Canadian International Development Agency

Vote 35a: To authorize additional grants to International Food Aid and the World Food Program in the amount of \$13,745,000.

Explanation: To permit additional grants of wheat and other foodstuffs and to increase the cash grant to the World Food Program.

Source of funds: Vote 35—Funds available in the International Development Assistance activity since C.I.D.A. has not fully committed these funds under arrangements with developing countries for fiscal year 1969-70.

Finance

Vote 2a: To authorize grant to Trail Disaster Relief Fund \$200,000 and transfer of \$199,999 from vote 15.

Explanation: Contribution to Trail, B.C. to aid those who suffered losses during floods in the spring of 1969.

Source of funds: Vote 15 (\$199,999)—Payments to provinces of grants in lieu of taxes on federal property will be less than originally estimated since assessments on the properties are less than anticipated.

Indian Affairs & Northern Development

Vote 1a: To authorize grant to University of Alberta toward cost of conference on production and conservation problem in the amount of \$3,000.

Explanation: The department is a supporting member of the International Union for the Conservation of Nature participating in this conference and the contribution is to assist in defraying the costs of a conference held in Edmonton.

Source of funds: Vote 20 (\$1,500)—Northern Economic Development, and Vote 40 (\$1,499)—Canadian Wildlife Service.

Public Works

Vote 15a: To authorize certain construction and acquisition projects as detailed in the Supplementary Estimates—\$4,420,300.

Explanation: To permit changes in priorities in the Accommodation Services Program resulting from urgent requirements of client departments.

Source of funds: Vote 15 (\$4,420,299)—the rearrangement of items within the vote as well as a general slow down in the works program will provide funds to proceed with these items.

Vote 30a: To authorize new construction and repairs as detailed in the Supplementary Estimates, \$770,000.

Explanation: To permit changes in the Harbours and Rivers Engineering Services program resulting from urgent requirements in other areas.

Source of funds: Vote 30 (\$769,999)—rearrangement of priorities within the vote will provide funds to proceed with the projects as detailed.