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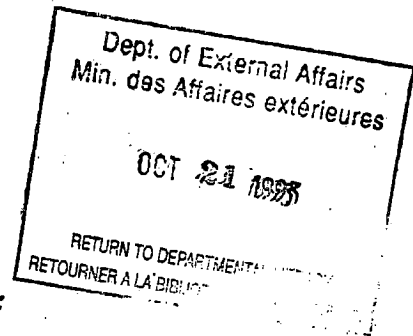
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***EH-101 Helicopters***

A Liberal party policy analyst disputed the Department's of Defence's estimate that cancellation of the EH-101 helicopter contract would cost \$800 million, saying that the figure was closer to \$400 million.

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***no significant items/  
aucun élément d'importance***



***Other issues/Autres questions :***

***Minority Government***

CP reported that PM Campbell "left the door open ... to forming a coalition with ... the Liberals if national unity is in peril following the October 25 election." The PM said she would do whatever was necessary to ensure Canadian unity. "The principle is clear," she said, "for me, the survival of our country is the most important. And I will do whatever is necessary ... to ensure it.