	Insured Persons	
	Biron, Lionel Caron, Joseph Emond, Pierre	April 12, 1973 April 14, 1971 March 2, 1973
	Lemire, Roger	October 7, 1963
(d) Sherbrooke	Chairmen	
	Archambault, J. H.	March 1, 1973
	Dallaire, Claude	March 1, 1973
	Proteau, Denis	March 23, 1972
	Roger, Roger	January 16, 1975
	Employers	
	Bordua, Georges-Emile	September 18, 1973
	Gourdeau, Denis	February 19, 1970
	Lettre, Marc	December 11, 1973
	Libotte, Louis	October 2, 1968
	Trudeau, Gilles	July 12, 1973
	Insured Persons	
	Boisvert, Florent	January 20, 1969
	Boychuck, William	May 24, 1973
	McManus, Gerald	January 8, 1965
	Rouillard, Richard	June 1970
	Tardif, Roland	May 24, 1973
(e) Drummondville	Chairmen	
	Bernier, Marcel	July 25, 1974
	Rousseau, Paul	July 25, 1974
	Employers	
	Cournoyer, Lucien	January 2, 1974
	Croteau, Majella	January 2, 1974
	Forcier, Gaston	July 9, 1974
	Insured Persons	
	Dubuc, Paul	January 1974
	Marcheterre, Ghislain	January 1974
	Riverin, Pierre	February 10, 1975
2.	So	ttled in Duration of
		ur of the hearings,
		aimant in days
(a) Quebec City	857	109 79
(b) Lévis	132	16 13
(c) Trois-Rivières	317	42 45
(d) Sherbrooke	552	119 56
(a) Drummondville	010	10 91

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT—DEFICIT

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Question No. 2,144-Mr. Herbert:

(e) Drummondville

- 1. What was the amount of the deficit in the Post Office Department for each of the past ten years?
- 2. What is the estimated deficit for the year (a) 1974-75 (b) 1975-76?
- 3. Do the figures include estimated salary increases and, if so, what amount is included for increases in salaries not including the costs of additional personnel?

Order Paper Questions

Mr. Raynald Guay (Parliamentary Secretary to Postmaster General): 1.

1.	Millions of Dollars
1964-65	10.9
1965-66	30.7
1966-67	47.7
1967-68	67.2
1968-69	90.3
1969-70	55.9
1970-71	100.4
1971-72	77.0
1972-73	90.9
1973-74	177.2
2.	Millions of Dollars
(a) 1974-75	255.6
(b) 1975–76	370.9

3. Provisions are included in the Estimates on the basis of the following instructions from Treasury Board for salary increases not covered by signed agreements: 1974-75: Rate of 5 per cent per annum, 1975-76: Rate of 7 per cent per annum. Those salary increase provisions are: 1974-75: \$12,970,751, 1975-76: \$41,731,241.

BILINGUALISM—ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE

Question No. 2,161-Mr. Cossitt:

- 1. On what date was the decision made that the Royal Military College, Kingston, Ontario, is to become a bilingual institution (a) was this decision made by Cabinet (b) what are the names and job designations of all persons recommending or taking part in arriving at such decisions (c) what are the reasons for the government not following the recommendation of the Royal Commission on Bilingualism and Biculturalism that RMC should remain an English language institution?
- 2. (a) What is the full nature of the entire estimated or budgeted cost of making RMC bilingual (b) a description and cost of all new capital construction (c) the number of additions to the staff and total salaries
- Hon. James Richardson (Minister of National Defence): 1. September 14, 1972. (a) No, it was made by the Treasury Board. (b) The Defence Management Committee composed of senior officials of the department made the recommendation to the Minister of National Defence who approved it and submitted it to the Treasury Board. (c) The decision to introduce the programme of instruction in both official languages at RMC was taken to meet a requirement for training of future professional officers in keeping with the government policy on bilingualism.
- 2. (a), (b), (c). The estimated cost of the program to make RMC institutionally bilingual is as follows: (1) Capital construction to improve teaching facilities for the whole college and to provide the additional classroom, laboratory and office space necessitated by the requirement to provide academic programmes in both languages-\$5,990,300. (2) Up to 84 additional civilian staff members and some 23 military personnel will be employed gradually over the next three years, as the program is implemented. The salaries of such personnel, once the