

the hon. gentleman is leading to, I would certainly agree that in a constitutional sense the government has the power to act. I do not agree that in a legal sense we have made laws which permit us to interfere with the rules of the game as they are now played legally by the corporate players. This is why, in the terms of reference, it is indicated that we want recommendations on what laws might be adopted by parliament, should that be necessary, in order to make sure that that power can be exercised.

Mr. Speaker: Order, please.

QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

Mr. John M. Reid (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, the following questions will be answered today: 1,039, 2,163, and 2,164.

I ask that the remaining questions be allowed to stand.

[Text]

LIP—PROJECT APPROVALS IN KENORA-RAINY RIVER, 1972-73

Question No. 1,039—Mr. Cossitt:

1. For what reason did a memorandum from the office of the Minister of Manpower and Immigration, dated January 30, 1973 addressed to Mr. D.C. Trehearne, then Director of Programmes for the Local Initiatives Programme, among other things, in effect, order approval of LIP projects in a number of named constituencies, including the constituency represented by the Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Privy Council?

2. Were the projects to be approved in the constituency of the Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Privy Council numbered K1457, K2595, K1660, K2575 and K1384?

3. What are the full details of the above numbered projects including, in each case (a) the names of those signing the application (b) the nature of the project (c) the amount of funds granted (d) the names and addresses of all persons recommending acceptance of the project (e) the name of the designated Regional Minister for the area?

Hon. Robert K. Andras (Minister of Manpower and Immigration): 1. Not applicable. This memorandum did not "in effect, order approval of LIP projects in a number of named constituencies . . ."

2. The addresses of the sponsors of these projects were located in the constituency of Kenora-Rainy River.

3. (a) See appendix A (following); (b) See appendix A (following); (c) See appendix A (following); (d) The Department of Manpower and Immigration regards as confidential the names and content of all representations made to the Minister or the Department; (e) See Sessional Paper 291-2-2319.

APPENDIX A

K 1457: (a) H. A. Solomonian; (b) A municipal improvement project in the town of Rainy River including painting and repairing of municipal buildings, cemetery maintenance, sidewalk renewal, waterline renovations, and operation of winter recreational facilities. (c) \$37,689.

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K 2595: (a) J. C. Callan; (b) Construction of a municipal building to be used as community hall, a museum, and a municipal operated camp trailer park; (c) \$57,703.

K 1660: (a) D. Fournier; (b) Organization and supervision of a children's winter sports program and a senior citizens recreational program; (c) \$43,758.

K 2575: (a) A. L. Beebe; (b) Installation of an 8 inch feeder line from the water storage tank to a booster pumping station; (c) \$17,550.

K 1384: (a) Mr. G. Reid; (b) Construction of a community hall and the cutting and improving of snowmobile trails; (c) \$32,295.

TRANSFER OF REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS OF PARKS CANADA FROM CORNWALL

Question No. 2,163—Mr. Cossitt:

1. What are the names and addresses of all persons or groups of any kind who have recommended to the government that the Regional Headquarters of Parks Canada be moved from Cornwall to the Toronto area and, what reasons did they give for recommending such move in each case?

2. What is the total number of jobs that will be lost to Cornwall and Eastern Ontario as a result of this move and, what is the total annual payroll at the present time of all such employees in the Cornwall area?

Mrs. Iona Campagnolo (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development):

1. Management decision based on the operational requirements of the Program, to maximize operational and administrative effectiveness in program achievement.

2. The current level of federal employment in Cornwall will be maintained and there will be no net loss as a result of the relocation. Parks Canada payroll for employees at the Cornwall Regional Office was \$1,336,000 last year.

TRANSFER OF REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS OF PARKS CANADA FROM CORNWALL

Question No. 2,164—Mr. Cossitt:

With reference to the answer to Question No. 1,266 which stated in part that the Parks Canada Regional Headquarters will be moved from Cornwall, Ontario, to "be somewhere within reasonable commuting distance to the other federal government services..." and "within one hour commuting time of Toronto", what is a complete list along with the exact locations of the government services referred to that are within one hour commuting time of Toronto?

Mrs. Iona Campagnolo (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development): The Federal Government services referred to are supplied by the following departments in Toronto: Department of Labour; Department of Public Works; Department of Justice; Department of the Environment; Department of Indian and Northern Affairs; Department of Supply and Services; Public Service Commission; Department of Energy, Mines and Resources.

Mr. Paproski: Mr. Speaker, I have a few questions on the order paper with regard to CIDA. I was hoping that the parliamentary secretary would answer at least one or two of them each week. It seems that the government have