2. No, because 75 per cent of the turnover in 1977, 72 per cent in 1978 and 95 per cent in 1979, of the figures presented in part one, is represented by clerical positions where mobility is much higher than the administrative and sales positions. This is further compounded by the fact that the corporation is a small organization with very few promotion opportunities, consequently, employees often have to look outside for more senior positions. The above should be compared with a turnover of 19.3 per cent (1979) in the administrative support category of the public service where promotion opportunities are far greater.

# ROYAL CANADIAN MINT—CROWN ASSETS DISPOSAL CORPORATION—APPOINTEES

### Question No. 999-Mr. Cossitt:

- 1. Was Mr. Yvon Gariépy appointed master of the Royal Canadian Mint and, if so (a) on what date (b) who was the Minister of Supply and Services at the time?
- 2. Was Madam Claudette Nadeau appointed as head of the Crown Assets Disposal Corporation and, if so (a) on what date (b) who was the Minister of Supply and Services at the time?
- 3. Was Mrs. Anne Asselin, wife of the vice-president of finance and administration of Crown Assets Disposal Corporation, a member of the public service and, if so, was she employed in the office of the Hon. Jean-Pierre Goyer at any time?

# Hon. J.-J. Blais (Minister of Supply and Services): I am informed by the Royal Canadian Mint as follows:

- 1. Yes.
  - (a) June 16, 1975.
  - (b) Hon. Jean-Pierre Goyer.

I am informed by Crown Assets Disposal Corporation as follows:

- 2. Yes.
  - (a) August 11, 1975.
  - (b) Hon. Jean-Pierre Goyer.
- 3. No. However, Mrs. Anne Asselin was employed in the office of the Hon. Jean-Pierre Goyer from January 26, 1976, to April 20, 1976. Mrs. Asselin's salary was paid by the minister's exempt staff budget.

# FIRM OF POULIOT, MERCURE, LEBEL, DESROCHERS, LEGAULT AND DANCOSSE OF MONTREAL

#### Question No. 1,206—Mr. Cossitt:

- 1. What was the total cost for the legal services rendered by the firm of Pouliot, Mercure, LeBel, Desrochers, Legault and Dancosse of Montreal, to the Crown Assets Disposal Corporation during the past five years and (a) what is the breakdown for each year (b) how many cases were handled?
- 2. What is the description of the work done in each case and what was the cost?
- 3. (a) How many times has the firm been paid a retainer (b) on what dates and what was the amount in each case?

# Hon. J.-J. Blais (Minister of Supply and Services): I am informed by Crown Assets Disposal Corporation as follows:

1. \$25,993

## Motion for Papers

(a)	1975/76 — nil
	1976/77 — nil
	1977/78 — nil
	1978/79 — \$1,732
	1979/80 — \$14,139
	1980/81 — to date — \$10,122

(b) 10.

	(6)	
2.	Labour relations matter	\$1,732
	Labour relations matter	1,511
	Employee termination	1,043
	Labour relations matter	1,794
	Labour relations advice	1,807
	Submission to the Canada	
	Labour Relations Board (CLRB)	3,762
	Appeal to the Federal Court of Appeal of decision	1
	rendered by the CLRB on May 17, 1979	4,222
	Labour relations advice	619
	Appeal to Supreme Court of Canada	8,778

3. (a) None

(b) Not applicable.

Labour relations matter

#### MOTION FOR PAPERS

## [Translation]

Madam Speaker: The questions enumerated by the hon. parliamentary secretary have been answered.

#### [English]

Mr. D. M. Collenette (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Madam Speaker, notice of motion for the production of papers No. 17 is acceptable to the government subject to the usual reservations concerning confidential documents and internal working papers.

I ask that the other notice of motions for the production of papers be allowed to stand.

## [Translation]

Madam Speaker: Subject to the ordinary reservations mentioned by the parliamentary secretary, is it the pleasure of the House that notice of motion No. 17 be deemed to have been adopted?

#### Some hon. Members: Agreed.

# TRANSFER OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR STATISTICS CANADA TO TREASURY BOARD

#### Motion No. 17-Mr. Nystrom:

That an order of the House do issue for copies of all correspondence, memoranda, notes, minutes of meetings and other communications, concerning the transfer of responsibility for Statistics Canada in June, 1979 from the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce to the Treasury Board.

Motion agreed to.