

(i) the Code, as so amended, meets the requirements and preoccupations of the CRTC concerning advertising to children;

(ii) the CRTC will ensure that the methods and procedures used to enforce the Code are effective; and

(iii) if it should become evident during the coming months that the Code is not providing satisfactory control, the CRTC will take regulatory action.

THAT your honourable house did concur in the recommendations hereinbefore recited knowing of, despite and notwithstanding the said Code, as so amended, as the following comment extracted from the said Second Report confirms:

"In the wake of your Committee's study . . . The Canadian Association of Broadcasters, by its own volition, tightened up their Code;

"However, it is the opinion of your Committee that any Code, regardless how excellent in itself, would need a much tougher enforcement system . . . your Committee feels . . . that a CRTC regulation (should) be brought into effect in order to enforce a new and more restricting Code.";

THAT the public announcement of the CRTC, hereinbefore cited, makes no reference whatsoever to action taken or abstained from by the CRTC with respect to advertising directed to children from American programming distributed on the Canadian cable systems;

THAT it appears from the matters hereinbefore recited and set out that the CRTC has wilfully failed to implement the aforesaid recommendations of your honourable house and has wilfully pursued a course that has been explicitly rejected by your honourable house;

THAT your petitioners, as well for themselves as for other Canadians resident in Canada, are personally aggrieved thereby by reason that they and each of them are interfered with and are prejudiced in their and each of their private enjoyment of a public right;

THAT this grievance, so caused, presently exists and will continue to exist for so long as the recommendations of your honourable house are not implemented by the CRTC and, moreover, is a grievance that is aggravated during this pre-Christmas season;

THAT therefore the grievance of your petitioners is a present personal grievance requiring an immediate remedy;

THAT except by petition to your honourable house no remedy is available to your petitioners whereby they may obtain relief from this grievance;

WHEREFORE your petitioners humbly pray that your honourable house will find means of prevailing upon the CRTC:

1. forthwith to make regulations to provide that broadcast advertising must not be directed exclusively to children; and
2. forthwith to make regulations to require the deletion of advertising directed to children from American programming distributed on the Canadian cable systems;

and that your honourable house will provide such further and other relief in the premises as to your honourable house seems just and meet.

AND your petitioners, as in duty bound, now prayeth and will ever pray.

AND your petitioners have, and each of them hath, signed at the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, this 23rd day of October, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Three.

Ann Young
Marilyn Lister
Natalie MacPhee
J. A. McGrath, M.P.
St. John's East

Oil ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

FINANCE, TRADE AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

Third report of Standing Committee on Finance, Trade and Economic Affairs—Mr. Herbert.

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FEDERAL-PROVINCIAL-MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

TABLING OF FEDERAL BACKGROUND PAPERS AND STATEMENTS AT SECOND TRI-LEVEL CONFERENCE

Hon. Ron Basford (Minister of State for Urban Affairs): Mr. Speaker, I should like to table in both official languages the Federal background papers and statements from the second national tri-level conference held in Edmonton this week relating to the management of growth, housing and land strategy, urban transportation and public finance.

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ENERGY

ALLEGED DIVERSION OF OIL SHIPMENTS DESTINED TO CANADA—REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT TO MOVE MOTION

Mr. Lorne Nystrom (Yorkton-Melville): Mr. Speaker, I rise under the provisions of Standing Order 43 on a motion of national importance. In view of the fact that multinational oil companies are diverting to the United States shipments of Middle East oil and also as of today, according to my understanding, Venezuelan oil originally destined for eastern Canada, and in view of Venezuela's reported desire to deal directly with the Canadian government on oil matters, I would move, seconded by the hon. member for Sault Ste. Marie (Mr. Symes):

That this House instructs the government to introduce legislation as soon as possible to establish a publicly-owned Canada Petroleum Corporation which would have, among other powers, exclusive jurisdiction over the importation of crude oil into Canada.

Mr. Speaker: This motion proposed under the terms of Standing Order 43 requires unanimous consent.

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

Mr. Speaker: There is not unanimous consent.