

Routine Proceedings

Mr. Cooper: I will have to take that as notice of an intervention by the member and we will see what we can do to find the information he requests.

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[*Translation*]

STRIKING COMMITTEE

FIFTIETH REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Mr. Jim Hawkes (Calgary West): Mr. Speaker, I have the honour to present the fiftieth report of the Striking Committee.

[*Editor's Note: See today's Votes and Proceedings.*]

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[*English*]

WAYS AND MEANS

TABLING OF NOTICE OF MOTION

Hon. John McDermid (Minister of State (Privatization and Regulatory Affairs)): Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 83(1), I wish to table copies of a notice of a Ways and Means motion to amend the Income Tax Act. I ask, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 83(2), that an Order of the Day be designated for the consideration of the said Ways and Means motion.

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PETITIONS

TURKEY

Hon. David MacDonald (Rosedale): Mr. Speaker, I am presenting to the House two petitions today. The first one is on behalf of Amnesty International, requesting that the House of Commons bring to the attention of the Turkish government its opposition to capital punishment and the hope that any death penalties imposed by the Turkish government will be commuted.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

Hon. David MacDonald (Rosedale): Mr. Speaker, the second petition is from residents of Rosedale riding in Toronto, urging the Canadian government to take immediate and effective measures to secure the release of a Canadian citizen, Mr. Yi-Sheh Leo, who is imprisoned at the moment in Taiwan.

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

Hon. Ralph Ferguson (Lambton—Middlesex): Mr. Speaker, I rise today under Standing Order 36 to present petitions signed by scores of dairy and poultry farmers across Ontario who ask this House to provide a remedy.

They are calling on Parliament to instruct the government to hold out our Canadian marketing system as an example to the rest of the world and to protect it in its entirety at all costs in the current round of GATT negotiations.

It is not acceptable that systems which are legislated by this House are being traded away in negotiations behind closed doors circumventing this Parliament.

[*Translation*]

VIOLENCE ON TELEVISION

Mr. Jean-Pierre Blackburn (Jonquière): Mr. Speaker, today I wish to table a petition with more than 2,000 signatures of residents of the Saguenay—Lac-Saint-Jean area, and more specifically the riding of Jonquière, who call upon Parliament to do what is necessary to encourage television broadcasting networks and cable companies to ban children's programs that show violence as a normal means of conflict resolution.

They also call upon this government to introduce regulations to ban children's programs that show violence and war, as well as the sale of toy rifles, machine guns, and so forth, and to set up a special fund to support the production of television series for children in which heroes and heroines are concerned about human rights, peace, international co-operation and so forth.

[*English*]

CANADA POST

Mr. Lawrence MacAulay (Cardigan): Mr. Speaker, it is an honour for me to present to this House petitions containing hundreds of names from the federal riding of Cardigan, Prince Edward Island.

The petitioners are opposed to the post office's harmful proposal to eliminate Saturday rural mail in Prince Edward Island. The people want this decision by Canada Post reversed and at the very least a six-month extension so that the decision can be examined to see if we can restore the service.