

Order Paper Questions

CANADAIR LIMITED

Question No. 762—Mr. McKinnon:

1. Did the Crown purchase Canadair Limited from General Dynamics on January 5, 1976 for a maximum price of \$38,150,000 and, if so, what was the value placed on the Crown's obligation to pursue a claim against Northrop Corporation for alleged breach of contract and to pay to Canadair two-thirds of any sums recovered from Northrop?

2. When the Crown settled the action brought against it in the Federal Court of Canada by Northrop Corporation by paying Northrop \$9,000,000, what value was placed on the Crown's counterclaim against Northrop for damages for breach of contract?

Mr. Ralph E. Goodale (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): I am informed by the Departments of Industry, Trade and Commerce and Supply and Services as follows: 1. On January 5, 1976, the Crown purchased Canadair from General Dynamics for a maximum price of \$38,150,000. The Crown paid \$11,479,835 for 1,408,463 shares of Canadair; \$25,170,165 for nine outstanding promissory notes of Canadair to General Dynamics, and \$1,500,000 representing the company's profit in the period January 1, 1974 to December 31, 1975. The price was determined through a series of negotiations on a net basis for shares and notes and not for individual assets. It is therefore not possible, and would be misleading, to attempt to attribute a specific price to a specific asset.

2. No value was determined for the Crown's counterclaim when the action was settled with Northrop.

RRAP LOANS, ABITIBI, QUEBEC

Question No. 768—Mr. Laprise:

For each of the designated areas in the Constituency of Abitibi were applications for funds submitted under the Housing Renovation Programme and, if so (a) how many were (i) granted (ii) refused (b) for what amounts?

Hon. André Ouellet (Minister of State for Urban Affairs): I am advised as follows by Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation: to November 1976, 15 loans for \$60,700 were approved in Taschereau, and 41 loans for \$171,955 in Duparquet, Abitibi County under the Residential Rehabilitation Assistance Program. Information is not readily available on the number of applications refused.

NOTE: Statistics on activities under the National Housing Act, compiled by CMHC, are not based on federal electoral constituencies, but on municipal counties in Québec.

HOUSING UNITS IN CANADA

Question No. 788—Mr. Gilbert:

For each year 1968 to 1975, how many housing units were (a) started (b) completed (c) demolished in (i) Canada (ii) Edmonton (iii) Halifax (iv) Montreal (v) Ottawa-Hull (vi) Saint John (vii) St. John's (viii) Saskatoon (ix) Toronto (x) Vancouver (xi) Winnipeg?

Hon. André Ouellet (Minister of State for Urban Affairs): I am advised by Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation as follows: see tables I and II below.

Table 1.

Housing units started, completed and demolished, metropolitan areas, 1968-1971

Metropolitan Area	1968			1969			1970			1971		
	Started	Completed	Demolished (1)	Started	Completed	Demolished (1)	Started	Completed	Demolished (1)	Started	Completed	Demolished (1)
Edmonton	9,003	7,772	623	9,807	8,601	465	6,330	7,129	243	11,286	8,252	446
Halifax	1,444	959	170	3,318	1,999	187	2,343	2,520	104	2,551	1,951	91
Montréal	30,624	25,974	2,150	23,650	26,947	1,263	23,017	17,693	1,636	22,285	20,405	1,671
Ottawa-Hull	5,642	4,813	333	7,275	5,140	440	11,345	6,917	475	11,141	10,396	1,512
Saint John, New Brunswick	431	394	(2)	439	492	(2)	498	418	(2)	1,048	622	(2)
St. John's, Newfoundland	977	1,400	(2)	771	1,009	(2)	679	554	(2)	1,222	1,049	(2)
Saskatoon	2,278	2,668	44	1,935	2,152	59	259	1,117	30	498	487	32
Toronto	37,775	28,677	1,658	31,874	34,751	1,596	30,521	27,562	1,055	33,163	25,441	927
Vancouver	15,690	14,922	1,079	17,690	14,247	1,357	13,437	13,488	769	15,553	14,984	991
Winnipeg	4,739	3,615	247	9,030	5,635	211	6,661	6,897	291	7,726	7,461	198
Canada	196,878	170,993	14,696	210,415	195,826	14,370	190,528	175,827	11,844	233,653	201,232	14,299

(1) Source: Statistics Canada.

(2) City only.

Table 2.

Housing units started, completed and demolished, Metropolitan Areas, 1972-1975

Metropolitan Area	1972			1973			1974			1975		
	Started	Completed	Demolished (1)	Started	Completed	Demolished (1)	Started	Completed	Demolished (1)	Started	Completed	Demolished (1)
Edmonton	9,500	9,932	337	7,384	9,803	373	5,362	7,668	318	8,647	4,578	242
Halifax	2,540	2,200	119	4,181	2,760	141	3,095	3,255	98	2,708	2,679	60
Montreal	24,731	25,219	2,646	30,700	27,832	2,768	24,758	27,726	3,168	26,702	25,377	1,827
Ottawa-Hull	14,887	11,469	878	15,511	12,541	534	9,709	15,036	911	7,156	11,313	245

[Mr. Cyr.]