

Supply

[Translation]

Mr. Langlois: Madam Speaker, after listening carefully to what was said by the Hon. Member for Saanich—Gulf Islands (Ms. Hunter), I can inform her and indeed remind her that issuing fishfarming licences is a provincial responsibility. About the drift net situation, I may also remind her that Canada has started active discussions and serious negotiations with various Asian countries that practise this type of fishing in the Pacific, and so far, the results have been encouraging, and we are confident that substantial progress will be made in dealing with the indeed disastrous situation caused by drift nets in northern Pacific waters. I have a question for the Hon. Member. How can she claim that the fisheries are poorly managed, when on the Atlantic Coast, between 1983 and 1988, landings increased, landing values increased and the value of processed fish products increased as well?

[English]

Ms. Hunter: Madam Speaker, I do not think using the old provincial regulations answer is going to go very far. It does not excuse abdication of responsibility. We are talking about taxpayers' dollars going toward enhancing a resource and then saying that we cannot do anything about it because it is provincial jurisdiction.

That is the oldest tactic in the book. There is only one pocket that the taxman can dig his hand into and that is the pocket of the taxpayers of Canada.

[Translation]

The Acting Speaker (Mrs. Champagne): It being 5.45 p.m., it is my duty pursuant to orders adopted on Tuesday, April 4 and Tuesday, June 27, 1989, to interrupt the proceedings and put forthwith all questions necessary to dispose of the Main Estimates and all stages of the bill based thereon.

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[English]

SUPPLY**CONCURRENCE IN VOTE 1, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

Hon. Robert de Cotret (President of the Treasury Board) moved:

That Vote 1, in the amount of \$57,154,000 under the Department of Agriculture—Management and Administration—Program expenditures, in the Main Estimates for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1990, be concurred in.

The Acting Speaker (Mrs. Champagne): Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the motion?

Some Hon. Members: Agreed.

Some Hon. Members: No.

The Acting Speaker (Mrs. Champagne): All those in favour of the motion will please say yea.

Some Hon. Members: Yea.

The Acting Speaker (Mrs. Champagne): All those opposed to the motion will please say nay.

Some Hon. Members: Nay.

The Acting Speaker (Mrs. Champagne): In my opinion the yeas have it.

And more than five members having risen:

The Acting Speaker (Mrs. Champagne): Call in the members.

The House divided on the motion, which was agreed to on the following division:

(Division No. 72)

YEAS

Members

Anderson	Atkinson
Belsher	Bernier
Bertrand	Bird
Blackburn (Jonquière)	Blais
Bosley	Bouchard (Roberval)
Bouchard (Lac-Saint-Jean)	Bourgault
Brightwell	Browes
Cadioux	Campbell (Vancouver Centre)
Cardiff	Casey
Chadwick	Champagne (Champlain)
Charest	Chartrand
Clark (Brandon—Souris)	Clifford
Collins	Cooper
Corbeil	Corbett
Crosby (Halifax West)	Darling
DeBlois	de Cotret
Della Noce	Desjardins
Dobbie	Dommm
Duplessis	Edwards
Epp	Fee
Feltham	Fontaine
Fretz	Friesen
Gérin	Gibeau
Gray (Bonaventure—Îles-de-la-Madeleine)	Guilbault
Gustafson	Halliday
Harvey (Chicoutimi)	Hawkes
Hicks	Hockin
Holtmann	Horner
Horning	Jacques
James	Jelinek
Kempling	Kilgour (Edmonton Southeast)
Koury	Landry
Langlois	Larrivée
Layton	Leblanc (Longueuil)
Lewis	Littlechild
Loiselle	Lopez