

among the Directors nominated by CDIC. However, the terms do limit the Board's ability to make decisions on some strategic matters in that four out of five members of the Board must support such motions as changes to the current product lines and investment of borrowed capital.

2. CDIC has held negotiations with G + W for the purchase of 51 per cent of Ginn and GLC. (In response to the CDIC offer, G + W put together a combined package for Ginn and GLC, another company acquired by G + W and subject to divestiture requirements pursuant to the Baie Comeau Policy.) These negotiations established the terms and conditions of sale as set out in the acquisition agreement. The acquisition agreement between CDIC and G + W stemmed from the agreement signed by Investment Canada and G + W to satisfy Investment Canada's Canadian ownership requirements. Investment Canada correspondence constituted setting deadlines and monitoring negotiations with G + W.

BUDGET PEAK OF APRIL 26, 1989

Question No. 74—Mr. Milliken:

Did the Minister of Finance consult with non-governmental constitutional experts following the Budget leak of April 26, 1989 and, if so, what are the full names and occupations of those experts?

**Hon Micheal Wilson (Minister of Finance):** Yes.

1) Mr. Roger Tassé, O.C., Q.C. Mr. Tassé is currently Executive Vice-President, Legal and Environmental Affairs at Bell Canada. He is former Deputy Minister of Justice and Deputy Attorney General of Canada and former Deputy Solicitor General of Canada.

2) The Hon. Eugene Forsey, O.C., Ph.D., D.C.L., L.L.D., D.Litt., P.C. Dr. Forsey is a distinguished constitutional scholar. He was summoned to the Senate in 1970 and retired in 1979. He is the author of numerous articles, books and pamphlets on constitutional issues, Canadian history and economics.

3) Professor Peter W. Hogg, Q.C. Professor Hogg is a professor of law at the Osgoode Hall Law School of York University. He is the author of the leading text on Canadian Constitutional law.

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### QUESTIONS PASSED AS ORDERS FOR RETURNS

**Hon. Jean J. Charest (Minister of State (Youth) and Minister of State (Fitness and Amateur Sport) and Deputy Leader of the Government on the House of Commons):** Mr. Speaker, if questions Nos. 20 and 59 could be made orders for returns, those returns would be tabled immediately.

**Mr. Speaker:** The questions listed by the Hon. Parliamentary Secretary have been answered. Is it the pleasure of the House that questions Nos. 20 and 59 be made orders for returns?

**Some Hon. Members:** Agreed.

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### STUDENTS' REFUSAL OF ASSISTANCE

Question No. 20—**Mr. Skelly (Comox—Alberni):**

In the fiscal years 1987-88 and 1988-89, were Aboriginal students refused post-secondary educational assistance by the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development and, if so, in what numbers (a) overall (b) among those funded under C-31 in (i) each region of the country (ii) each of the categories outlined in the departmental communiqué of May 14, 1987?

Return tabled.

### ERRORS IN FREE TRADE AGREEMENT SYNOPSIS

Question No. 59—**Mrs. Stewart:**

Is the government aware of any printing errors or statements in the Canada-United States Free Trade Agreement Synopsis, which was published and widely circulated before the November 21, 1988 election, which do not accurately reflect specific details or the intent of the Free Trade Agreement which became law on January 1, 1989 and, if so, with reference to the Synopsis and corresponding reference to the actual legislation of the Free Trade Agreement, what are they?

Return tabled.

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### STARRED QUESTIONS

**Hon. Jean Charest (Minister of State (Youth) and Minister of State (Fitness and Amateur Sport) and Deputy Leader of the Government in the House of Commons):** Mr. Speaker, would you be so kind as to call starred questions Nos. 33 and 61?