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MR. MARK STAROWICZ

Question No. 2,663—Mr. Cossitt:

1. With reference to the answer to question No. 2,305 which stated in part that whether or not Mr. Mark Starowicz of the CBC ever received security clearance was "not applicable", what are all the reasons that it is "not applicable"?

2. Was Mr. Starowicz given any form of security clearance before or after his publicized association with a former Russian journalist in the Parliamentary Press Gallery and, if so, what are all the details?

Mr. Jack Masters (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Communications): I am informed by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation as follows: 1 and 2. The reply to part 1(c) of question No. 2,305 referred to the fact that the CBC has not conducted a security check on Mark Starowicz.

STATEMENT OF MINISTER OF ENERGY, MINES AND RESOURCES

Question No. 3,312—Mr. Cossitt:

Did the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources recently state "We have a little bit of a tendency in Canada just to run scared the moment some official says "Boo" in the United States" and, if so (a) has this happened and on what occasions (b) does the government plan to take steps to correct this situation and, if so, what are the steps?

Hon. Marc Lalonde (Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources): See Beauchesne's Rules and Forms of the House

of Commons of Canada, Citation 359—fifth edition, paragraph (10), and Citation 171—fourth edition, paragraphs (e) and (nn).

Question No. 3,313—Mr. Cossitt:

Did the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources recently state "We should not take to the woods every time somebody coughs in Washington" and, if so (a) has this happened and on what occasions (b) does the government plan to take steps to correct this situation and, if so, what are the steps?

Hon. Marc Lalonde (Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources): See Beauchesne's Rules and Forms of the House of Commons of Canada, Citation 359—fifth edition, paragraph (10), and Citation 171—fourth edition, paragraphs (e) and (nn).

[English]

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

[Translation]

Madam Speaker: The questions enumerated by the parliamentary secretary have been answered. Shall the remaining questions be allowed to stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

[Translation]

SMALL BUSINESSES LOANS ACT (NO. 2)

MEASURE TO INCREASE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF LOANS

Hon. Charles Lapointe (Minister of State (Small Businesses and Tourism)) moved that Bill C-84, an act to amend the Small Businesses Loans Act (No. 2), be read the second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Finance, Trade and Economic Affairs.

He said: Madam Speaker, I have the honour of tabling in the House Bill C-48, an act to amend the Small Businesses Loans Act. I am sure that the House will consider this bill as a piece of routine legislation. It is merely a bill to amend an act that has received the general approval of parliament several times before. Mr. Speaker, the Small Businesses Loans Act, as hon. members will recall, was amended in June 1980. At that time, the amendments we proposed were aimed at achieving three things. First, when the amendments were approved in June 1980, we increased the maximum individual loan from \$75,000 to \$100,000. Second, we raised the maximum of all loans that may be guaranteed during that period to \$850 million, and third, we extended the life of the Small Businesses Loans Act by two years, from July 1, 1980, to June 30, 1982.