

5. What will be the total cost of translating all existing documents, forms, stationery, records, etc. within the Department's entire operation?

6. What is the total additional yearly cost of ordering all new forms, stationery, etc. in two languages compared to the cost in one language?

Hon. Mitchell Sharp (President of the Privy Council): I am informed by the Departments of Justice and the Secretary of State as follows: 1. All forms, stationery, employee directives dealing with the internal operation of the department, correspondence if necessary, press releases, competition posters and memoranda to all employees.

2. There is no requirement to translate past records except where and when any such records are put into general use or are distributed generally.

3. Not applicable.

4. It is difficult to provide a precise answer to the question in terms of the Department of Justice, since, in order to achieve greater efficiency, the government of Canada has consolidated all translation, interpretation and terminology services under a single administration, designed to serve all the departments and public bodies which depend on them. Costs are not apportioned according to the types of activities mentioned above. However, the total demand for translation as represented by the number of words is available for the years 1972-73 and 1973-74. The production in words for 1972-1973 was 1,529,659; for 1973-74 it was 1,602,088. On the basis of an analysis of operating costs for the translation bureau, the total operating costs are estimated at about ten cents per word for the two years in question.

5. None. Existing documents, forms, stationery, records, etc. already meet the requirements of the Official Languages Act.

6. There are no records of the cost of ordering new forms and stationery in two languages compared to the cost in one language.

LIP—PROJECT No. X1074

Question No. 1,081—**Mr. Cossitt:**

1. With reference to the Local Initiatives Programme Project Number X1074 in the name of the Silver Harbour Manor Society, what is the job designation and what are the duties of Mr. Dobbie who wrote a hand-written memo dated April 26, 1973, stating in part "...originally rejected. Has been the subject of some political pressures. Does not provide employment to those likely to be seeking work"?

2. What is a full description of all details of the political pressures to which Mr. Dobbie refers, including in what ways and on what dates and by whom such pressures were applied and all details of the part played therein by the Honourable Jack Davis, Minister of the Environment at the time?

Hon. Robert K. Andras (Minister of Manpower and Immigration): 1. Mr. Dobbie was a project Officer (PM3) at the time that the Project X1074 was funded. His duties at the time were to close out the files of completed projects and to assess projects for possible extension should more funds become available. Other PM3 duties: Under the general direction of a Senior Project Officer (PM4) the duties of a project officer were: (i) To analyse and evaluate project applications submitted by municipalities, communities, local organizations and groups having

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a Federal contribution of between \$75,000 and \$200,000. (ii) To prepare the correspondence needed to inform project sponsors as to the approval or rejection of their application. (iii) To provide advice and information to the Senior Project Officer, and, through this Officer, provides advice and guidance to the Project Officers in the Department's Regional Offices. (iv) To visit and to monitor certain already approved projects; (a) by ensuring that progress, on-site and audit reports are received at Headquarters; (b) by analysing and interpreting the above-mentioned reports, and taking needed action personally or by effectively recommending the appropriate action to be taken; (c) by ensuring that advance and interim payments of the Federal contribution are adequate and exact; (d) by conducting on-site visits to approved projects for the purposes of evaluating the project and reporting on progress and financial accounting. (v) To prepare written reports of analysis and correspondence to and for the Minister, Deputy Minister, National Director and Members of Parliament, in response to enquiries about approved or rejected projects. (vi) To perform any other related duties, as may be required.

2. Only the Minister of Manpower and Immigration approves or disapproves LIP applications although he does receive recommendations from Members of Parliament of all parties, from provincial governments, and from others. The Hon. Jack Davis, as Member of Parliament for Capilano and Minister of the Environment, was in a position to give his comments on this project.

PUBLIC SERVANTS SALARIES

Question No. 1,167—**Mr. Gauthier (Roberval):**

1. How many public servants earn between \$5,000 to \$10,000, \$10,000 to \$15,000 and by \$5,000 increments up to \$70,000 per year?

2. How many earn over \$70,000 per year and what is their classification?

Hon. Jean Chrétien (President of Treasury Board): 1. 163,156 public servants earn between \$5,000 and \$10,000. 80,476 public servants earn between \$10,001 and \$15,000. 25,562 public servants earn between \$15,001 and \$20,000. 10,408 public servants earn between \$20,001 and \$25,000. 4,183 public servants earn between \$25,001 and \$30,000. 1,873 public servants earn between \$30,001 and \$35,000. 762 public servants earn between \$35,001 and \$40,000. 115 public servants earn between \$40,001 and \$45,000. 24 public servants earn between \$45,001 and \$50,000. 15 public servants earn between \$50,001 and \$55,000. 6 public servants earn between \$55,001 and \$60,000. 0 public servants earn between \$60,001 and \$65,000. 0 public servants earn between \$65,001 and \$70,000.

2. None.

POST OFFICE, RICHMOND, B.C.

Question No. 1,205—**Mr. Reynolds:**

With reference to the advertising done for special collectors of stamps (a) for what reason does the Richmond, British Columbia post office have a sign on the collectors wicket "Closed owing to shortage of staff" (b) how long will this situation exist and, if until after Christmas, what are people to do who want to buy special stamps, books, collections, etc. for Christmas gifts as advertised?