

LEGAL COUNSEL FOR NHB

Question No. 2,645—**Mr. McCain:**

Did the National Harbours Board engage outside legal counsel to defend an action brought by Joseph Likely Ltd. concerning a matter involving the Port of Saint John, New Brunswick and, if so, what amount was paid to date for the services and to whom was it paid?

Mr. Robert Bockstael (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Transport): The National Harbours Board advises as follows: Yes. The amount paid to date is \$85,787.25. It was paid to Mr. Mockler from the legal firm of Hoyt, Mockler, Allen and Dixon.

EDUCATION TRANSFER PAYMENTS TO PROVINCES

Question No. 2,656—**Mr. Herbert:**

1. In each of the past five years, by province, what percentage of the total spending was the amount transferred unconditionally by the government to provincial treasuries for post-secondary education?

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2. At what level of instruction does the government consider that post-secondary education starts?

Hon. Gerald Regan (Secretary of State): 1. The table below shows the amounts transferred unconditionally by the Government of Canada to provincial treasuries for post-secondary education in each of the past five years.

2. The legislation authorizing the aforementioned unconditional transfers does not define the level of instruction at which post-secondary education starts. Other programs such as the Canada Student Loans Program, have their own definitions, as does Statistics Canada for statistical purposes. The CSLP is limited to the post-secondary level, i.e. any student attending full time at an educational institution other than an elementary or secondary school.

Established Programs Financing 1977
Post-Secondary Education
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	1977-1978 ¹			1978-1979 ²			1979-1980 ³		
	Cash	Tax	Total	Cash	Tax	Total	Cash	Tax	Total
Newfoundland	27,519	21,166	48,685	33,829	23,462	57,291	41,558	25,631	67,189
Prince Edward Island	5,474	4,511	9,985	7,043	4,057	12,100	8,910	5,457	14,367
Nova Scotia	43,532	31,336	74,868	51,598	34,400	85,998	61,406	37,878	99,284
New Brunswick	33,787	25,785	59,572	41,472	28,682	70,154	50,772	31,323	82,095
Québec	249,505	349,535	599,040	275,520	393,489	669,009	317,849	422,210	740,059
Ontario	418,543	348,633	767,176	494,128	385,115	879,243	578,433	417,629	996,062
Manitoba	55,959	38,620	94,579	64,658	41,642	106,300	74,757	45,920	120,677
Saskatchewan	47,926	35,163	83,089	57,591	38,983	96,574	69,469	42,485	111,954
Alberta	84,542	91,605	176,147	100,939	102,471	203,410	121,685	113,553	235,238
British Columbia	107,152	110,004	217,156	133,128	122,996	256,124	167,372	133,396	300,768
Yukon	918	1,151	2,069	1,105	1,236	2,341	1,270	1,352	2,622
Northwest Territories	2,319	1,691	4,010	2,645	1,899	4,544	3,012	2,140	5,152
Total	1,077,176	1,059,200	2,136,376	1,263,656	1,179,432	2,443,088	1,496,493	1,278,974	2,775,467

¹ Final calculation (29/9/80).

² Second interim adjustment (29/9/80).

³ First interim adjustment (29/9/80).

	1980-1981 ⁴			1981-1982 ⁵		
	Cash	Tax	Total	Cash	Tax	Total
Newfoundland	45,884	28,658	74,542	50,644	32,267	82,911
Prince Edward Island	9,835	6,143	15,978	10,803	6,884	17,687
Nova Scotia	67,453	42,130	109,583	74,214	47,285	121,499
New Brunswick	55,948	34,945	90,893	61,612	39,255	100,867
Québec	349,525	460,732	810,257	378,732	517,430	896,162
Ontario	636,747	464,917	1,101,664	698,284	524,354	1,222,638
Manitoba	81,363	50,818	132,181	88,910	56,648	145,558
Saskatchewan	76,687	47,897	124,584	93,827	44,948	138,775
Alberta	133,983	133,848	267,831	155,034	150,668	305,702
British Columbia	186,318	152,585	338,903	211,361	172,098	383,459
Yukon	1,375	1,504	2,879	1,494	1,696	3,190
Northwest Territories	3,249	2,278	5,527	3,464	2,568	6,032
Total	1,648,367	1,426,455	3,074,822	1,828,379	1,596,101	3,424,480

⁴ Second adjustment to advance (12/1/81).

⁵ Advance calculation (12/1/81).