

gross national product have made it possible for us to reduce our over-all contribution. As a result of this, in certain cases CIDA will have to reconsider some of its financial commitments with respect to foreign countries, either over a somewhat longer period of years or by decreasing certain contributions in some cases. CIDA is now actively engaged in that reconsideration and the details are not available to me. However, I am advised by the Secretary of State for External Affairs (Mr. MacEachen) that he would see to it that the information is available as soon as he gets it.

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BRETTON WOODS AGREEMENTS ACT

MEASURE PROVIDING FOR REDUCTION OF INTEREST RATES

Hon. Marc Lalonde (Minister of Finance) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-129, an Act to amend the Bretton Woods Agreements Act and the International Development Association Act.

Motion agreed to, bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

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INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS) CONTINUING ASSISTANCE ACT

AUTHORIZATION OF CONTINUING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Hon. Marc Lalonde (for the Secretary of State for External Affairs) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-130, an Act to authorize continuing financial assistance to be provided to certain international financial institutions.

Motion agreed to, bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

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OLD AGE SECURITY ACT

MEASURE TO AMEND

Hon. Jim Fleming (for the Minister of National Health and Welfare) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-131, an Act to amend the Old Age Security Act (No. 2).

Motion agreed to, bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

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Introduction of Bills

FAMILY ALLOWANCES ACT, 1973

MEASURE TO LIMIT INDEXATION

Hon. Jim Fleming (for the Minister of National Health and Welfare) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-132, an Act to amend the Family Allowances Act, 1973.

Motion agreed to, bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

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SUPPLEMENTARY RETIREMENT BENEFITS ACT

MEASURE TO INCREASE BENEFIT INDEX

Hon. Jim Fleming (for the President of the Treasury Board) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-133, an Act to amend the Supplementary Retirement Benefits Act (No. 2).

Motion agreed to, bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

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FARM LOANS INTEREST REBATE ACT (NO. 2)

MEASURE TO REDUCE INTEREST RATE

Hon. Jim Fleming (for the Minister of Agriculture) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-134, an Act respecting rebates of interest on farm loans made under the Farm Credit Act.

Motion agreed to, bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

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NATIONAL HOUSING ACT

MEASURE TO AMEND

Hon. Marc Lalonde (for the Minister of Public Works) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-135, an Act to amend the National Housing Act (No. 2).

Motion agreed to, bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

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SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT GRANTS ACT

MEASURE TO PROVIDE FOR REDUCTION OF INTEREST RATES

Hon. Paul J. Cosgrove (for the Minister of State (Small Businesses)) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-136, the Small Business Investment Grants Act.