

No. 2,198—*Mr. MacLean*

1. With regard to the conventions approved by the United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea, Geneva, 1958, has Canada ratified (a) the Convention on the Territorial Sea and the Contiguous Zone (b) the Convention of the High Seas (c) the Convention on Fishing and Conservation of the Living Resources of the High Seas (d) the Convention on the Continental Shelf?

2. What other nations have ratified these conventions, in each case?—Sessional Paper No. 291-2/2,198.

No. 2,211—*Mr. Stackhouse*

1. How many applications for grants has DREE received from the Montreal special area since the Department was established?

2. How many applications have been (a) accepted, which ones and what was the amount involved in each case (b) rejected, which ones and for what reasons?

3. What were the names of industries in the Montreal special area, which having declared bankruptcy or having assigned their property or closed down later, obtained a grant from DREE?—Sessional Paper No. 291-2/2,211.

Mr. Reid, Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Privy Council, presented,—Returns to the foregoing Orders.

Ordered,—That speeches on the motion, pursuant to Standing Order 26, to be considered at 8.00 o'clock p.m. this day, "That this House do now adjourn", be limited to fifteen minutes with the exception of the prime speakers who shall be limited to twenty minutes.

The House resumed debate on the motion of Mr. Turner (Ottawa-Carleton), seconded by Mr. Sharp,—That Bill C-195, An Act to amend the Customs Tariff (No. 2), be now read a second time and referred to a Committee of the Whole.

And debate continuing;

[At 5.00 o'clock p.m., *Private Members' Business* was called pursuant to Standing Order 15(4)]

(*Notices of Motions*)

By unanimous consent, items numbered eleven and seventeen were allowed to stand.

Mr. Munro (Esquimalt-Saanich), seconded by Mr. Schumacher, moved,—That, in the opinion of this House, where a government programme entails the expenditure of public funds in excess of five million dollars annually to a purpose detailed only in an Appropriation Act and the programme continues in existence for more than one fiscal year, the government should introduce a measure to incorporate such programme in a distinct and detailed statute.—(*Notice of Motion No. 22*).

And debate arising thereon;

The hour for Private Members' Business expired.

Pursuant to Order made Thursday, July 12, 1973, and pursuant to Standing Order 26, at 8.00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Gleave, seconded by Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre), moved,—That this House do now adjourn.

After debate thereon, Mr. Speaker declared the motion carried.

Changes in Committee Membership

Notice having been filed with the Clerk of the House pursuant to Standing Order 65(4)(b), membership of Committees was amended as follows:

Miss MacDonald (Kingston and the Islands) for Mr. Jarvis on the Standing Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs.

Messrs. Symes and Harding for Messrs. Gleave and Nelson on the Special Committee on Trends in Food Prices.

At 1.07 o'clock a.m. (Tuesday), the House adjourned until 2.00 o'clock p.m., this day, pursuant to Standing Order 2(1).