

nor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber today, the 6th November, at 4.00 p.m., for the purpose of giving Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. G. CHERRIER,

*Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.*

The Honourable,

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

Mr. Stanbury, from the Standing Committee on Broadcasting, Films and Assistance to the Arts, presented the First Report of the said Committee which is as follows:

Your Committee recommends:

1. That it be authorized to sit while the House is sitting.
2. That its quorum be reduced from 13 to 10 members.

Mr. Sharp, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copies of Ways and Means Resolutions (Customs Tariff). (English and French).

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

No. 149—*Mr. Godin*

1. What are the capital expenditures of each of the proprietary corporations as defined in the Financial Administration Act, for each of the past three years?

2. Does the government exercise any supervision over the capital expenditures of the proprietary Crown corporations?

3. When making capital expenditures, are Crown corporations required to take industrial decentralization into account and, if so, what precisely is their policy as to industrial decentralization?

4. If not, does the government intend to issue directives to the said corporations ordering that they take industrial decentralization into account?

No. 285—*Mr. Caouette*

1. In what companies do proprietary Crown corporations, within the meaning of the Financial Administration Act, own shares, and in what amounts?

2. Who appoints the directors of the subsidiaries of the proprietary corporations?

3. What is the share capital of these subsidiaries?

4. What is the function of each of these subsidiaries?

5. Are these subsidiaries subject to municipal, provincial and federal taxation?