

The private sector is engaged in technical and environmental studies which are funded in total in the amount of \$23.9 million.

2. Five employees.

3. Yes.

4. The funding outlined is under the Northern Economic Development Branch appropriations and the private sector.

OIL—ECOLOGY IN THE ARCTIC

Question No. 1,174—**Mr. Harding:**

1. Does the government have any information on investigations of the ecological implications of pipelines in the Arctic being carried out by private companies and, if so, what are the names of the companies?

2. Have any private oil companies received or applied for funds from the government to investigate any aspect of ecology in the Arctic?

3. Has Panarctic Oil commissioned or undertaken any research on the ecological implications of Antarctic pipelines.

Mr. J. A. Jerome (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): I am informed by the Departments of Indian Affairs and Northern Development, Environment and Energy, Mines and Resources as follows: 1. Mackenzie Valley Pipeline Research Limited; The Northwest Project Study Group; The Alberta Gas Trunk Line Company; The Arctic Gas Systems Study Group; The Mountain Pacific Project.

2. No.

3. Panarctic Oil is assisting the ALUR Program and doing studies on oil derrick foundations.

FEES PAID BY GOVERNMENT FOR LEGAL SERVICES IN THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Question No. 1,244—**Mr. Nielsen:**

1. For each year 1960 to 1965 inclusive, what was the total amount paid by the government for fees for legal services performed in the Northwest Territories (a) what are the names of each of the solicitors to whom such fees were paid (b) in each case, what was the total amount?

2. For each year 1966 to 1970 inclusive, what was the total cost for the operation of the office of the Crown Prosecutor in the Northwest Territories?

Hon. John N. Turner (Minister of Justice): 1.

1959-60	M. de Weerd	16,713	18,124
	D. J. Hagel	1,411	
1960-61	M. de Weerd	15,828	20,204
	R. F. Hyde	919	
	W. G. Morrow	3,457	
1961-62	W. D. Chilcott	2,571	17,884
	M. de Weerd	12,337	
	A. W. Miller	2,392	
	A. E. Williams	584	
1962-63	W. D. Chilcott	1,500	33,498
	M. de Weerd	25,831	
	A. W. Miller	796	
	D. H. Searle	3,730	
	A. E. Williams	1,641	

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1963-64	W. D. Chilcott	629	27,146
	M. de Weerd	7,036	
	A. Maloney	3,360	
	A. Miller	967	
	D. H. Searle	12,707	
	A. E. Williams	2,447	
1964-65	M. de Weerd	7,481	36,919
	D. H. Searle	16,967	
	J. D. Neilson	6,074	
	A. E. Williams	4,713	
	D. Hagel	670	
	W. Morrow	1,014	
			\$ 153,775

Note: Only fees of \$500 or over are included in the above figures. Records for expenditures of fees less than \$500 are not available.

2. For the years 1966/70 the total costs of the operation of the office of the Crown Prosecutor in the Northwest Territories were: 1966/67, \$21,039; 1967/68, \$31,763; 1968/69, \$33,254; 1969/70, \$32,044; 1970/71, \$44,894; Total: \$162,994.

Note: These costs include salaries, telephones, supplies, travel and accommodation.

NEWFOUNDLAND—DEVELOPMENT OF AGRICULTURAL INDUSTRY

Question No. 1,249—**Mr. Marshall:**

1. Has the government completed agreements with the Province of Newfoundland toward development of the provincial agricultural industry to a \$250 million production level?

2. Has the provincial government applied for federal assistance to establish egg processing facilities at Corner Brook, Newfoundland?

3. What will the federal contribution be toward this project?

4. Has the provincial government requested federal assistance to provide controlled temperature multiple storage facilities at Harbour Grace, Clarenville, Winterland, Robinsons and St. Anthony and, if so (a) how much money is involved (b) what will the federal contribution be?

Mr. Martin P. O'Connell (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Regional Economic Expansion): 1. No.

2. Yes; (Newfoundland Farm Products Corporation).

3. Approximately \$518,000 (20 per cent of approved capital costs plus \$5,000 per job).

4. Under discussion.

WEAPONS FORFEITED OR RETURNED—POLICE ORDER REGS. 1970, PC 1970-1808

Question No. 1,295—**Mr. Brewin:**

With respect to the answer to Question Number 248 at page 3139 of *Hansard*, February 8, 1971, how many weapons were returned to the owners and how many were forfeited?

Hon. Jean-Pierre Goyer (Solicitor General): I am informed as follows: Twenty-eight weapons were returned to 17 persons. The remaining weapons are still under seizure by the Quebec Police Force pending either court action or other disposition, none having been forfeited to date.