

*Order Paper Questions***[Text]**

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CONTRACTS FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Question No. 147—Mr. Orlikow:

1. For the fiscal year 1975-1976, what contracts for professional services were let (a) for studies, surveys and analyses into present or future policies, programs

1. (a)	2. Amount Committed	Name
To analyse long-term development of monetary and real income distribution among the different groups of the Canadian population.	\$ 4,437.00	F. H. Leacy
To analyse and report on medium and long-term growth prospects of the Canada Economy and of the government sector in particular.	\$ 5,500.00	F. H. Leacy
To assist and advise the Tax Policy Branch, Department of Finance, concerning aspects of the Anti-Inflation Program.	\$ 11,550.00	Coopers & Lybrand
To assist and advise the Department of Finance in providing information to the public concerning the economic situation, to undertake other special projects including communications liaison and to participate as an advisor at meetings of senior departmental officers.	\$ 42,499.92	B. E. MacDonald
To undertake tasks identified in the system proposed to the provinces in the Continuing Committee Sub-Committee on Intergovernmental Taxation and to carry out such other tasks as may be assigned by the project coordinator of the Task Force on Reciprocal Taxation.	\$163,109.75	Biro Inc.
To assist and advise the Tax Policy Branch, Department of Finance, concerning aspects of the Anti-Inflation Program.	\$ 18,700.00	Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.
To assist and advise the International Tax Policy Division particularly in the analysis and review of the International provisions of the Income Tax Act and the negotiations of a new network of International Tax Treaties.	\$ 30,875.20	G. Coulombe
To undertake research and studies requested by the coordinator for the Task Force on Reciprocal Taxation.	\$ 4,050.00	V. Festing
To provide advice to the Director Information Services Division of the Department of Finance on the preparation of special publications and information associated with the Federal Budget.	\$ 5,000.00	H. M. Furniss

or information analysis, and their efficiency and effectiveness (b) into the examination of the administration or internal operation of the Department of Finance?

2. How much was committed on each contract and to whom?
3. What were the comparable figures for the fiscal year 1973-1974?

Hon. Donald S. Macdonald (Minister of Finance):

1. (b)	2. Amount Committed	Name
To advise and assist the Guaranteed Loans Division in the compiling and writing of an Operational and Procedures Manual and assist the Financial Services Division of the Department of Finance to carry out a management study of the Guaranteed Loans Division.	\$ 5,040.00	J. Mahar
To examine the papers and documents held in the office of the Deputy Minister, in the light of Government policy and practice respecting the custody of public records, recommend which papers and documents should be incorporated in departmental records and to provide advice to the Deputy Minister on questions arising in connection with the internal organization and administration of the Department.	\$ 5,000.00	S. S. Reisman
To provide advice to the Director, Information Services on the establishment of a system to deal with ministerial correspondence and on the quality control of the production of the Enquiries Centre.	\$ 1,800.00	S. A. Clemens