

Order Paper Questions

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| (4) Provinces | 1971/72 |
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| Newfoundland | 495,959 |
| Prince Edward Island | 95,108 |
| Nova Scotia | 535,558 |
| New Brunswick | 362,195 |
| Quebec | 3,333,932 |
| Ontario | 1,800,466 |
| Manitoba | 333,461 |
| Saskatchewan | 581,379 |
| Alberta | 494,089 |
| Northwest Territories | 56,871 |
| British Columbia | 766,286 |
| Yukon Territory | 41,768 |
| Canada | 8,897,072 |

PATENTS HELD BY NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL

Question No. 249—**Mr. Andre:**

1. How many patents are held by or on behalf of the National Research Council?

2. From how many patents are royalties being realized and what was the cumulative amount realized during the fiscal year 1971-72?

Hon. C. M. Drury (President of the Treasury Board): In so far as the National Research Council of Canada and Canadian Patents and Development Limited are concerned, the answer is as follows: 1. As at March 31, 1972, Canadian Patents and Development Limited administered 350 inventions originating at the National Research Council of Canada; 124 of these inventions were licensed.

2. During the fiscal year 1971-72, Canadian Patents and Development Limited received royalties of \$146,904.83 from licences covering 108 inventions.

PUBLIC WORKS—PURCHASE OF PROPERTIES,
WELLINGTON STREET, OTTAWAQuestion No. 287—**Mr. Hees:**

1. Has the government made any purchase or are they in the process of making a purchase of any property or properties on the south side of Wellington Street between Elgin Street and Bank Street and, if so, what property or properties is or are involved, and what is the purchase price of each?

2. If expropriation proceedings are not being used, was any pressure brought to bear on any owner to sell to the government?

3. Does the government intend to use any building that is so acquired and, if so, for what purpose?

Hon. Jean Eudes Dubé (Minister of Public Works): 1. Yes. Negotiations have been completed for the purchase of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company land and building on Wellington Street and, in addition, the Orme property also owned by Metropolitan Life, on the north side of Sparks Street, which is complementary to the Metropolitan Life site frontage on Sparks Street. The purchase price of the Metropolitan Life building and holdings is \$15,200,000 and the estimated cost of relocation of computer equipment is \$250,000.

2. No.

[Mr. Andras.]

3. Yes. The Government is urgently in need of additional office accommodation in Ottawa and the Metropolitan Life building is ideally located for government needs and is in good condition. There are a number of departmental requirements which could be met in this building having regard for the termination date of a number of existing leases and as well it would be equally available for alternative use such as parliamentary support groups or any parliamentary requirement.

MOTIONS FOR PAPERS

Mr. John M. Reid (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, Notices of Motions for the Production of Papers Nos. 1, 30, and 46 are acceptable to the government. Notice of Motion for the Production of Papers No.—

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. Will the hon. parliamentary secretary hold his fire for just one moment. I believe he has referred to notices of motions Nos. 1, 30 and 46. Is it the pleasure of the House that these notices of motions be deemed to have been adopted?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

COPY OF RETURN SHOWING ELECTION EXPENSES ON
BEHALF OF CANDIDATES IN GENERAL ELECTION,
OCTOBER 30, 1972Motion No. 1—**Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre):**

That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing, by electoral districts, the total amount of election expenses on behalf of each candidate in the General Election of October 30, 1972, as indicated in the return respecting election expenses submitted on behalf of each candidate, as required under the provisions of Section 63 of the Canada Elections Act; and showing also the names, by electoral districts, of any candidates on whose behalf election expense returns have not been submitted.

Motion agreed to.

COPIES OF FEDERAL PLEBESCITES OR REFERENDA
HELD SINCE 1867Motion No. 30—**Mr. Forrestall:**

That an Order of the House do issue for copies of all federal plebescites or referenda held since 1867, with the wording as it appeared on the ballot, the results and the statutory provision in each case.

Motion agreed to.

COPY OF LIST OF PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES
PREPARED BY CANADIAN GOVERNMENT ADVISORY
BOARDMotion No. 46—**Mr. Orlikow:**

That an Order of the House do issue for a copy of the list of pharmaceutical companies that comply with government standard 74-GP-1(c) prepared for the government by the Canadian Government Advisory Board on Drug Procurement.