

HOUSE OF COMMONS

Thursday, December 4, 1975

The House met at 2 p.m.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

REQUEST FOR TABLING OF DOCUMENTS CONNECTED WITH INVESTIGATIONS INTO SKY SHOPS, MIRABEL AND OLYMPIC VILLAGE—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Elmer M. MacKay (Central Nova): Mr. Speaker, I rise on a matter of urgent and pressing necessity. Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 43, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Capilano (Mr. Huntington):

That the Solicitor General, for the benefit and information of members of parliament, table forthwith copies of all documents which are now public, including warrants obtained by the RCMP in regard to the current investigations in respect of Sky Shops, Mirabel, the Olympic Village and related matters.

Some of these documents have already been exhibited on CTV national news, and some of which are in my possession.

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to Standing Order 43 the motion cannot be put without unanimous consent.

Some hon. Members: No.

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

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ANTI-INFLATION BOARD

REQUEST FOR STATEMENT OUTLINING DETAILS OF ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Edward Broadbent (Oshawa-Whitby): Mr. Speaker, I, too, rise under the provisions of Standing Order 43 on a matter of urgent and pressing necessity arising from information provided today that the Anti-Inflation Board plans to spend half a million dollars to launch the publication of regulations concerning the government's wage and price control program on or about December 15.

I therefore, move, seconded by the hon. member for Winnipeg North Centre (Mr. Knowles):

That this House instructs the Minister of Finance to make a statement in the House at the earliest possible date explaining the details as to how this one-half million dollars is to be spent including how much will be allocated to both salaries and advertising, with particular reference to the amounts going to individual advertising agencies.

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. The motion cannot be presented without the unanimous consent of the House.

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Some hon. Members: No.

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

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[Translation]

ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

SUGGESTED STUDY OF PROBLEM OF DRINKING WATER AND REQUEST FOR REPORT—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Léonel Beaudoin (Richmond): Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 43, I request the unanimous consent of the House to move a motion concerning an urgent and important matter.

Since the report of the Legendre Commission, which reviewed the legal aspects of water administration in Quebec, has just sounded the alarm by demanding urgent action and by describing the pitiful management of this resource, over which pollution has taken control, since the provincial and federal legislation in this regard is confused and obsolete, since jurisdictions are not clearly defined and since the lack of sound management of clean waters could jeopardize whatever action could be taken to solve that problem, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Champlain (Mr. Matte):

That the House immediately examine the problem of the quality and the use of water and go beyond simply remodelling water legislation, by setting up efficient protective measures, applicable regulations and a serious information campaign among the public and the industry.

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. The House has heard the motion of the hon. member. Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 43, this motion requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Yes.

Some hon. Members: No.

Mr. Speaker: There is not unanimous consent; therefore the motion cannot be put.

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OLYMPIC GAMES

SUGGESTED CONSULTATIONS WITH MONTREAL AND QUEBEC TO SOLVE PROBLEM OF FINANCING—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43.

Mr. Roch La Salle (Joliette): Mr. Speaker, under the provisions of Standing Order 43, I ask for the unanimous consent of the House to move a motion on an urgent and important matter.

Considering the financial difficulties the organizers of the 1976 Olympic Games have; in view of the fact that the initial estimates are largely below reality for all kinds of