Twine for Bailing Farm Produce.

**Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council):** Mr. Speaker the requested report was tabled in the House by the Minister of Finance on June 20, 1969 as sessional paper 85B. In the circumstances perhaps the hon. member will agree to withdraw his motion.

**Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre):** Mr. Speaker, at last we have found out how to obtain information: We must ask for something we already have.

Order discharged and motion withdrawn.

**Mr. Speaker:** Shall the remaining notices of motions stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

### ORAL QUESTION PERIOD

#### THE CANADIAN ECONOMY

##### INFLATION—CONSENSUS REACHED BY NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PRICE STABILITY—ACTION BY GOVERNMENT

**Hon. Robert L. Stanfield (Leader of the Opposition):** Mr. Speaker, may I direct a question to the Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, who I am sure will be very frank and full in his disclosures.

**Mr. Bell:** Mostly full.

**Mr. Stanfield:** I would ask the minister whether the government, having virtually reviled and spat upon guidelines as an instrument for fighting inflation for two years while inflation galloped along, is now prepared to