

Order Paper Questions

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Benjamin	Greenaway	McMillan
Blackburn	Gurbin	Mitchell
Blaikie	Gustafson	(Mrs.)
Blenkarn	Halliday	Murta
Bradley	Hargrave	Nielsen
Clark	Hawkes	Paproski
(Yellowhead)	Heap	Parker
Coates	Hovdebo	Riis
Cook	Howie	Rose
Cooper	Huntington	Sargeant
Corbett	Ittinuar	Schellenberger
Crombie	Jelinek	Scott
Crosbie	Keep	(Hamilton-Wentworth)
(St. John's West)	Kempling	Siddon
Crosby	King	Stewart
(Halifax West)	Lambert	Taylor
Crouse	Lawrence	Thacker
Dantzer	Lewis	Towers
Darling	MacDonald	Waddell
de Jong	(Miss)	Wise
Dinsdale	Malone	Wright
Domm	Manly	Young—74.
Epp	Mayer	

● (1640)

Madam Speaker: I declare the motion carried. The motion being carried, the hon. member for Burnaby, Mr. Robinson, should withdraw from the House.

And Mr. Robinson (Burnaby) having withdrawn:

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

Mr. Nickerson: Madam Speaker, I rise on a point of order. With respect to the division which has just taken place, I respectfully request that the record show that although I was here in my seat, I did not vote on the motion.

Madam Speaker: The record will show that.

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

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POINT OF ORDER

MR. ANGUISH—USE OF UNPARLIAMENTARY LANGUAGE

Mr. Doug Anguish (The Battlefords-Meadow Lake): Madam Speaker, I would like to raise a point of order with respect to what appears to be a bit of an inconsistency which could possibly confuse some Members of Parliament.

On June 8 the question of the use of unparliamentary language was raised in the House when Your Honour called the hon. member for Burnaby (Mr. Robinson) to order for using the word "lie" in the House. As recorded at page 18212 of *Hansard* the hon. member for Burnaby said:

At no time did I suggest that the Minister of Justice abused his position by lying in the House.

Your Honour then said:

As long as the hon. member has not said someone in this House has told a lie, that is fine; no unparliamentary language has been used.

It seems that there might be a double standard as to whether a member can refer to another hon. member who has

misled or lied to the public outside the House and whether an hon. member can accuse another hon. member of actually lying in this House. It seems to me that in Your Honour's ruling of June 8 Your Honour ruled that the hon. member could use this language.

Madam Speaker: Order. That matter was dealt with at the time according to the circumstances. I do not recall whether there was an exchange between the hon. member and the Chair about what I had heard or not heard. It is quite obvious that words are often uttered in this House which the Speaker does not hear. In that case the Speaker cannot intervene. I remember the exchange to which the hon. member refers. At that time the hon. member for Burnaby (Mr. Robinson) told the Chair he had not used unparliamentary language. I took his word for it. That matter was dealt with at the time. This matter should have been raised at that time. This point of order cannot be entertained several days later.

Today another situation occurred. I think the matter today was quite clear. I asked the hon. member to withdraw. He did not withdraw, and therefore the House has acted accordingly.

Mr. Anguish: Madam Speaker, this is not—

Madam Speaker: Order. Those are rulings and I cannot accept comments on them.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

Mr. David Smith (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Madam Speaker, the following questions will be answered today: Nos. 2,345, 3,485, 3,575 and 4,289.

[Text]

PETRO-CANADA PURCHASE OF PETROFINA

Question No. 2,345—**Mr. Cossitt:**

With reference to the purchase of Petrofina by PetroCan, what are the names, titles and job designations of all persons who were involved directly or indirectly in the negotiations between PetroCan and Petrofina for the acquisition of Petrofina?

Hon. Marc Lalonde (Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources): Petro-Canada reports as follows: W. H. Hopper, chairman and chief executive officer, Petro-Canada; J. I. Bell, executive vice-president, Petro-Canada; D. O'Brien, senior vice-president, general counsel and corporate secretary, Petro-Canada; M. F. Strong, vice-president and director, Société Générale pour l'Énergie et les Ressources (SOGENER); Leonard Hentsch, chairman, SOGENER; Adolph Demeurs de Lespaul, chairman, Petrofina S.A.; Pierre Nadeau, president, Petrofina Canada Inc.