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1. How many grants has the government or any para-governmental agency given to various Canadian companies to promote or support certain investments in Senegal since 1972?

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1. How many grants has the government or any para-governmental agency given to various Canadian companies to promote or support certain investments in Tanzania since 1972?

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Question No. 5,681—Mr. Caouette (Témiscamingue):

1. How many grants has the government or any para-governmental agency given to various Canadian companies to promote or support certain investments in Turkey since 1972?

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3. Under what terms and conditions did the government and/or agencies make such grants?

4. What (a) are the names of the beneficiary companies (b) is the location of their head office (c) was the purpose and nature of their investment?

Hon. Allan J. MacEachen (Secretary of State for External Affairs): In so far as the Canadian International Development Agency is concerned, the reply is as follows: Nil.

[Mr. Caouette (Témiscamingue).]

RCMP—GASOLINE SERVICE STATIONS, EMERSON, MANITOBA

Question No. 5,697—Mr. Epp:

1. At what gasoline service stations are the RCMP authorized to purchase gasoline, oil and minor repairs in Emerson, Manitoba?

2. Were open tenders called to establish where such purchases could be made and, if not, what criteria were used to determine where purchases could be made?

3. Were open tenders called to establish price per gallon of gasoline and, if not, how was the purchase price determined?

Mr. Hugh Poulin (Parliamentary Secretary to Solicitor General): 1. There are three service stations located in Emerson, Manitoba, Shell rated (B), Gulf rated (E) and Texaco rated (E). The R.C.M.P. are authorized to use any of these outlets, however the higher discount stations are to be used where possible. There is no outlet for the (A) rated company in Emerson.

2 and 3. The R.C.M.P. use the National Credit Card System for the purchase of gasoline and related products for vehicles. The National Credit Card System is administered by Services and Supply Canada and is based on open tenders called by Services and Supply Canada to establish an order of preference based on discounts offered. These tenders are called every three years to establish a Standing Offer Agreement to supply petroleum products for purchase of the products as set out in the Handbook for Users of Government of Canada Credit Cards published by Services and Supply Canada. The handbook lists companies that are authorized to accept the National Credit Card for use in payment of supplies and services provided and discount rate by province e.g., (A) would be best discount and then descend down the scale according to discount offered. As a result of this, the policy of the Force is to use the company which offers the greater discount, however in cases of emergency and after hours any of the approved companies listed may be used.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—UNUSED TRAVEL EXPENSES

Question No. 5,711—Mr. Cossitt:

With reference to the answer to Question No. 5,291 which stated in part that \$851.37 was the amount of money owing to the Treasury, as of December 31, 1975, for unused advances for travel by Mr. L. D. Hudon, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, was there an error in this amount and, if so (a) what was the error and for what reason was it made (b) should the actual figure be \$2,400?

Hon. E. F. Whelan (Minister of Agriculture): The amount of money owing to the Treasury for unused advances for travel as of December 31, 1975 is correctly stated to be \$851.37. Travel claims against the amount advanced (\$2,400) were outstanding as of December 31. (a) and (b) see above.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—UNUSED TRAVEL EXPENSES

Question No. 5,712—Mr. Cossitt:

1. With reference to the answer to Question No. 5,291 which stated in part that \$851.37 was the amount of money owing to the Treasury, as of December 31, 1975, for unused advances for travel by Mr. L. D. Hudon, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, was this answer seen by Mr. Hudon before it was given to the House and, if so (a) on what date (b) what are the details, if any, of the part played by Mr. Hudon in the preparation of the answer?