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## EXTERNAL AFFAIRS-MR. VICTOR FISHER, MEXICO

Timmins, Ontario.

#### Question No. 5,373-Mr. Reynolds:

- 1. On what date was the Department of External Affairs first contacted regarding the Victor Fisher case?
- 2. What was the first time that anyone from the Canadian Embassy in Mexico talked or visited directly with Mr. Fisher?
- 3. What are all the dates and times that anyone from the Canadian Embassy had direct contact with Mr. Fisher?

[Mr. Roy (Laval).]

- 4. (a) Who in the Canadian Embassy gave permission to talk directly with the Judge involved in the case (b) on what date did Embassy officials talk to the Judge?
- 5. Was anyone at the political level contacted by the Canadian government and, if so, what was the name(s) of the official(s) contacted?
- 6. Has the Canadian government ever acted as an intermediary when bribes or pay-offs were made to Mexican officials?
- 7. (a) How many complaints were received at the Canadian Embassy in Mexico during the years 1974 and 1975 (b) how many of these involved persons in jail (i) what are their names (ii) how long were they incarcerated?
- 8. Does the government advertise to warn Canadians of the special circumstances they can get involved in while in Mexico if they are accused of violating Mexican law?
- 9. Are there any negotiations going on with Mexico at the present time to set up special courts for Canadian tourists?
- 10. Are any negotiations going on between the Canadian and Mexican governments that would allow Canadians to post bail if they are arrested in Mexico?

# Hon. Allan J. MacEachen (Secretary of State for External Affairs): 1. January 29, 1976.

- 2. February 16, 1976.
- 3. Records show that Mr. Fisher was directly contacted by the Embassy on February 16, March 25 (twice), April 9, 12, 21 and 22. In addition, there were several contacts with Mr. Fisher's lawyer and with his cousin, Mr. Arnold Fisher.
- 4. (a) Head of Consular Section of the Embassy; (b) February 26, 1976.
- 5. Yes. The Governor of Colima, the Office of the Deputy Attorney-General of Mexico and H.E. The Ambassador of Mexico to Canada.
  - 6. No.
- 7. (a) Assuming that complaints mean requests for information or assistance, the Embassy received between 200-300 per month; (b) 61; (i) Information of this nature is considered to be confidential and is therefore not released without the consent of the persons concerned. (ii) The length of detention varied with the nature of the charge and; as applicable, with the length of sentence if found guilty.
- 8. No. There is no specific warning regarding Mexico. However, the pamphlets "Information for Canadians Travelling Abroad" and "Bon Voyage, but..." which are included with all new passports, contain general information on local laws and regulations abroad and on the type of difficulties which travelling Canadians may encounter.
  - 9. No.
  - 10. No.

## ANNUAL SALARIES OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

### Question No. 5,497—Mr. Herbert:

How many government employees are presently receiving an annual salary (a) between \$20,000 and \$30,000 (b) more than \$30,000?

Hon. Jean Chrétien (President of Treasury Board): Of the government employees for which the Treasury Board is the employer (PSSRA, Schedule 1, Part 1, plus PSSRB): 18,918 receive an annual salary of between \$20,000 and \$30,000 and 4,652 receive an annual salary of more than \$30,000.