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less items listed in footnote 10:		
		\$220,050
Camera equipment	1,192	
Musical instruments	5,293	
Landing boat	1,000	25,299
		\$194,751
This balance is accounted for as follows		
Damage to DND property caused by		
mobile support equipment	\$ 93,000	
Material written off inventory as being		
outdated or obsolescent	94,447	
Material lost in transit	7,304	
Total	\$194.751	

DND—UNINSURED LOSSES OF VEHICLES

Question No. 2,974-Mr. Clarke:

With reference to the uninsured losses of more than \$1,000 of vehicles recorded by the Department of National Defence at page 13.4, volume 1 of the 1979-80 Public Accounts of Canada (a) how does the department explain the loss (b) under what circumstances were the vehicles lost and (i) who was culpable (ii) were any convictions made and, if so, what sentences were imposed (iii) are any trials or appeals pending (iv) was the equipment replaced (v) did the Department undertake steps to ensure that such losses did not recur and, if so, what were they?

Mr. George Henderson (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of National Defence): (a) and (b)(i), (ii) and (iii) The information requested is not readily available and the department does not have the necessary resources to review hundreds of accident reports at more than 50 bases and stations. (iv) Only the equipment still required by the forces is replaced. All losses and damages to public property are investigated to determine cause and responsibility. Remedial action is taken dependent on the situation and when negligence is determined disciplinary and/or recovery action is taken.

ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT AT EMBASSY OF U.S.S.R.

Question No. 3,609—Mr. Cossitt:

- 1. To the knowledge of the government, does the Embassy of the U.S.S.R. located at 285 Charlotte Street, Ottawa have electronic gear on the roof and, if so, what is the purpose of the equipment?
- 2. Are any of the items considered to be listening devices for the purpose of obtaining information from such sources as the Canadian Armed Forces and Canadian security organizations?
- 3. Are any of the items directional antennae and, if so, in what direction are they pointed and what government sources are they trained on?
- 4. Has the government ever complained to the Embassy about anything whatsoever to do with this general subject?

Hon. Mark MacGuigan (Secretary of State for External Affairs): 1. The government is aware that electronic apparatus consisting of antennae is located on the roof of the Embassy of the U.S.S.R. at 285 Charlotte Street, Ottawa. Any comment on the purpose of the antennae would be purely conjectural.

- 2. The antennae would appear to have the capability of monitoring various types of electronic emissions.
- 3. Some of the antennae appear to be directional and capable of covering a range of radio frequencies including microwave.

4. There is no record of any complaint having been made by the Government of Canada to the Embassy of the U.S.S.R. on this subject.

INMATES SERVING INDEFINITE SENTENCES

Question No. 3,901—Mr. Lawrence:

How many inmates in Canada are serving indefinite sentences as (a) dangerous sexual offenders (b) habitual offenders and, in each case (i) for how long have the offenders been serving their sentence (ii) how many offenders are currently on parole?

Hon. Bob Kaplan (Secretary of State): In so far as the Correctional Service of Canada is concerned: (a) There are 51 inmates presently serving indefinite sentences as dangerous sexual offenders. (i) See table below. (ii) There are currently 33 dangerous sexual offenders on parole.

(b) There are 38 inmates presently serving indefinite sentences as habitual offenders. (i) See table below. (ii) There are currently 63 habitual offenders on parole.

As a result of amendments to Part XXI of the Criminal Code which were proclaimed October 16, 1977, the categories of dangerous sexual offenders and habitual offenders were replaced by the new category of dangerous offenders.

The answers to the above questions with regard to dangerous offenders are as follows: There are 19 inmates presently serving indefinite sentences as dangerous offenders. (i) Date sentenced: See table below. (ii) There are currently no dangerous offenders on parole.

Dangerous Sexual Offenders

Case Number—Date Sentenced

1	18.11.1953
2	23.11.1953
3	07.02.1958
4	12.04.1972
5	17.09.1965
6	22.08.1962
7	25.10.1965
8	01.11.1974
9	11.03.1969
10	17.04.1964
11	24.08.1962
12	28.01.1966
13	04.09.1956
14	14.06.1976
15	09.03.1967
16	23.06.1961
17	15.03.1971
18	10.07.1975
19	31.01.1956
20	27.02.1970
21	24.08.1964
22	21.12.1964
23	13.02.1961
24	02.06.1971
25	13.06.1966
26	02.11.1972
27	28.03.1973
28	06.10.1966
29	05.12.1968
30	03.07.1956