

*Order Paper Questions*

**Mr. Speaker:** Is it the pleasure of the House that the questions enumerated by the parliamentary secretary be deemed to have been made orders for return and that the returns be tabled in the manner described by the parliamentary secretary?

**Some hon. Members:** Agreed.

**Mr. Reid:** I ask, Mr. Speaker, that the remaining questions be allowed to stand.

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## PRIME MINISTER'S TRIP TO JAMAICA

## Question No. 1,226—Mr. Cossitt:

1. (a) What government aircraft transported the Prime Minister and his family at taxpayers' expense to and from Jamaica for the recent

- (d) (i) December 29, 1974 — Depart Ottawa — 11:15 — fuel stop Nassau  
   — Arrive Jamaica — 18:15 — stop Kingston  
 (ii) January 12, 1975 — Depart Jamaica — 12:25 — fuel stop Freeport  
   — Arrive Ottawa — 17:30

(e) 5,000 gal. of fuel at \$.58 per gal.

(f) Name	Job Designation	Salary
G. McAninch	Executive Pilot	\$26,274 to \$28,185
P. Laliberté	Executive Pilot	\$17,617 to \$20,384
A. Hodgins	Flight Engineer	\$6.31 per hour
D. Fraser	Flight Steward	\$6.16 per hour

(g) Passenger List:

Ottawa—Jamaica

Rt. Hon. P. E. Trudeau  
 Mrs. P. E. Trudeau  
 Master Justin Trudeau  
 Master Sacha Trudeau  
 Miss D. Lavergne  
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INCREASE IN LAND RENTAL FEES TO COTTAGE OWNERS  
ALONG RIDEAU CANAL

## Question No. 1,248—Mr. Cossitt:

1. What are all the reasons the government has commenced the increased land rental fees to owners of cottages on government property along the Rideau Canal by as much as 800 per cent?

2. What is the name and job designation of the highest official taking part in such a decision?

3. Taking as an example rental license number 60048 where an 800 per cent increase has been requested in return for a five year rental (a) what are the name or names, qualifications and addresses of appraisors who assessed the situation resulting (i) in such an increase (ii) in the rental established five years ago (b) what are all the factors uncovered that could possibly justify the government to contend that land value has increased 800 per cent in this area since 1969 to 1970?

4. How are gigantic rental increases by the government consistent with the fight against inflation?

[Mr. Reid.]

December and January vacation (b) what is the cost per hour of keeping such aircraft in the air including fuel, crew, etc. (c) how many flying hours were involved (d) on what date and time did the aircraft (i) leave Canada and arrive in Jamaica (ii) leave Jamaica and arrive in Canada (e) how many gallons of fuel were consumed in the entire operation and what was the cost per gallon of such fuel (f) what were the names, job designations and salaries in dollars of all crew members involved (g) what was the complete passenger list for any flights made?

2. Were any expenses whatsoever, other than transportation, paid for by the taxpayers and, if so, what is a complete itemized list with the amount of expense in each case?

**Hon. Mitchell Sharp (President of the Privy Council):**  
 I am informed by the Ministry of Transport and the Prime Minister's Office as follows: 1. (a) Ministry of Transport JetStar CF-ETN. (b) \$550 per hour. (c) Nine hours 45 minutes (9:45)—excluding fuel stops.

5. Will the Minister personally review this matter with a view to seeing that only reasonable and sensible rental increases along the Rideau Canal are charged?

**Mrs. Iona Campagnolo (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development):**

1. For many years, the rentals set for Canal lands did not reflect the land's true market value, and therefore many people had the use, benefit and enjoyment of this land but paid only a nominal rent. Following the Glassco Report, the government instituted a program of rental review to establish more realistic rates. While the percentage increases may seem substantial in comparison to the token amounts paid in the past, the rents being charged today are still reasonable compared to the prevailing rates in the