

## Questions

2. If so, what is the name and address of the company receiving subsidy?
3. What was the amount of subsidy paid in connection with said services for years 1955-56, 1956-57, 1957-58?
4. Were tenders called, and if so, what are the names and addresses of those submitting tenders, and amounts tendered?

**Answer by: Hon. George H. Hees (Minister of Transport):**

1. Yes, for a passenger-cargo steamship service.
2. Magdalen Islands Transportation Company Limited, P.O. Box 730, Station 'B', Montreal, Que.
3. 1955-56, \$120,000; 1956-57, \$120,000; 1957-58, \$174,000.
4. No.

## POULTRY IMPORT LICENCES

**Question No. 275—Mr. Boulanger:**

How many poultry, broiler and turkey import licences have been issued since January 1, 1957, and to whom were such licences issued?

**Answer by: Hon. Gordon Churchill (Minister of Trade and Commerce):**

Turkey and fowl were placed under import control on July 17, 1957. Since that date 9 permits have been issued to import 308,249 pounds of turkey broilers, 11 permits to import 621,577 pounds of turkeys (heavier weights) and 61 permits to import 407,942 pounds of turkey parts. Fowl was removed from import control on May 30, 1958. Between July 17, 1957 and May 30, 1958 8 permits were issued to import 239,193 pounds of fowl (parts). Chicken broilers were not placed under import control.

It is contrary to government policy to reveal the names of those to whom import permits are issued.

[The following items were passed in committee of supply]:

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

## Science service—

715. Science service administration—operation and maintenance—further amount required, \$7,800.

## Production service—

## Health of animals—

716. Animal pathology—further amount required, \$27,725.

717. Payment of compensation to owners of animals affected with diseases coming under the Animal Contagious Diseases Act, which have died or have been slaughtered in circumstances not covered by the above act and regulations made thereunder, all as detailed in the estimates, \$3,500.

## Marketing service—

718. Subsidies for cold storage warehouses under the Cold Storage Act, and grants, in the amounts detailed in the estimates—further amount required, \$1.

719. Grants and other assistance in accordance with the Cheese and Cheese Factory Improvement Act—further amount required, \$81,951.

## Terminable services—

720. Agricultural lime assistance—further amount required, \$217,400.

721. Quality premiums on high grade hog carcasses, and administration costs—further amount required, \$230,000.

722. Contribution to the government of the province of Nova Scotia in respect of the emergency movement of hay to and within that province in such amount and subject to such terms and conditions as the governor in council prescribes—further amount required, \$1,739.

## Special—

723. Estimated amount required to recoup the agricultural commodities stabilization account for the net operating loss of the agricultural stabilization board during the fiscal year 1958-59, \$15,017,182.

## CANADIAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION

## International shortwave broadcasting service—

724. Maintenance and operation—further amount required, \$84,000.

## CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION

## Indian affairs branch—

## Indian agencies—

725. Operation and maintenance—further amount required, \$105,000.

## Welfare and economic development of Indians—

726. Operation and maintenance—further amount required, \$680,000.

## Education—

727. Administration, operation and maintenance—further amount required, \$1,183,436.

## DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

## A—Department and missions abroad—

728. Departmental administration—further amount required, \$139,000.

729. Canadian representation at international conferences—further amount required, \$63,000.

## B—General—

730. Canadian government's assessment for membership in international (including commonwealth) organizations, as detailed in the estimates, including authority to pay the amounts specified in the currencies of the countries indicated, notwithstanding that payments may exceed or fall short of the equivalent in Canadian dollars—further amount required, estimated as of March, 1959, \$202,188.

731. Canadian government's contribution to the operational budget of the international atomic energy agency in the amount of \$50,000, U.S., notwithstanding that payment may exceed or fall short of the equivalent in Canadian dollars, estimated as of March, 1959, which is \$48,500.

## International civil aviation organization—

732. Payment to the international civil aviation organization in part reimbursement of compensation paid to its Canadian employees for Quebec income tax for the 1957 taxation year—further amount required, \$1,059.

## Pensions and other benefits—

733. Pension to Miss Hilda L. Waddell, a former locally engaged employee, at an annual rate of 60,000 Brazilian cruzeiros, the equivalent in Canadian dollars for the balance of the present fiscal year being estimated at, \$175.