

legislation to establish Canagrex. In particular, the petitioners protest the buy and sell provisions of Canagrex as well as its wide-ranging powers.

The nature of the petition is to halt passage of Bill C-85 and prevent approval of Canagrex at third reading, and thereby prevent the establishment of Canagrex.

The petitioners hope that in your examination of the petition you will find it in order, that the Government will take heed of opposition to Bill C-85 among those in the agricultural sector and will withdraw this ill-conceived legislation.

MR. MUNRO (ESQUIMALT-SAANICH)—PUBLIC SERVICE PENSIONS

Mr. Donald W. Munro (Esquimalt-Saanich): Madam Speaker, I have a duty to present a petition entitled "SOS—Save our Superannuation" on behalf of more than 60 residents of the constituencies of Esquimalt-Saanich, Victoria, and Cowichan-Malahat-The Islands, all members of the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers, Lodge No. 456, asking the Government to honour the commitment it gave almost a decade ago when it agreed with public servants that an additional 1 per cent and, later, 1.5 per cent be added to their pension deductions to take into account the excessive inflation in the country which the Government has done so much to create.

These petitioners do humbly pray that in your examination of the petition you will find it in order, will give full weight to the urgency and strong commitment of their plea and will use the discretionary powers vested in your office to allow discussion of it at the earliest opportunity.

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QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

Mr. Jack Burghardt (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Communications): Mr. Speaker, the following questions will be answered today: Nos. 4,269, 4,584, 4,626 and 4,632.

[Text]

TREASURY BOARD—CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

Question No. 4,269—**Mr. Crosby:**

1. Does the Treasury Board have written rules or regulations governing the conduct or standards of behaviour for employees of the Secretariat and, if so, are they embodied in a Code of Conduct or other specific document and is the Code or document available to the public?

2. In the five years preceding April 1, 1982, were any employees of the Secretariat disciplined by way of suspension, dismissal or otherwise for violations of any rules or regulations governing the conduct or standards of behaviour for departmental employees and, if so, in each case, what was the name of the employee and the date of the disciplinary action?

Hon. Herb Gray (President of Treasury Board): 1. The Treasury Board has written rules or regulations governing the conduct or standards of behaviour for employees of the Secretariat. These are the Conflict of Interest Guidelines that

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could be made available to the public upon request, as well as some other documents such as the Employee Information Booklet and the Manual of Internal Administration.

2. Based on records, the reply is as follows:

	Written reprimands	Suspensions	Discharges
1977-1978	—	—	—
1978-1979	—	—	—
1979-1980	—	1 (5 days)	—
1980-1981	—	—	—
1981-1982	—	—	—

The period of suspension was from February 18 to 22, 1980 inclusive.

To be consistent with the provisions of the Canadian Human Rights Act, we are not providing names.

PAMPHLET "KEEP THEM SAFE"

Question No. 4,584—**Mr. McCuish:**

1. Did the Government publish a pamphlet entitled "Keep them Safe" and, if so (a) what was the total cost for the design, production and distribution (b) how many copies were printed and distributed to date (c) who was responsible for the design and production?

2. Was the contract awarded outside the Government and, if so, in what manner was it awarded?

Mr. Jesse P. Flis (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Transport): Transport Canada advises as follows:

1. The pamphlet entitled "Keep Them Safe" was developed and produced jointly by the Department of Health and Welfare and Transport Canada. (a) \$57,843.72, (b) 3,852,540 inserts printed; approximately 3,777,000 inserts distributed to date, (c) the insert was designed by Ove Design, and printed by Interweb, Boucherville, Quebec.

2. The design contract was established from a standing offer which was issued on the basis of a competitive tender. The printing was done under a one-year contract for cheque inserts which was based on a competitive tender.

PURCHASE OF \$100 GOLD COIN BY MINT

Question No. 4,626—**Mrs. Cossitt:**

1. Did the Royal Canadian Mint recently purchase a 1978 \$100 gold coin which it had minted and, if so (a) did they purchase it from Mr. Tom Swadrow of Ottawa (b) what was the purchase price (c) what was the price of the coin in 1978 (d) for what reason did the Mint purchase the coin at this price?

2. Has the Mint bought any other Canadian minted coins in the past five years and, if so, what were all the details, including the cost of purchase, the original cost of the coin, the name of the seller, the date of purchase and the reason for the purchase?

3. Does the Mint keep an inventory of every coin it has minted and, if not, for what reason?

Hon. J.-J. Blais (Minister of Supply and Services): The Royal Canadian Mint informs me as follows:

1. Yes, the Royal Canadian Mint purchased a 1978 numismatic \$100 gold coin. (a) it was purchased from Coin Centre