

the availability of financial support. If a formal request is made the department would be happy to study it.

3. The department is working out plans to establish consumer store front offices. One of the approaches being considered is to work in conjunction with local organizations.

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE—ENROLMENT OF WOMEN

Question No. 2,093—**Mr. Mather:**

Is consideration being given to enrolling women in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police?

**Hon. Warren Allmand (Solicitor General):** While the policy which has been in effect for many years has permitted enrolment of women in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police for certain functions, the feasibility of engaging women in a regular police role is a matter that is presently under active consideration.

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QUESTIONS PASSED AS ORDERS FOR RETURNS

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE—  
PUBLICITY EXPENDITURES

Question No. 72—**Mr. Nystrom:**

1. What were the amounts of money spent by the Department of National Health and Welfare on publicity and/or information in each of the fiscal years 1968-69, 1969-70, 1970-71, 1971-72?

2. What were the names and addresses of firms or individuals who received these contracts, what amounts of money were spent in each case and what was the purpose of each contract?

3. What contracts for publicity and/or information were awarded in the current fiscal year, what are the names and addresses of contractees, what are the amounts of money involved in each case and what is the purpose of each contract?

Return tabled.

NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE—RECOMMENDATIONS  
OF COMMISSION ON EMOTIONAL AND LEARNING  
DISORDERS IN CHILDREN

Question No. 246—**Mr. Andre:**

Has the Department of National Health and Welfare acted upon any of the recommendations published on October 1, 1969, by the Commission on Emotional and Learning Disorders in Children, in a volume entitled One Million Children and, if so, which recommendations were accepted and what actions were taken by the Department?

Return tabled.

GOVERNMENT LOANS TO PROVINCES SINCE APRIL 30, 1970

Question No. 486—**Mr. Beaudoin:**

1. Has the government loaned money to one or more of the provinces since April 30, 1970 and, if so (a) by province and by year, what amount was loaned (b) through which banking institution?

2. What was the interest rate of each loan and the date of maturity?

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Orders for Returns

PROPORTION OF DIAND BUDGET DEVOTED TO INDIAN  
BANDS, 1968 TO 1972

Question No. 726—**Miss MacDonald (Kingston and the Islands):**

1. What proportion of the total Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development budget went directly to Indian bands in Canada in 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971 and 1972?

2. What proportion of DIAND budget was devoted to research into specific Indian problems in 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971 and 1972 and what are the titles of the studies undertaken?

3. (a) How many of the previously referred to studies financed by DIAND, were undertaken by (i) Indians alone (ii) Indians and others (iii) others alone (b) which studies were undertaken by Indians alone?

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ADVERTISING FIRMS HIRED BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT,  
1968-72

Question No. 797—**Mr. Fortin:**

1. What are the names of all advertising firms whose services were hired by the government and every Crown corporation in the fiscal years (a) 1968-69 (b) 1969-70 (c) 1970-71 (d) 1971-72?

2. What payments were received by each advertising agency during these fiscal years and under what votes were the necessary funds obtained?

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GRAIN SALES

Question No. 894—**Mr. Korchinski:**

1. (a) How much grain was sold by the Wheat Board in each province in the past ten years (b) what types of grain were sold in each province?

2. Where shipment of grain was made under the Livestock Feed Assistance Act (a) where was it shipped from (b) to what destination?

3. How much and what type of grain was destined to each port in Canada in the past ten years?

4. What amount of freight assistance was apportioned to each port under the Livestock Feed Assistance Act?

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FEDERAL EXPENDITURES TO ADVERTISING AGENCIES  
AND PUBLIC RELATIONS FIRMS, 1971, 1972

Question No. 898—**Mr. Stackhouse:**

How much was paid in 1971 and 1972 by government departments to advertising agencies and public relations firms?

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INVOLVEMENT OF CNR TRAINS IN ACCIDENTS, 1972

Question No. 1,378—**Mr. Godin:**

Were CNR trains involved in accidents in 1972 and, if so (a) how many accidents (b) on what date (c) what type of train was involved (i) passenger (ii) freight (d) were the causes of such accidents established (e) what was the cost of damage in each case (f) how many persons were killed?

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