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1357 in 1976, that the whole matter "nannygate" be referred to the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections for study so that the Minister of Transport's continued abuse of the public trust could be examined; and in view of the recent change of attitude of the Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce with reference to abuses of the public trust, induced by his change of position, I move, seconded by the hon. member for York-Sunbury (Mr. Howie):

That this House regrets the attempt by the Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce, before he discovered the secret of upward mobility into the cabinet, of attempting to ride into office on the back of a nanny.

**Mr. Speaker:** Order, please.

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[Translation]

**BILINGUALISM**

PROPOSAL GOVERNMENT CONSULT FEDERATION OF FRANCOPHONES OUTSIDE QUEBEC BEFORE ADOPTING POLICY ON MINORITIES—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

**Mr. Lorne Nystrom (Yorkton-Melville):** Mr. Speaker, under the provisions of Standing Order 43, I ask for the unanimous consent of the House to move a motion dealing with an important matter.

The Secretary of State announced on October 27 that he would soon introduce a policy concerning minorities of both official languages. In a letter dated November 22, the Federation of Francophones outside Quebec stated that the government has not consulted them in the process of developing that governmental policy. I therefore move, seconded by the hon. member for Nickel Belt (Mr. Rodriguez):

That the House ask the government to consult the Federation of Francophones outside Quebec and other groups involved before setting their policy.

**Mr. Speaker:** Order. The House has heard the motion of the hon. member. Under the provisions of Standing Order 43, this motion requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there such consent?

**Some hon. Members:** Agreed.

**Some hon. Members:** No.

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SUGGESTION RESEARCH BE CONDUCTED TO ACHIEVE GREATEST USE OF POWDERED MILK—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

**Mr. Adrien Lambert (Bellechasse):** Mr. Speaker, I rise under Standing Order 43 to request the unanimous consent of the House to move a motion concerning an issue of urgent and pressing necessity.

Considering that powdered milk surpluses are likely to have on the dairy policy an influence that would cause prejudice to dairy producers, and considering that many industrial milk producers will not have a production quota until April 1, 1978,

[Mr. Crosbie.]

a fact that will place them in a difficult financial situation, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Abitibi (Mr. Laprise):

That the House urge the Minister of Agriculture to initiate research with a view to promoting greater use of powdered milk in the making of feed.

**Mr. Speaker:** Order, please. The House has heard the hon. member's motion. Under the provisions of Standing Order 43, this motion can only be debated with the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

**Some hon. Members:** Agreed.

**Some hon. Members:** No.

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[English]

**TRADE**

PROPOSAL THAT COMMITTEE HEAR REPRESENTATIONS ON TARIFFS FROM PRODUCERS—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

**Mr. Fred McCain (Carleton-Charlotte):** Mr. Speaker, I rise to present a motion of urgent and pressing necessity under Standing Order 43. In view of the representations made by agricultural organizations and the associated food processors asking for changes in the recommendations of the Tariff Board as they relate to fresh and processed food, and in view of the strong representations made by other business organizations in Canada asking for a realistic trade policy which would allow Canadian product producers to have a reasonable sales opportunity in Canadian markets, I move, seconded by the hon. member for Halton-Wentworth (Mr. Kemping):

That a reference be made to a committee of the House to hear representations from all facets of Canadian economy to explain their needs to the Canadian GATT negotiations and members of this House.

**Mr. Speaker:** The presentation of such a motion requires the unanimous consent of the House. Is there unanimous consent?

**Some hon. Members:** Agreed.

**Some hon. Members:** No.

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**INDUSTRY**

SUGGESTED STOCKPILING OF NICKEL TO PROTECT JOBS—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

**Mr. John Rodriguez (Nickel Belt):** Mr. Speaker, I rise under the provisions of Standing Order 43 to ask the unanimous consent of the House to deal with a matter of urgent and pressing necessity. In view of the fact that Falconbridge Nickel has today announced the lay-off of a further 750 people or 20 per cent of its work force in the Sudbury basin, and in view of the fact that this brings the number of lay-off notices in the Sudbury basin over the last few months to over 4,000, and in view of the fact that this government in the past has dealt with