

Order Paper Questions

cials, other airline heads, and to certain CN employees performing functions for Air Canada as well. These policies are similar to those of other Canadian airlines. (c) The pass recipient is usually the requestor except in the case of employees' dependents when the employee is the requestor.

2. Passes are generally not returned except on rare occasions when they are not used.

AIR CANADA PASSES

Question No. 1,559—**Mr. Blackburn:**

1. What were the names and official positions of employees of departments, agencies and Crown corporations who were holders of Air Canada passes as of February 3, 1975?

2. Do such passes entitle the holder to first-class or to economy travel?

Hon. Jean Marchand (Minister of Transport): The management of Air Canada advises as follows: 1. Air Canada's 22,000 employees and their qualified dependents are eligible for limited personal passes which are subject to the availability of space at flight time. Passes are also issued to company employees as required for business travel, and term passes are provided to non-company persons such as cabinet ministers, Ministry of Transport officials with aviation responsibility, officials of Canada Post Office, heads of other airlines, and to certain CN employees performing functions for Air Canada. These policies are similar to those applied by the other Canadian airlines.

2. Taking into consideration all pass issues, the majority entitle the holder to economy travel but these passholders may at times be upgraded if space is unavailable in the economy cabin.

NATIONAL DEFENCE—PERSONNEL INVOLVED IN OCTOBER, 1970 CRISIS

Question No. 1,570—**Mr. Kaplan:**

1. How many members of the Armed Forces were involved directly or indirectly in the government's response to the insurrection in Montreal in October, 1970?

2. What proportion of Armed Forces personnel then in Canada did this number represent?

Hon. James Richardson (Minister of National Defence): 1. The number of Armed Forces personnel who were directly involved was as follows:

Period	Number of Personnel
October 18—October 31, 1970	8,066
November 1—November 30, 1970	7,200
December 1—December 15, 1970	4,211
December 15, 1970—January 4, 1971	Reduced to Nil

No precise number can be given for Armed Forces personnel who were involved indirectly. However, the following indicates the type of support involved: Staff personnel at National Defence Headquarters and various Command

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Headquarters, who prepared orders and arranged for administrative and logistic support. Air Transport Command resources. Depot, workshop and repair facilities. Bases support in the despatch of personnel and administrative functions.

2. The proportion varied over the time frames between October 18, 1970 and January 4, 1971, however, as there were approximately 83,600 Armed Forces personnel stationed in Canada at that time the highest percentage directly involved was 9.6 per cent.

LAND USE POLICY

Question No. 1,771—**Mr. Clark (Rocky Mountain):**

What specific steps are being taken by the government to discourage the non-agricultural use of agricultural land in Canada?

Mr. Len Marchand (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of the Environment): The administration and regulation of use of lands is a provincial jurisdiction. The government of Canada is, however, undertaking a comprehensive review of all activities within its area of responsibilities that directly affect land use and particularly the use of highly productive lands including agriculture. As indicated in the Speech from the Throne of the 29th Parliament, discussions have been initiated with the provinces towards the development of a national land use policy. In addition the government of Canada requires the preparation of an environmental assessment and review of all capital projects undertaken by a federal department, in which there are substantive federal funds or occurring on federal lands. By this means the irretrievable use of highly productive lands, including those with a high capability for agriculture, can be controlled.

CRESTON VALLEY WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT

Question No. 1,781—**Mr. Brisco:**

1. What percentage of the capital cost of operating the Creston Valley Wildlife Management area is paid for by the (a) government (b) Government of British Columbia.

2. Are the salaries of employees paid by the provincial government or the government.

Mr. Len Marchand (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of the Environment): 1. The Creston Valley Wildlife Management Area operates using funds derived from: (i) grants to a trust fund by the governments of Canada and British Columbia; (ii) appropriations by the B.C. legislature. Summary of funds provided to the Creston Valley Wildlife Management Area for 1974-75: (i) Grants to trust fund 1974-75: Canada, \$55,000; British Columbia, \$55,000; (ii) Appropriation by B.C. legislature: 1974-75, \$72,130; Percentage contributed by Canada, 30 per cent; British Columbia, 70 per cent. In addition the B.C. department of labour supplied \$44,000 for summer help in 1974-75. All building maintenance is done by the B.C. department of public works. The C.V.W.M.A. also derives limited revenue from the granting of permits, campground fees, etc.

2. Employees are paid by the British Columbia government out of funds appropriated for the Creston Valley Wildlife Management Area.