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PRAYERS

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk of the House had laid upon the Table the Fourth Report of the Clerk of Petitions, which is as follows:

The Clerk of Petitions has the honour to report that he has examined the petition signed by Albert Gelber, Rabbi J. Benjamin Friedberg, Joseph Melotek and other Canadians, praying that the House of Commons will affirm its support for Israel through a resolution in Parliament and will find the means of prevailing upon Her Majesty's government to affirm Canada's support for Israel at the forum of the United Nations, by voting, presented by Mr. John Roberts, Member of Parliament, on Tuesday, December 10, 1974, and finds that the petition meets the requirements of the Standing Orders as to form.

The honourable Member for St. Paul's (Mr. Roberts) having requested leave of the House to have the petition read;

And a point of order having been raised in relation to the language and content of the petition, Mr. Speaker reserved his decision.

Mr. Lang, seconded by Mr. Sharp, by leave of the House, introduced Bill C-43, An Act to amend the Law

Reform Commission Act, which was read the first time and ordered to be printed and ordered for a second reading at the next sitting of the House.

The text of the Message and Recommendation of the Governor General pursuant to Standing Order 62(2) in relation to the foregoing Bill is as follows:

His Excellency the Governor General recommends to the House of Commons a measure to amend the Law Reform Commission Act to increase the full time members of the Commission from four to five.

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

No. 177—*Mr. Orlikow*

1. For the last year for which figures were available, what was the total per capita investment in housing for the people of Canada?

2. In the same year, what was the total per capita investment for Indian housing from the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development appropriations, band revenues, and individual contributions?