

Motions for Papers

Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 106(8), I have the honour to table, in both official languages, the Government's response to Petitions, Nos. 332-3264, 332-3290 and 332-3291.

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INTERPARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION

PRESENTATION OF REPORT OF CANADIAN PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION

Hon. Steven E. Paproski (Deputy Chairman of Committees of the Whole House): Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 101, I have the honour to present to the House the report of the official visit to the Philippines, Singapore and Indonesia in both official languages.

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JUDGES ACT

PRESENTATION OF REPORT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Mrs. Jennifer Cossitt (Leeds—Grenville): Mr. Speaker, I have the honour to present in both official languages the report of the legislative committee on Bill C-88, an Act to amend the Judges Act.

[*Editor's Note: See today's Votes and Proceedings*]

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CANADIAN WHEAT BOARD ACT

REFERENCE TO STANDING COMMITTEE OF BILL C-92

Hon. Herb Gray (Windsor West): Mr. Speaker, I rise on a point of order. I believe the Government House Leader may have a proposal about a committee. Does he intend to make it today.

Hon. Doug Lewis (Minister of State and Minister of State (Treasury Board)): Yes, Mr. Speaker. There have been discussions among the Parties and I think you will find unanimous consent for the following motion dealing with the committee reference of Bill C-92.

I move:

That the order for second reading and reference to a legislative committee of Bill C-92, an Act to amend the Canadian Wheat Board Act, standing on the Order Paper, be changed to read second reading and reference to the Standing Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Speaker: Does the Hon. Minister of State have unanimous consent of the House to move the motion?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion agreed to.

PETITIONS

OPPOSITION TO CANADIAN INVOLVEMENT IN SDI

Mr. Jim Manly (Cowichan—Malahat—The Islands): Mr. Speaker, I have two petitions to present today, both particularly relevant in view of the summit.

The first one points out that, whereas the U.S. Strategic Defence Initiative is a dangerous escalation of the nuclear arms race and has been condemned by over 15 Nobel Prize winning scientists as economically disastrous and strategically destabilizing, the petitioners humbly pray and call upon Parliament to guarantee that there will be no testing, development, manufacture or deployment of SDI systems or components in Canada and that Canada actively support positive alternatives to SDI, including the strengthening of the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty, that we support the establishment of an international satellite monitoring agency and a ban on all nuclear weapons testing.

OPPOSITION TO PURCHASE OF NUCLEAR POWERED SUBMARINES

Mr. Jim Manly (Cowichan—Malahat—The Islands): The second petition, Mr. Speaker, points out the great danger of accidents while nuclear armed or powered ships are in Canadian ports. The petition points out that such a procedure is a threat to the environment and to Canadian citizens. The petitioners call upon the Government not to purchase nuclear powered submarines for Canada.

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QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

Mr. Jim Hawkes (Parliamentary Secretary to Deputy Prime Minister and President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, I ask that all questions be allowed to stand.

Mr. Speaker: Is it agreed?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

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MOTIONS FOR PAPERS

Mr. Jim Hawkes (Parliamentary Secretary to Deputy Prime Minister and President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, I ask that all notices of motions for the production of papers be allowed to stand.

Mr. Speaker: Is that agreed?

Motion agreed to.