

Questions

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UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMANTS,
ROUYN-VAL D'OR, QUE.**Question No. 997—Mr. Laprise:**

1. How many appeals were made to the board of referees by claimants at the unemployment insurance commission office at (a) Rouyn (b) Val d'Or, during the year 1963 and, of that number (i) how many decisions were modified (ii) how many were maintained?

2. How many claimants were considered ineligible because they left their jobs voluntarily?

3. How many claimants were considered ineligible because they refused to accept the job offered?

4. What has been the total number of unemployed claimants who registered at the unemployment insurance commission office at (a) Rouyn (b) Val d'Or for the years 1960, 1961, 1963, and 1964?

Mr. MacEachen: 1.

	No. of		
	Appeals	Allowed	Disallowed
Rouyn	232	34	198
Val d'Or	122	10	112

2. 586 in Rouyn and 536 in Val d'Or.

3. 334 in Rouyn and 147 in Val d'Or.

4. Information not available. However, following is the number of initial and renewal claims received in the period concerned.

	Rouyn		Val d'Or	
	Initial	Renewal	Initial	Renewal
1960	9,994	3,684	7,125	3,249
1961	9,145	3,687	6,400	3,012
1962	8,697	3,290	5,854	2,567
1963	8,234	3,374	6,063	2,574
1964	3,067	1,271	2,214	858

(to 31 March)

Many of the claimants filing renewal claims would be the same as those filing initial claims in the same year.

INVITATIONS TO CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION
MINISTER, SKEENA CONSTITUENCY**Question No. 1,003—Mr. Howard:**

Has the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration been invited to attend any function or visit any place in the electoral district of Skeena for 1964, and, if so, with respect to each such invitation, by whom was the invitation given, for what function or purpose, at what time or times, and has it been (a) accepted or (b) declined?

Mr. Badanai: The Minister of Citizenship and Immigration has received an invitation from Mr. John Poussette to inspect the condition of historic totem poles in the electoral district of Skeena in the summer of 1964. (a) Mr. Poussette has been advised by Mr. Tremblay that it would please him to accept this kind invitation but that it is not yet

certain when the minister will visit British Columbia or how much time will be available to him for this purpose. If the minister cannot join Mr. Poussette personally a senior official of the Indian affairs branch will be asked to go along with Mr. Poussette and report to the minister. (b) Not applicable.

INVITATIONS TO FINANCE MINISTER, SKEENA
CONSTITUENCY**Question No. 1,006—Mr. Howard:**

Has the Minister of Finance been invited to attend any function or visit any place in the electoral district of Skeena for 1964, and, if so, with respect to each such invitation, by whom was the invitation given, for what function or purpose, at what time or times, and has it been (a) accepted or (b) declined?

Mr. Benson: No.INVITATIONS TO INDUSTRY MINISTER, SKEENA
CONSTITUENCY**Question No. 1,009—Mr. Howard:**

Has the Minister of Industry and Minister of Defence Production been invited to attend any function or visit any place in the electoral district of Skeena for 1964, and, if so, with respect to each such invitation, by whom was the invitation given, for what function or purpose, at what time or times, and has it been (a) accepted or (b) declined?

Mr. Drury: No.INVITATIONS TO LABOUR MINISTER,
SKEENA CONSTITUENCY**Question No. 1,011—Mr. Howard:**

Has the Minister of Labour been invited to attend any function or visit any place in the electoral district of Skeena for 1964, and, if so, with respect to each such invitation, by whom was the invitation given, for what function or purpose, at what time or times, and has it been (a) accepted or (b) declined?

Mr. MacEachen: No.INVITATIONS TO MINES AND TECHNICAL SURVEYS
MINISTER, SKEENA CONSTITUENCY**Question No. 1,012—Mr. Howard:**

Has the Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys been invited to attend any function or visit any place in the electoral district of Skeena for 1964, and, if so, with respect to each such invitation, by whom was the invitation given, for what function or purpose, at what time or times, and has it been (a) accepted or (b) declined?

Mr. Benidickson: No.INVITATIONS TO POSTMASTER GENERAL,
SKEENA CONSTITUENCY**Question No. 1,018—Mr. Howard:**

Has the Postmaster General been invited to attend any function or visit any place in the electoral district of Skeena for 1964, and, if so,