

The Budget

illusory to confer rights on people, the Charter of Rights and Freedoms, who do not have the means to enforce them.

That is what the Court Challenges Program did; it gave the wherewithal to those people who do not have the means to hire a high priced lawyer to do court challenges. She, of course, appreciates that governments are currently in a period of financial restraint, but she says that she has difficulty with a policy that places the burden of that restraint on those that can least afford it. That is what this government has done time and time again.

The final issue I want to point out is the environment. As an associate critic for the environment for my party, this is once again smoke and mirrors. What we have seen with the green plan, the big ticket item that was supposed to ensure the re-election of this government, is that the government added insult to injury once again by re-profiling another \$150 million in this budget, \$75 million in both 1992-93 and 1993-94.

I asked the Minister of the Environment today about a kind of business opportunities incentive regarding ozone depletion, CFCs, the extraction, the Vampire units. This is an opportunity not only to create jobs but to preserve the ozone layer of our country. There is no money for this.

When the minister meets with the environment ministers next week in Vancouver I do not know where he is going to find the money to be able to do that recycling program that he says is the responsibility of the provinces.

This is a shameful budget. It is a budget of despair. As New Democrats we do have alternatives. We have the vision. We have the commitment, not just to the rich but also to the unemployed and the low income families.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): It being 5.45 p.m. it is my duty, pursuant to Standing Order 84(5), to interrupt the proceedings and put forthwith every question necessary to dispose of the amendment now before the House.

Is the House ready for the question?

Some hon. members: Question.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the amendment?

Some hon. members: Agreed.

Some hon. members: No.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): All those in favour of the amendment will please say yea.

Some hon. members: Yea.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): All those opposed will be please say nay.

Some hon. members: Nay.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): In my opinion the nays have it.

And more than five members having risen:

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Paproski): Call in the members.

The House divided on the amendment, which was negatived on the following division:

*(Division No. 111)***YEAS****Members**

Althouse
Arseneault
Axworthy (Winnipeg South Centre)
Bélair
Berger
Blaikie
Brewin
Callbeck
Chrétien
Copp
Dingwall
Duhamel
Ferguson
Fisher
Fontana
Fulton
Gagliano
Gauthier
Gray (Windsor West)
Guarnieri
Harvard
Hopkins
Hunter
Kilger (Stormont—Dundas)
Kindy
Langdon (Essex—Windsor)
Leblanc (Longueuil)
MacLaren
Manley
Marleau
McGuire
Mills
Murphy
Pagtakhan
Phinney
Prud'homme
Rodriguez
Speller
Stupich
Vanclief
Walker

Anawak
Axworthy (Saskatoon—Clark's Crossing)
Baker
Bellemare
Bevilacqua
Boudria
Caccia
Catterall
Comuzzi
Crawford
Dionne
Edmonston
Finestone
Fis
Foster
Gaffney
Gardiner
Gérin
Grey (Beaver River)
Harb
Harvey (Edmonton East)
Hovdebo
Keyes
Kilgour (Edmonton Southeast)
Langan (Mission—Coquitlam)
LeBlanc (Cape Breton Highlands—Canso)
MacAulay
MacLellan
Marchi
Martin (Lasalle—Émard)
Mifflin
Mitchell
Nunziata
Peterson
Proud
Robinson
Simmons
Stewart
Taylor
Volpe
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