

CANADIAN FILM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION—ANNUAL REPORT

Question No. 344—**Mr. Herbert:**

1. Did the Canadian Film Development Corporation submit its annual report for audit to the Auditor General and, if so, on what date?
2. Did the Auditor General complete his audit and pass the corporation's report to the government and, if so, on what date?
3. Has the government held up the release of this report and, if so, for what reason?

Mr. Peter Stollery (Parliamentary Secretary to Secretary of State and Minister of Communications): I am informed by the Canadian Film Development Corporation as follows:

1. The corporation's financial report was submitted to the Auditor General early in May 1979.
2. Yes. The report was given to the Secretary of State and the corporation on July 16, 1979.
3. No, report tabled on December 4, 1979.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—PERSONS IN THE SX CLASSIFICATION

Question No. 368—**Mr. Herbert:**

1. As of March 31, 1979 (a) how many persons in the SX classification were employed by the Department of Finance (b) how many were (i) Francophones (ii) females?
2. What are the present totals?
3. Was there a structural change in the Department since March 31, 1979, and, if so, what effect did such a change have on the number of SX's employed?

Hon. Pierre Bussières (Minister of State (Finance)): In so far as the Department of Finance Canada is concerned:

1. (a) 34
(b) (i) 3
(ii) 1.
2. (a) 35
(b) (i) 3
(ii) 1.
3. No.

INDUSTRY, TRADE AND COMMERCE—PUBLIC RELATIONS

Question No. 626—**Mr. Howie:**

How many persons engaged in public relations, publicity or media relations, are employed on staff in the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce?

Mr. Gérald Laniel (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce): In so far as the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce is concerned:

One hundred ninety-five persons are engaged in public relations, publicity or media relations as of April 1, 1980. This is inclusive of 136 officers and 26 support engaged in the promotion of tourism with the travelling public and the media, at home and abroad.

Order Paper Questions

In so far as Metric Commission Canada is concerned:
Twelve people.

NATIONAL REVENUE—CONTRACTS FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Question No. 705—**Mr. Clarke:**

1. For the fiscal year 1978-79, how many contracts were let by the Department of National Revenue for professional services, to persons who at any time within the past five years, had been employed in indeterminate positions under the Public Service Commission?
2. How many contracts were (a) for less than one year (b) for one to two years (c) over two years?
3. How many contracts were let outside the national capital region?
4. What was the total cost of all such contracts?

Hon. William Rompkey (Minister of National Revenue):

Taxation	Customs and Excise
1. 2	1
2. (a) none	1
(b) 2	none
(c) none	none
3. none	none
4. \$41,580	\$1,980

SUPPLY AND SERVICES—DECENTRALIZATION OF GOVERNMENT PRINTING OPERATIONS

Question No. 787—**Mr. de Jong:**

1. Did the Minister of Supply and Services take action to decentralize government printing operations?
2. Will the government be altering its policy so that western printing companies have more opportunity to participate in government contracts?
3. What amount does the government spend each year on printing?
4. What dollar value of printing is done for the government in each of the provinces?

Hon. J.-J. Blais (Minister of Supply and Services): 1. Government printing operations have been decentralized since the mid 1950s. Each supply region of the DSS across Canada has a regional printing manager who is responsible for both government printing facilities and the purchase of printing requirements from commercial suppliers for Government of Canada customers located in their respective regions.

2. Present policy provides extensive bidding opportunities for all printing companies in Canada, including those in the western provinces, to participate in government contracts offered in respect of both local and national requirements for printed matter. Also we continually monitor our procedures in order to provide better opportunities to all printing companies in Canada.

3. \$138,889,000—Requisitioned through DSS during fiscal year 1979-1980.