

*Inquiries of the Ministry*

**Right Hon. P. E. Trudeau (Prime Minister):** Mr. Speaker, I did not raise this question but I am informed that it was raised by our ministers and officials.

ST. PIERRE AND MIQUELON—DISCUSSION WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER OF AGREEMENT RESPECTING CANADIAN WATER POLLUTION LAWS

**Mr. James A. McGrath (St. John's East):** I have a supplementary question for the Minister of Transport who participated in the talks with the French Foreign Minister. Has an agreement been worked out with the French government with respect to our pollution laws off the south coast of Newfoundland with regard to the jurisdiction of France over the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon and adjacent waters?

**Hon. Donald C. Jamieson (Minister of Transport):** I do not think it would be appropriate to outline in detail the content of the discussions, Mr. Speaker, as I believe it is traditional that this not be done. However, I do not think it is disclosing any confidence to say that progress is being made on the matter of negotiating an arrangement not only with the government of France but with most of the Atlantic countries along the lines that the hon. member has mentioned. I would hope that some bilateral arrangement, particularly relating to St. Pierre and Miquelon, would be possible in the immediate future.

DISCUSSION WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER OF POSSIBILITY OF SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CANADA AND EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET

**Hon. Robert L. Stanfield (Leader of the Opposition):** I have a supplementary question for the Prime Minister in connection with the visit yesterday of the Foreign Minister of France and the discussions that took place. Was there any discussion concerning the possibility of any kind of special relationship between Canada and the European Common Market?

**Right Hon. P. E. Trudeau (Prime Minister):** Mr. Speaker, here again I did not discuss this subject with the Foreign Minister of France but I do know that the subject of the Common Market and commercial relations with Europe and France were very much discussed by some of our ministers.

**Mr. Stanfield:** By whom?

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[Translation]

**NATIONAL DEFENCE**

REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE BY ARMED FORCES IN EVENT OF STRIKE BY QUEBEC PROVINCIAL POLICE

**Mr. Fernand-E. Leblanc (Laurier):** Mr. Speaker, I should like to put a question to the Minister of National Defence.

Has the Quebec Minister of Justice or some other authority requested help from the Armed forces should the Quebec police force go on strike over the weekend?

**Hon. Donald S. Macdonald (Minister of National Defence):** Mr. Speaker, personally I have received no

[Mr. Carter.]

request from the Quebec Minister of Justice, but I can state that officers of the Quebec police force have contacted their counterparts at general headquarters for mobile forces with regard to the possibility of a strike.

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[English]

**NATIONAL SECURITY**

ALLEGED INFILTRATION OF FLQ BY UNITED STATES CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY—REQUEST FOR REPORT

**Mr. Eldon M. Woolliams (Calgary North):** I should like to ask the Solicitor General an important question which deals somewhat with security. Did the Canadian government have any knowledge that the CIA had infiltrated the FLQ last fall or is still infiltrating that organization in the province of Quebec, and was this done with the Canadian government's acquiescence?

[Translation]

**Hon. Jean-Pierre Goyer (Solicitor General):** Mr. Speaker, I am totally unaware of the allegations contained in that question but I will certainly ask for information.

[English]

**Mr. Woolliams:** A supplementary. I wonder if the minister would take a look at the matter over the weekend and make a full report because of the statements that are now being made and the knowledge that appears possessed by the media and others as far as this infiltration is concerned?

[Translation]

**Mr. Goyer:** Mr. Speaker, if the reply is no the report will not be very long.

[English]

**Mr. Speaker:** The hon. member for Vancouver-Kingsway.

**Mr. Woolliams:** May I ask a further supplementary?

**Mrs. MacInnis:** My question is to the Minister of State for Urban Affairs—

**Mr. Speaker:** Order, please. The Chair has recognized the hon. member for Vancouver-Kingsway. I will recognize the hon. member for Calgary North later.

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**URBAN AFFAIRS**

PROVISION OF DAY-CARE CENTRES

**Mrs. Grace MacInnis (Vancouver-Kingsway):** My question is for the Minister of State for Urban Affairs. Can the minister inform us if officials of his department are meeting with provincial officials in order to determine the best method of providing day-care centres as recommended in the report of the Royal Commission on the Status of Women and by the Canadian conference on day-care?

**Hon. Robert K. Andras (Minister of State for Urban Affairs):** Mr. Speaker, there is an examination of the