MANPOWER—AMOUNTS PAID TO PERSONS ENROLLED IN TRAINING COURSES

Question No. 961-Mr. Rodrigue:

1. What amounts are being paid to persons enrolled in training courses sponsored by the Department of Manpower and Immigration in (a) Quebec (b) Ontario?

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2. Do the amounts vary from one area to another and, if so, for what reason?

[Translation]

Hon. Otto E. Lang (Minister of Manpower and Immigration): 1. Trainees who qualify for training allowances are paid at the following rates:

Province of residence	without dependents	who has only one dependent	who has only two dependents	who has only three dependents	who has four or more dependents	Additional allowance payable to an adult who must live away from home while taking training.
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
a) Region 1 Quebec, Lower St. Lawrence and Gas-						
pésie	43	49	54	59	65	23
Region 2 Saguenay, Lake St. John	43	51	70	07	70	
Region 3	40	91	59	67	73	23
Quebec	43	50	57	63	69	23
Region 4						
Trois-Rivières	43	50	57	63	69	23
Eastern Townships	43	50	57	63	69	23
Region 6	40	00	01	00	09	40
Montreal	43	55	65	75	81	23
Region 7						
Ottawa Region 8	43	51	59	67	73	23
Northwestern	43	50	57	63	69	23
Region 9	40	90	91	09	09	23
N. Shore	43	55	65	75	81	23
Region 10						
New Quebec	43	55	65	75	81	23
b) Ontario	43	62	72	82	88	23

2. Within a province allowance rates apply uniformly except in the province of Quebec where different rates have been established for each of ten regions following consultation with the province.

[English]

NATIONAL DEFENCE—RECRUITING POLICY

Question No. 977-Mr. Forrestall:

- 1. Does the Department of National Defence now restrict the number of recruits accepted into the Canadian Armed Forces on a provincial or regional basis and, if not, is consideration being given to such a procedure?
- 2. If restrictions by provinces and regions are being considered, what is the total allowable number for each province or region and, if not already in practice, when will such policy be implemented?
- 3. By month, what has been the number of recruits by province or region up to and including January, 1971 for each of the past 13 months?

Hon. Donald S. Macdonald (Minister of National Defence): 1 and 2. Annual quotas for the recruitment of men into the Canadian Forces are determined on the basis of projections of the manpower requirements on a tradeby-trade basis within the manpower ceilings. Monthly quotas to be used as guides in meeting recruiting re-

quirements are distributed amongst 15 Canadian Forces Recruiting and Selection Units. Based upon population and past recruitment statistics the monthly recruiting target has resulted in the following approximate percentages being used as a general guide for the five military regions in Canada. Maritimes, 20 per cent; Quebec, 30 per cent; Central, 24 per cent; Prairies, 16 per cent; British Columbia, 10 per cent.

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Jan. 70	94	134	134	108	48
Feb.	78	82	119	63	41
March	75	84	122	93	30
April	94	150	137	110	37
May	75	132	124	76	37
June	58	131	119	76	36
July	80	212	126	73	43
Aug.	78	116	97	97	47
Sept	93	131	172	123	46
Oct.	99	215	165	86	39
Nov.	82	141	151	88	50
Dec.	67	162	134	67	44
Jan. 71	95	162	159	98	29