

*To the Standing Committee on Health, Welfare and Social Affairs*

Consumer and Corporate Affairs Vote 25b  
National Health and Welfare Votes 1b, 25b, 46b and 50b  
Urban Affairs Votes 1b, 15b, 25b and 40b

*To the Standing Committee on Indian Affairs and Northern Development*

Indian Affairs and Northern Development Votes 5b, 10b, L23b, 25b, 35b, L62b and L80b

*To the Standing Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs*

Justice Votes 1b, 15b and 25b  
Solicitor General Votes 1b, 5b and 15b

*To the Standing Committee on Labour, Manpower and Immigration*

Labour Votes 1b and 5b  
Manpower and Immigration Votes 1b, 5b and 20b

*To the Standing Committee on Management and Members' Services*

Parliament Vote 5b

*To the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Estimates*

Finance Vote 15b  
Privy Council Vote 25b  
Supply and Services Votes 5b and 20b  
Treasury Board Votes 10b and 20b

*To the Standing Committee on National Resources and Public Works*

Energy, Mines and Resources Votes 1b, 5b, L16b, 20b, 25b and 70b  
Public Works Votes 5b, 10b, 20b, 40b and 45b

*To the Standing Committee on Regional Development*

Regional Economic Expansion Votes 25b and 31b

*To the Standing Committee on Transport and Communications*

Transport Votes 1b, L3b, 10b, 30b, L56b, 62b, 63b, 85b, 86b, 88b, 92b, 99b, L101b and 102b

*To the Standing Committee on Veterans Affairs*

Veterans Affairs Votes 5b, 10b, 30b and 45b

Pursuant to Standing Order 39(4), the following Question was made an Order of the House for a Return:

No. 4,074—*Mr. Gauthier* (Roberval)

Has the Department of Manpower and Immigration granted any funds in the Constituency of Roberval under the (a) Local Initiatives (b) Opportunities for Youth (c) LEAP programmes and, if so, in each case, what was the (i) amount granted (ii) nature of the project (iii) municipality involved since the beginning of the grants up to and including 1975?—Sessional Paper No. 301-2/4,074.

Mr. Blais, Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Privy Council, presented,—Return to the foregoing Order.

The House resumed debate on the motion of Mr. Lalonde, seconded by Mr. Chrétien,—That Bill C-68, An Act to amend the Medical Care Act, be now read a second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Health, Welfare and Social Affairs.

And on the motion of Mr. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Nystrom, in amendment thereto,—That Bill C-68, An Act to amend the Medical Care Act, be not now read a second time but that it be read a second time this day six months hence.

And debate continuing;

(At 5.00 o'clock p.m., Private Members' Business was called pursuant to Order made Friday, February 27, 1976)

(Public Bills)

Orders Nos. 34, 4, 10, 24, 37, 38, 41, 43 to 48 inclusive, 50, 52, 54 to 56 inclusive, 58 to 63 inclusive, 66 and 68 to 71 inclusive, having been called, were allowed to stand at the request of the government.

The Order being read for the second reading and reference to the Standing Committee on External Affairs and National Defence of Bill C-272, An Act to provide for the establishment of a Canada-Alaska and Maine Corridors Authority;

STATEMENT BY MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER: Before proceeding with consideration of Bill C-272, I feel I should inform honourable Members that the Chair has some hesitation about the procedural acceptability of this Bill.

Although the mover, the honourable Member for Laprairie (Mr. Watson) might argue that the proposal is more permissive than mandatory or compulsory, I feel this type of a proposal should better be put in the form of a notice of