

Order 60, I request you to designate the necessary order of the day for the consideration, at the conclusion of the budget debate tomorrow, of the ways and means motions tabled in conjunction with the budget.

Mr. Speaker: Is this agreed?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. Speaker: It is so ordered.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT

MOTION TO PERMIT COMMITTEE TO TRAVEL

Hon. Mitchell Sharp (President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, two motions on the order paper under government notices of motions deal with the travels of the Standing Committee on Indian Affairs and Northern Development. I believe there is unanimous disposition to deal with both of them today. I therefore move:

That the Standing Committee on Indian Affairs and Northern Development be empowered to travel to Sarnia, Ontario, and vicinity from July 6 to 8, 1975, for the purpose of studying economic development on local Indian reserves and that the necessary supporting staff do accompany the committee.

Motion agreed to.

MOTION TO PERMIT COMMITTEE TO ADJOURN FROM PLACE TO PLACE DURING RECESS

Hon. Mitchell Sharp (President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, I move:

That the Standing Committee on Indian Affairs and Northern Development be empowered to adjourn from place to place in the eastern

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provinces and northern Canada during the coming recess in order to inquire into matters concerning development of the north and the affairs of natives peoples and to view historic sites and parks and that the necessary supporting staff do accompany the committee.

Motion agreed to.

QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

Mr. John M. Reid (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, the following questions will be answered today: 2,389, 2,572, 2,636, 2,682 and 2,693.

Mr. Speaker, would you be so kind as to call starred questions Nos. 2,629 and 2,775?

I ask, Mr. Speaker, that the remaining questions be allowed to stand.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE—LAW FIRMS RETAINED

Question No. 2,389—Mr. Dick:

For each year 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974 to date, what law firms and/or lawyers in the Regional Municipality of Ottawa-Carleton in the Province of Ontario were (a) retained (b) hired (c) paid a fee and in what amount, for doing legal work on behalf of, or as agents for the government?

Hon. Otto E. Lang (Minister of Justice): In so far as agents of the Minister of Justice are concerned:

	(a)	(b)	(c)			
			1971	1972	1973	1974 to date
Nil	Benoit, P.		\$ 281.25	—	—	—
	Beseau, P. D.		—	—	237.50	1,472.80
	Carleton, R. K.		747.00	—	225.00	—
	Dent, G. M.		8,798.43	8,571.09	2,802.92	10,430.14
	Filion, J. P.		*	267.00	*	—
	Filion and Degagne		255.00	—	688.00	3,542.02
	Gowling, E. G.		—	540.00	—	—
	Gowling, MacTavish and Co.		15,563.14	22,290.36	11,330.34	31,170.15
	Green, Poulin and MacKinnon		—	5,228.10	16,682.35	30,558.35
	Mitchell, Batt and Howard		—	—	—	3,946.99
	Nicol and O'Connor		9,153.75	6,130.25	2,768.00	9,829.00
	O'Connor, J. P.		126.00	—	—	—
	Poulin, H.		22,594.15	9,820.90	—	—
	Roy, A.		13,274.97	1,268.50	2,901.15	15,514.40
	Scott and Aylen		350.00	200.00	—	653.20
Nil	Scott, C. A.		14,754.28	6,159.02	9,023.51	54,546.98
	Smart and Biggar		7,264.10	8,544.91	13,533.50	21,589.93
	Tavel, J. I.		9.00	—	—	—
	Wentzell, J. D.		5,988.02	—	—	—

*In these instances work was assigned during the period in question but accounts have not yet been submitted.