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CANADA WORLD YOUTH PROGRAMME

Question No. 5,524—Mr. Brisco:

- Who were the original organizers of the Canada World Youth Programme?
- What is Canada World Youth's past and present arrangement with the government?
- During the years in which Canada World Youth has been in operation, what (a) have been the sources (b) was the amount of its funding in each year?
- Are there any provisions (a) to ensure that indebtedness incurred by the organization will be provided for (b) to guard against the participants being stranded in foreign countries or being subjected to undue personal financial loss and, if so, what are the details of such provisions?

Miss Monique Bégin (Parliamentary Secretary to Secretary of State for External Affairs): According to the Canadian International Development Agency, the answer is as follows: 1. (a) Prof. Pierre Dansereau, then Dean of the Faculty of Science, University of Montreal; (b) Prof. Frank Scott, former Dean of the McGill University Law School; (c) Prof. Léon Dion, sociologist, Université de Laval; (d) Mrs. Gertrude Laing, President of the Canada Council, Calgary; (e) Mr. Jacques Hébert, publisher and President of the Civil Liberties Union; (f) Mr. William Neville, executive consultant, Ottawa; (g) Mr. David Bartlett, Secretary General of the Canadian Commission to UNESCO, Ottawa; (h) Mr. Maurice Champagne, Vice-president of the Quebec Government Human Rights Commission; (i) Mr. Harold Baker, Director of the Extension Division of the University of Saskatchewan; (j) Dr. Michael Oliver, President of Carleton University, Ottawa.

2. The Canadian Government has for the past four years entered into an agreement with CWY for the financial support of the program of Youth Exchanges between Canadians and youth from selected developing countries.

3. (a) and (b): 1972-73, Secretary of State, \$1,400,000; 1973-74, Secretary of State, \$2,000,000; 1974-75, CIDA, \$2,500,000; 1975-76, CIDA, \$2,950,000. Estimated value of contributions by overseas governments in exchange coun-

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tries—\$600,000 per year. Estimated value of contributions by other Canadian governments, municipal administrations, agencies and private enterprises—\$450,000 per year.

4. (a) The provision of a grant to CWY for its planned program for a fiscal year does not include the guaranteed provision of funds to cover indebtedness incurred by the organization. CWY is expected to work within the income constraints of its budget as presented to and approved by CIDA; (b) The CWY budget for each fiscal year includes funds required to recruit, prepare, send, support and return all Canadian and overseas young people to their homes and CWY staff are responsible for the administration of these activities. In the past four years, there have been no volunteers stranded in foreign countries and appropriate health and accident insurance is provided in order to avoid undue personal financial loss.

PROCEDURAL CHANGES RELATING TO SALES TAX ON AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

Question No. 5,536—Mr. Schellenberger:

1. Is the Minister of Finance considering streamlining the complicated and time-consuming method of "proving end use" in respect to small parts and attachments, in particular, under the provisions of the Excise Tax Act as they relate to the application of federal sales tax on agricultural implements, parts and attachments?

2. Will the Minister consider the advisability of accepting the proposal of the Prairie Implement Manufacturers Association to either implement a system of annual or semi-annual exemption certificates to replace the present requirement for an "end user certificate" upon the sale of each individual part or attachment, or provide that the parts and attachments be unconditionally exempt from federal sales tax, having in mind that they are designed for farm purposes only and that they are being sold for use on tax exempt whole machines?

Mr. Jacques-L. Trudel (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Finance): 1. A number of officials of my department and the Department of Revenue Canada are currently involved in a review of the commodity tax