

Order Paper Questions

Range of Net Family Income	Single Claimants Number of Children											
	One		Two		Three		Four		Five or More		Total	
	Number	Amount (\$000)	Number	Amount (\$000)	Number	Amount (\$000)	Number	Amount (\$000)	Number	Amount (\$000)	Number	Amount (\$000)
Under 501	65,740	13,148	20,732	8,293	6,690	4,014	3,020	2,416	1,856	2,142	98,038	30,013
501—1,000	9,530	1,906	23,095	9,238	8,736	5,242	354	283	240	260	41,955	16,929
1,001—1,500	7,457	1,491	6,381	2,552	4,340	2,604	4,669	3,735	290	290	23,137	10,673
1,501—2,000	6,848	1,370	4,134	1,654	1,980	1,188	2,370	1,896	2,349	2,565	17,681	8,672
2,001—2,500	7,985	1,597	3,733	1,493	1,881	1,129	742	594	726	946	15,067	5,758
2,501—3,000	6,631	1,326	2,392	957	1,178	707	444	355	792	1,004	11,437	4,349
3,001—3,500	5,276	1,055	4,873	1,949	1,496	898	530	424	490	550	12,665	4,876
3,501—4,000	6,860	1,372	3,756	1,502	1,479	887	938	750	418	470	13,451	4,982
4,001—4,500	5,571	1,114	2,202	881	1,560	936	520	416	270	273	10,123	3,620
4,501—5,000	6,957	1,391	2,063	825	1,643	986	233	186	313	341	11,209	3,729
5,001—5,500	5,387	1,077	3,648	1,459	794	476	124	99	704	752	10,657	3,864
5,501—6,000	4,951	990	1,926	770	1,017	610	234	187	64	66	8,192	2,624
6,001—6,500	5,472	1,094	2,362	945	1,337	802	421	337	460	460	10,052	3,638
6,501—7,000	6,123	1,225	4,283	1,713	1,547	928	606	485	37	40	12,596	4,391
7,001—7,500	7,468	1,494	3,463	1,385	1,438	863	161	129	0	0	12,530	3,870
7,501—8,000	6,773	1,355	4,380	1,752	1,337	802	207	166	114	121	12,811	4,196
8,001—8,500	7,135	1,427	2,640	1,056	1,615	969	272	218	53	53	11,715	3,723
8,501—9,000	6,907	1,381	3,750	1,500	1,284	770	318	254	39	41	12,298	3,947
9,001—9,500	7,292	1,458	2,825	1,130	765	459	434	347	200	208	11,516	3,603
9,501—10,000	6,108	1,222	2,585	1,034	789	473	297	238	96	132	9,875	3,099
10,001—11,000	11,657	2,331	7,381	2,952	2,141	1,285	651	521	170	186	22,000	7,275
11,001—12,000	10,641	2,128	6,527	2,611	2,731	1,639	746	597	230	265	20,875	7,239
12,001—13,000	8,531	1,706	7,212	2,885	2,236	1,341	319	255	146	173	18,444	6,361
13,001—14,000	5,924	1,185	5,135	2,054	2,120	1,272	369	295	34	35	13,582	4,841
14,001—15,000	5,754	1,151	3,493	1,397	1,213	728	473	378	169	172	11,102	3,826
15,001—16,000	5,182	1,036	3,643	1,457	1,539	923	248	198	119	122	10,731	3,738
16,001—17,000	4,688	938	3,330	1,332	804	482	423	338	105	105	9,350	3,195
17,001—18,000	3,857	771	3,636	1,454	968	581	86	69	25	25	8,572	2,900
18,001—20,000	5,602	864	3,520	1,235	1,464	812	361	271	39	38	10,986	3,219
20,001—22,000	3,911	208	2,189	541	276	127	139	92	35	41	6,550	1,009
22,001—24,000	0	0	2,248	340	550	189	58	32	40	36	2,896	597
24,001—26,000	0	0	1,196	71	399	90	209	98	1	1	1,805	260
26,001—28,000	0	0	0	0	249	36	35	11	0	0	284	48
28,001—30,000	0	0	0	0	313	16	70	15	0	0	383	31
30,001—32,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	3	6	2	20	5
32,001—34,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	4	0	0	42	4
34,001 & Over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0

[English]

Mr. Speaker: The questions enumerated by the parliamentary secretary have been answered. Shall the remaining questions be allowed to stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

[English]

INCOME TAX ACT

AMENDMENT TO PROVIDE TAX CREDIT IN RESPECT OF
MORTGAGE INTEREST AND PROPERTY TAX

The House resumed from Monday, November 19, consideration of the motion of the Minister of Finance (Mr. Crosbie)

[Mr. Baker (Nepean-Carleton).]

that Bill C-20, to amend the Income Tax Act to provide a tax credit in respect of mortgage interest and home owner property tax, be read the second time and referred to Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Bob Rae (Broadview-Greenwood): Mr. Speaker, last night we were treated to the humour of the Minister of Finance (Mr. Crosbie) and the humourlessness of the hon. member for Winnipeg-Fort Garry (Mr. Axworthy). I do not want to take up endless hours of the time of the chamber today but I do hope to focus the attention of the House on some constructive criticisms of this bill. I want to make it clear to the House, being the lead-off speaker for our caucus, that it is not our intention on this bill or any other bill to obstruct, hold up in any way or prevent the government from carrying on with its legislation.

However, there are two things which need to be said. The first is that important differences of principle need to be expressed and discussed both at second reading and in the committee. The second is that the government has the obligation to act in a manner expected of a minority government. If