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PRAYERS.

Pursuant to Standing Order 39(4), the following eleven Questions were made Orders of the House for Returns:

No. 310—*Mr. Coates*

1. Which Ministers in the present government have had their offices renovated since June 25th, 1968, in each case were both their offices in the House of Commons or Senate and their departmental offices renovated and what was the cost to the federal treasury for the renovations?

2. Did the Minister of Trade and Commerce move his departmental office to the Skyline Hotel and, if so, why and what is the floor space rented or leased at the Skyline Hotel, for what period of time was it leased and what is the rate of the rental and what will be the annual cost to the federal treasury?

No. 412—*Mr. Harding*

For the fiscal years 1964-65, 1965-66, 1966-67, 1967-68, 1968-69 (estimated) (a) what was the total subsidy paid by the federal government for the transport of coal (b) where, by province and company, did the subsidized coal shipments originate and in what quantities (c) to whom and in what amounts were the subsidies paid (d) of the total subsidized coal shipments, how much was (i) exported (ii) used in Canada?

No. 635—*Mr. Fortin*

1. Has the interdepartmental committee which was examining the possibility of adopting the metric system in Canada completed its study and, if so (a) when will its report be ready (b) when will it be tabled in the House?

2. What is government policy with respect to the objectives of the Standards Organization?