### Questions

I therefore ask for consent to move the following motion:

That this House express its concern that it is the apparent policy of the government to intimidate and prevent peaceful protest by the Indian people against government policies which work serious hardship on the Indian people.

Mr. Speaker: Under the rules the minister cannot take the floor to say whether the statement contained in the motion is true or untrue. The only thing he can say is whether he consents, along with other hon. members, to the motion being put to the House at this time. Is there unanimous consent under the terms of Standing Order 43?

Some hon. Members: Yes.

Some hon. Members: No.

Mr. Speaker: There is no such consent.

### PRICE STABILITY

APPOINTMENT OF JOINT PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE

On the order: Government notices of motions:

December 15, 1969—The Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs:

That a special joint committee of the Senate and House of Commons to be known as the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Price Stability, be appointed to consider reports of the Prices and Incomes Commission, and such other related reports or papers as may be referred to the committee, with powers to report from time to time its observations and opinions thereon; to send for persons, papers and records; to sit during sittings and adjournments of the House; to print from day to day such papers and evidence as may be ordered by the committee; and to delegate to subcommittees any of its powers except the power to report directly to the House of Commons.

That 12 members of the House of Commons, to be designated at a later date, act on behalf of the House as members of the said committee, seven of whom shall be required for a quorum.

That when a quorum is not present, the chairmen of the said committee or of its subcommittees be authorized to proceed with meetings for the purpose of receiving and printing evidence; and

That a message be sent to the Senate requesting that House to unite with this House for the above purpose, and to select, if the Senate deems advisable, some of its members to act on the proposed special joint committee.

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to section 2 of Standing Order 21, this government notice of motion stands transferred to and ordered for consideration under government orders at the next sitting of the House.

# **QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER**

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM

Question No. 20-Mr. Broadbent:

For the fiscal year 1968-69 and the current fiscal year up to September 1969, what has been the number of projects, the forecasted federal government expenditures, and the actual government expenditures for the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce Industrial Research and Develop-ment Incentive Act Program?

Hon. Jean-Luc Pepin (Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce):

|                                  | Forecasted                       | Actual                           | No. of           |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
|                                  | Expenditure                      | Expenditure                      | Projects         |
| FY1968/69                        | \$31,300,000                     | \$19,592,000                     | 408              |
| FY1969/70                        | \$34,400,000¹                    | \$ 5,448,000 <sup>2</sup>        | 272 <sup>3</sup> |
| <sup>1</sup> (to March 31, 1970) | <sup>2</sup> (to Sept. 30, 1969) | <sup>3</sup> (to Sept. 30, 1969) |                  |

## ADVANCEMENT OF INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM

### Question No. 23-Mr. Broadbent:

For the fiscal year 1968-69 and the current fiscal year up to September 1969, what has been the num- Trade and Commerce):

|                       | Forecasted                       |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
|                       | Expenditure                      |
| FY1968/69             | \$ 9,000,000                     |
| FY1969/70             | \$11,000,0001                    |
| ¹ (to March 31, 1970) | <sup>2</sup> (to Sept. 30, 1969) |
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ber of projects, the forecasted federal government expenditures, and the actual government expenditures for the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce's Program for the Advancement of Industrial Technology?

Hon. Jean-Luc Pepin (Minister of Industry,

| Actual              | No. of   |
|---------------------|----------|
| Expenditure         | Projects |
| \$ 4,304,000        | 127      |
| \$ 1,709,0002       | 79³      |
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