

list of the more than 53,000 projects currently under way under the Canadian Jobs Strategy at the Department of Employment and Immigration.

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PETITIONS

GOVERNMENT RESPONSE

Mr. Pierre H. Vincent (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Finance): Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 106(8), I have the honour to table in both official languages the government response to two petitions, Nos. 331-486 and 331-518.

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INTERPARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION

REPORT OF CANADIAN GROUP INTERPARLIAMENTARY UNION— SIXTH CONFERENCE ON EUROPEAN CO-OPERATION AND SECURITY

Mr. Benno Friesen (Surrey—White Rock—North Delta): Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 101, I have the honour to present to the House the report, in both official languages, of the official parliamentary delegation of the Canadian Group Interparliamentary Union to the Sixth Interparliamentary Conference on European co-operation and security in Bonn from May 26 to 31, 1986.

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[Translation]

STRIKING

PRESENTATION OF THIRTY-NINTH REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Mr. Scott Fennell (Ontario): Mr. Speaker, I have the honour of tabling the Thirty-Ninth Report of the Striking Committee.

[Editor's Note: For above report, see today's Votes and Proceedings.]

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PETITIONS

REQUEST FOR REVOCATION OF CHANGES TO UI REGULATIONS CONCERNING PRE-RETIRED PERSONS

Mr. Fernand Robichaud (Westmorland—Kent): Mr. Speaker, it is my duty to present to the House two petitions from constituents in my riding, residing in the villages of

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Richibucto, Cocagne and Harcourt. These petitions concern changes made in the Unemployment Insurance Act last January and demand that the changes considered unfair to early retirees be revoked.

GOVERNMENT'S EFFORTS TOWARD DEVELOPING PEACE IN THE WORLD—SUPPORT OF STUDENTS

Mr. Gabriel Fontaine (Lévis): Mr. Speaker, this is a petition from young students at the Lévis Polyvalente and Lévis-Lauzon CEGEP. It is a message of peace which supports our Government in its efforts to promote peace in this world.

[English]

MORGENTALER CLINIC IN TORONTO—REQUEST FOR REMOVAL OF ALLEGED RESTRICTIONS ON POLICE

Mr. A. H. Harry Brightwell (Perth): Mr. Speaker, I have the honour to present a petition from constituents of my riding of Perth asking that any restrictions placed on the police force of Metropolitan Toronto in regard to the laying of charges under Section 251 of the Criminal Code be removed so that they may lay charges against the operators of the premises known as the Morgentaler Clinic. My constituents believe that the performance of an unlawful abortion is an affront to law-abiding citizens of Canada.

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CURRENCY ACT

MEASURE TO AMEND

Hon. Stewart McInnes (Minister of Supply and Services) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-118, an Act to amend the Currency Act.

Mr. Speaker: Shall the Hon. Minister have leave to introduce the Bill?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion agreed to, Bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

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MOTION TO ADJOURN UNDER S.O. 29

DETERIORATING SITUATION IN SOUTH AFRICA—CANADIAN RESPONSE

Hon. Lloyd Axworthy (Winnipeg—Fort Garry): Mr. Speaker, I rise pursuant to Standing Order 29 to ask leave to propose a motion to adjourn the House for the purpose of discussing a specific and important matter requiring urgent consideration, namely, the deteriorating situation in South Africa and the urgent need for an effective Canadian response. The reason I ask for an emergency debate at this time was clearly amplified during Question Period. Conditions in South