

airport upgrading study the problems expressed during the Chatham hearings by municipal officials to determine the feasibility of early and practical solutions to these serious problems.

Your Committee further recommends that the railways be directed to investigate better methods of transporting feeder cattle from Western to Eastern Canada particularly with a view to the upgrading of feeding and watering stations on route and the use of improved cars in which cattle could be fed and watered on the cars.

A copy of the relevant Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence (*Issues Nos. 10 to 14*) is tabled.

(*The Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence accompanying the said Report recorded as Appendix No. 31 to the Journals*).

Mr. Davis, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid upon the Table,—(1) Copy of Text of Canadian proposals accepted unanimously in a Plenary Session of the United Nations Conference on the Human Environment, dated June 14, 1972. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 284-7/12A.

(2) Copy of Introductory Statement by the Honourable Jack Davis to the Plenary Session United Nations Conference on the Human Environment held in Stockholm, June 5-16, 1972. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 284-7/12.

By unanimous consent, it was ordered,—That the said documents be printed as an Appendix to this day's *Hansard*.

Mr. Broadbent, seconded by Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre), by leave of the House, introduced Bill C-219, An Act to amend the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce Act (public disclosure), which was read the first time and ordered to be printed and ordered for a second reading at the next sitting of the House.

The Order being read for the introduction of a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Regional Development Incentives Act".

RULING BY MR. SPEAKER

MR. SPEAKER: This bill has an explanatory note as follows: "The purpose of this bill is to ensure that the incentive grants under the Regional Development Incentives Act result in permanent benefits to the economy and the people of designated regions rather than benefits to private enterprise."

I think the explanatory note would identify the bill.

MR. SPEAKER: I thank the honourable Member for the views he has just expressed. I think he will agree, upon

reflection, that it is not only the increase in the amount approved or recommended by the Royal Recommendation that cannot be changed; there is also a prohibition against a redirection of the amount that is approved or that is recommended to this House in the Royal Recommendation. To my way of thinking, the honourable Member proposes that any moneys committed under the Act are to be redirected in a manner other than that envisaged in the Royal Recommendation which preceded the bill establishing the Regional Development Incentives Act. In addition, I suggest to the House and to the honourable Member in particular that the effect of the proposed bill would be that the government would purchase control of a private firm with public funds. I am not sure whether this second aspect is necessarily true; certainly, there is no doubt in my mind that there would be a redistribution of funds and that this would be contrary to the strict terms of the Royal Recommendation. In the circumstances, I do not think the bill proposed in those specific terms ought to be put to the House.

Mr. Broadbent, seconded by Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre), by leave of the House, introduced Bill C-220, An Act to amend the Regional Development Incentives Act, which was read the first time and ordered to be printed and ordered for a second reading at the next sitting of the House.

Pursuant to Standing Order 39(4), the following three Questions were made Orders of the House for Returns:

No. 351—*Mr. Yewchuk*

1. For each year 1961 to 1970 inclusive, by province and territory, how many persons speaking (a) an Indian dialect (b) an Eskimo dialect were employed (i) full-time (ii) part-time by CBC radio and television broadcasting industry?

2. For each fiscal year 1969/70 and 1970/71, how many persons speaking (a) an Indian dialect (b) an Eskimo dialect did CBC lay off for want of funds?—Sessional Paper No. 284-2/351.

No. 445—*Mr. Matte*

Have groups or municipalities in the constituency of Champlain submitted projects under the Local Initiatives Programme and, if so (a) what is the nature of each (b) for each of these projects what was (i) the code number (ii) the date of submission (iii) the names of those in charge (iv) the amount of the grant requested (c) which of these projects were accepted?—Sessional Paper No. 284-2/445.

No. 573—*Mr. Godin*

For the year 1971-72, has the Department of Manpower and Immigration entered into contract with employers or companies pursuant to Section 6 of the Adult Occupational Training Act and, if so (a) how many contracts were signed in the Province of Quebec (b) what