

would like at this time, at least we on this side are trying to allow this session to come to an end, even though it has been very, very productive. The Hon. Member knows that the Income Tax Act is urgent and important. He knows that the borrowing authority is needed by the Government at this time and it is also important to get the money for the sports pool in Calgary as soon as possible.

Mr. Baker (Nepean-Carleton): Bring on the Bill.

Mr. Pinard: I would welcome the consent of the Hon. Member's Party to conclude debate on the sports pool tomorrow. That was the offer that was rejected a few moments ago by his House Leader.

Therefore, Madam Speaker, although this session is about to end, we have to conclude debate on the Bills I have just indicated, and it is most likely that with good will this could be achieved within the next few days.

Mr. Deans: Madam Speaker, on the point the President of the Privy Council just raised, if it is true, and I agree that it is, that this has been the most productive session in parliamentary history and we have covered more ground than any other Parliament, why are we always being accused of stalling and not co-operating?

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

SCOTIA COAL SYNFUELS PROJECT

TABLING OF DOCUMENTS OBTAINED FROM CAPE BRETON DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Hon. Ed Lumley (Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce and Minister of Regional Economic Expansion): Madam Speaker, in response to requests put forth by the Hon. Member for Wellington-Dufferin-Simcoe (Mr. Beatty) and the Hon. Member for Central Nova (Mr. MacKay), and in the spirit of the Access to Information Act, I wish to table, under Standing Order 46(2), documents pertaining to the Scotia Coal Synfuels Project. These documents were obtained from the Cape Breton Development Corporation.

Some Hon. Members: Hear, hear!

Mr. Beatty: Madam Speaker, on a point of order, the Hon. Member has indicated that he is tabling these documents in response to our request. Can the Minister give us assurance that all relevant documents from Devco's files are being tabled and none is being withheld, including documents of an inter-governmental nature?

Mr. Lumley: Madam Speaker, I said that in the spirit of the Access to Information Act the documents I indicated are tabled.

Order Paper Questions

Mr. Beatty: Madam Speaker, is the Minister then implying that there are some documents in Devco's files which are relevant to this case which are not being tabled today? For example, would he claim an exemption under the Access to Information Act for some documents that were not tabled today, or can he give the House the assurance that all relevant documents are being tabled?

Mr. Lumley: Madam Speaker, I would first of all suggest to the Hon. Member that he take a look at the documents. Obviously there are some documents and minutes of the consortia that involve commercial confidentiality which would not be included, but in each case there is a note with respect to those particular minutes or documents which are not included in detail.

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[Translation]

PETITIONS

MR. ROY—MAGNIFICENT WORK OF LIGUE D'ACTION COMMUNAUTAIRE DE LAVAL (QUÉBEC)

Mr. Marcel Roy (Laval): Madam Speaker, pursuant to Citations 669 and 671, Beauchesne, Fifth Edition, I intend, at the request of 100 petitioners from Chomedey, to express their appreciation and to thank the members of the Ligue d'action communautaire de Laval for the magnificent work they have done to improve home services and recreation. These senior citizens are seeking the support of the House to ensure the continuation of this project which has brought some more sun into their lives and is a liberal ray of hope.

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[English]

QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

Mr. David Smith (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Madam Speaker, the following question will be answered today: No. 4,312.

[Text]

DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND IMMIGRATION—HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

Question No. 4,312—**Mr. Mazankowski:**

Did the Department of Employment and Immigration purchase \$1,026,430 of hotel accommodation services from Guaranty Properties Ltd. of Toronto and, if so (a) for what purpose (b) which hotels were used (c) how many rooms were used and for how many days (d) what was the daily cost per room (e) how many persons used the rooms (f) what was the average and maximum length of stay (g) what special services were required and what were the costs of the services (h) what charges, if any, were assessed to those persons using the rooms?