## STANDING COMMITTEE

# APPENDIX "C"

### CANADIAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION

## NEW CONSTRUCTION

#### (a) New Construction Planned

During the current fiscal year, the Corporation is planning, and has provided in its capital budget, for the following projects:

- (i) Improvement to the Northern Radio Service by means of the establishment of a new station at Inuvik and by preliminary engineering for a short-wave transmitter. In addition, facilities are being added to existing stations to improve performance.
- (ii) Establishment of a new radio transmitter of increased power at Halifax. Actual construction is likely to be delayed until 1960 although planning will proceed and a site is likely to be purchased during this year.
- (iii) Extension of radio and TV service to small communities by installation of relatively low power radio and TV transmitters. Trail, B.C., Kenora, Ont., Moncton, N.B and Corner Brook, Nfld. are under construction. Corner Brook is on the air on a temporary basis and will be completed within a few months; the other locations mentioned are scheduled to be in operation before Christmas of this year. A new low power TV transmitter for St. Boniface is planned but has not yet received final approval.
- (iv) Installation of videotape equipment at Toronto and Montreal and probably at other CBC television centres in Vancouver, Winnipeg, Ottawa and Halifax.
- (v) Relocation in a new CBC building at a permanent site, the western TV network delay centre in Calgary.

(vi) Minor modifications and additions to facilities at various locations across Canada. The Corporation is also providing in the 5 year plan to be submitted in accordance with the Broadcasting Act, several major projects which include construction of new consolidated operating centres for television and radio at Toronto, Montreal, Vancouver and for extensions to existing buildings for the same purpose at Ottawa, Winnipeg and Halifax. Planning also visualizes extension of both radio and TV service to additional small communities by means of new installations of low power TV and radio transmitter units.

(b) Over the years the Corporation has received excellent co-operation from the various local administrations with which it has dealt; in return it is our policy to comply with the local building codes and by-laws.

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