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REFORM PARTY

Mr. Don Boudria (Glengarry—Prescott—Russell): Mr. Speaker, the cat is out of the bag. Today *The Sun* newspaper reports that racist group members have joined the Reform Party. According to their report, two founding members of an extremist racist group, namely the Heritage Front, have joined the Reform Party and at least one of them holds an executive position within that organization. This Reform Party office holder, we are told, hosted an Imperial Dragon Ku Klux Klan officer who visited Toronto last weekend.

Cliff Fryers of the Reform Party said that his party's "bright lights attract a lot of bugs". The Reform Party had better get its giant fly-swatter out this time.

This is Canada and there is no room here for racism and intolerance. A moment ago, I said that the cat is out of the bag. Maybe I should have said the "Klu" is out of the Klan.

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PETROLEUM MONITORING AGENCY

Mr. David Barrett (Esquimalt—Juan de Fuca): Mr. Speaker, I want to use this one minute to make a statement to focus on a mistaken policy by the present government. It has decided to terminate the Petroleum Monitoring Agency.

The Petroleum Monitoring Agency has a function of collecting and publishing information on the strategic petroleum industry, reserves, costs of production, rates of return, degree of foreign ownership and investment patterns. Above all issues, the God given resources of this country should be monitored by the government for the people of this country. There is a major concern about the intrusion of the seven sisters in the oil industry becoming majority stakeholders in our oil industry in this country. We need to know what is going on, we need to know who owns what and how much money they are taking out of Canada.

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Don't do this. Keep the Petroleum Monitoring Agency as it exists.

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CANADIAN PRAYER ALERT

Mr. Doug Fee (Red Deer): Mr. Speaker, this is a crucial period of our nation's history. We face serious challenges, both nationally and internationally. The Canadian Prayer Alert has reminded us that we can find help if we return to the religious roots that sustained and nurtured this country in its formative years.

The Dominion of Canada was founded upon principles that recognized the sovereignty of God and the rule of law. An invitation has been issued to all Canadians through their church leaders to join together this Sunday, March 1 and recognize a national day of prayer.

I endorse this idea and encourage all members of this House and concerned Canadians of all denominations to accept the invitation and join together in prayer on March 1 to pray for the unity of our nation and God's healing upon our land.

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IMMIGRATION

Mrs. Marlene Catterall (Ottawa West): Mr. Speaker, last night in the room right next door to this Chamber, friends and supporters of Peter Zujewski, Marzena Tomala and their Canadian-born daughter Agatha gathered to say farewell to a family who has deeply touched the hearts of the people of our community.

It is tragic that hundreds, perhaps thousands, of phone calls could not reach the hearts of this government and allow this family to stay in Canada. This community will not forget Peter, Marzena and Agatha and we will not forget the inflexible, unjust Minister of Employment and Immigration and the Prime Minister who are responsible for their plight. Even now as they prepare to leave voluntarily, a hearing to forcefully deport them will resume this afternoon.

Friends and supporters have established the Agatha Fund to continue their fight in her name against a system that produces such shameful results.

We want to change a system that is heartless, inhumane and unjust and unequal.