

FINANCIAL GRANTS UNDER NORTHERN RESOURCE
AIRPORTS PROGRAM

Question No. 187—**Mr. Harding:**

1. What was the total federal financial contribution for airstrip or airport construction under the Northern Resource Airports Program for the years 1964 to 1969 inclusive?
2. How many companies or individuals received grants under this Program?
3. What was (a) the name of each company or individual receiving a grant (b) the amount of the grant received (c) the

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
Applicant	Grant Received	Type of Operation	Cost of Project	Percentage of cost contributed by Federal Gov't.
Baffinland Iron Mines	\$ 8,200.00	Mineral Exploration	\$16,400.00	50
Coppermine River Ltd.	17,249.00	Mineral Exploration	34,498.00	50
Glenyon Mines Ltd.	1,497.75	Mineral Exploration	2,995.50	50
Great Bear Trophy Lodge	12,500.00	Tourism	60,000.00	33.33
Pacific Giant Steel Ores	7,835.45	Mineral Exploration	15,670.90	50
Nordex Exploration Ltd.	7,500.00	Mineral Exploration	15,000.00	50
Banff Oil Ltd.	7,500.00	Oil Exploration	15,000.00	50
Stan Reynolds Guide & Outfitter	2,025.00	Tourism	4,000.00	50

There remains \$7,500 to be paid to this Company for a total federal contribution of 20,000 which is the maximum contribution allowable toward the type of operation served by the airstrip.

CANADA'S NATURAL GAS INDUSTRY

Question No. 188—**Mr. Harding:**

1. What were Canada's estimated natural gas reserves for the years 1961 to 1969 inclusive in terms of (a) volume (b) number of years supply?
2. For the years 1961 to 1969 inclusive, how much natural gas

was (a) produced in Canada (b) consumed in Canada (c) exported?

3. For the years 1961 to 1969 inclusive, what percentage of possible maximum capacity was produced by Canada's natural gas industry?

Hon. J. J. Greene (Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources):

Years	Question 1		(a) Produced in Canada (Bcf)	Question 2		Question 3 Canadian Gas Production As Percentage Of Maximum Capacity
	(a) Volume (Bcf)	(b) Years of Supply		(b) Consumed in Canada (Bcf)	(c) Exported (Bcf)	
1961	30,519	51.3	595	432	169	Not known
1962	32,248	39.1	826	489	343	Not known
1963	33,261	36.9	901	549	360	Not known
1964	39,530	38.6	1,027	636	392	Not known
1965	40,605	36.3	1,120	721	405	Not known
1966	43,747	36.3	1,205	800	2	Not known
1967	46,090	35.2	1,312	865	513	Not known
1968	48,289	32.1	1,506	979	605	Not known
1969	51,951	29.8	1,742	1,095	680	Not known 28

INDIAN AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT—PUBLIC
RELATIONS CONTRACTS

Question No. 200—**Mr. Howard (Skeena):**

1. What is the name and address of each company in the public relations field under contract with, or employed by the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development and on what date did each such contract or term of employment become effective?

2. Since the effective date, what amount has been paid to each such company?

Mr. Judd Buchanan (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development):

Name of Firm	Effective Date	Amount Paid
Williams & Wilson Ltd., 1161 Melville Street, Vancouver 5, B.C.	April 1, 1968	\$70,200.04