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extended holiday in Switzerland, Algeria, Senegal, Brazil and Mexico, all at the Canadian taxpayers' expense, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Burlington (Mr. Kempling):

That the Prime Minister be given leave without pay while he travels around the globe campaigning for the secretary-generalship of the United Nations, and that in the meantime he be replaced by the right hon. member for Yellowhead, who is not at all averse to staying in his own country to deal with Canadian issues on Canadian soil.

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

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MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

EFFECT OF DIRECT RESOURCE TAXATION ON SERVICES TO
BRITISH COLUMBIANS—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Vince Dantzer (Okanagan North): Madam Speaker, I rise under the provisions of Standing Order 43 on a matter of urgent and pressing necessity. In view of the fact that the city of Kelowna, the city of Armstrong, the regional district of North Okanagan and several other cities and regional councils in British Columbia have passed resolutions petitioning the Prime Minister (Mr. Trudeau) to put an end to his government's intrusion into the field of direct resource taxation, and because the imposition of these tax policies will severely inhibit the capacity of municipal governments in B.C. to fulfil their mandate, which is to provide services to their communities, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Cariboo-Chilcotin (Mr. Greenaway):

That this government recognize the vital importance of the essential services provided to the people of B.C. by their municipal governments and enable them to continue to provide essential services by immediately vacating the area of direct resource taxation.

Madam Speaker: For presentation, this motion requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

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NATIONAL UNITY

SPEECH OF PRIME MINISTER IN MONTREAL—MOTION UNDER
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Mr. Robert Bockstael (St. Boniface): Madam Speaker, I rise on a matter of urgent and pressing necessity under the provisions of Standing Order 43. In view of the outstanding speech given by the Prime Minister (Mr. Trudeau) last night in Montreal, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Kitchener (Mr. Lang):

That this House encourage all federalists in western Canada to speak out in defence of one strong, united country and, further, that this House condemn all those in positions of influence in the west who, by their strange silence, give tacit consent to those who are fuelling the fires of western separatism.

Madam Speaker: For presentation, this motion requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

INVITATION TO PRIME MINISTER TO ADDRESS WESTERN
CANADIANS—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Lorne Nystrom (Yorkton-Melville): Madam Speaker, following on the heels of the last hon. member and in view of the fact that the Prime Minister of Canada (Mr. Trudeau) turned down an invitation to speak to a Canada West Foundation conference in Banff last weekend but chose instead to send his aide, Michael Kirby, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Winnipeg North Centre (Mr. Knowles):

That this House invite the Prime Minister to address western Canadians in western Canada rather than from a Liberal fund-raising gathering in Montreal, and that under Standing Order 5 this House grant the Prime Minister leave to go and speak to western Canadians in western Canada.

Mr. Trudeau: Okay.

Mr. Paproski: It gets pretty hot in the kitchen, so he has to leave.

An hon. Member: Shame!

Madam Speaker: For presentation, this motion requires unanimous consent. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

Some hon. Members: Oh, oh!

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THE CONSTITUTION

SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE—CALL FOR APPEARANCE OF
NATIVE PEOPLES' DELEGATION—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Lorne Greenaway (Cariboo-Chilcotin): Madam Speaker, I too rise under the provisions of Standing Order 43 on a matter of urgent and pressing necessity. In view of the fact that the Liberal members of the joint constitutional committee have voted against extending the deadline of the hearings, thus effectively preventing hundreds of Canadians from appearing before them, and in view of the fact that the native people from my province of British Columbia have, on their own initiative, travelled thousands of miles on the constitutional train to appear before the committee, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Prince George-Bulkley Valley (Mr. McCuish):

That the Liberal government reconsider this unreasonable and unjust act of closure perpetrated on the citizens of Canada and thus give such groups as the Union of British Columbia Indian Chiefs an opportunity to appear before the joint committee, as is their right.

Madam Speaker: For presentation, this motion requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?