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(c) An assessment of the possibility of marketing by-products from the treatment process such as sulphur or sulphuric acid.

(d) An assessment of the economic impact of a new lead-zinc treatment plant at Pine Point on the economy of not only the Pine Point area but the Northwest Territories in general.

(e) An assessment of subsidies which may be required if the study should indicate that a smelter located at Pine Point is not as economically feasible as a smelter at some other location.

(f) An assessment of the effect, if any, of recent discoveries of large deposits of lead and zinc ores in the Yukon on the possible provision of new lead and zinc treatment facilities at Pine Point.

3. In its study, the consultant will bear in mind the timing of bringing a lead and zinc treatment plant into operation at Pine Point with the bringing into production of new mines in the Pine Point area.

4. While it is realized that the time of completion of the study will depend to a large extent on the availability of information on ore reserves, the consultant will endeavour to present his final report to the Department by December 31, 1966.

5. The consultant's final report will be prepared in such a manner that a section of the report, which will contain essentially a broad interpretation of the study, may be made available to the public without revealing anything of a confidential nature. The remainder of the report which will contain confidential information and which will be available only to the government will contain a detailed assessment of the subject of the study with full supporting data.

INDIAN AFFAIRS PLACEMENT OFFICERS

Question No. 1,245—**Mr. Orlikow:**

How many employment placement officers does the Indian affairs branch employ in each province?

Hon. Arthur Laing (Minister of Northern Affairs and National Resources):

	Establish- ment	Number of positions filled
Prince Edward Island (Served by placement officer located at Am- herst, Nova Scotia)	Nil	Nil
Nova Scotia	2	2
New Brunswick	1	1
Quebec	7(2)*	2

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Ontario	11(1)*	9
Manitoba	1	1
(Negotiations under way for province to provide placement services for Indian residents)		
Saskatchewan	3	2
Alberta	4	3
British Columbia	13(8)*	3

*The figure shown in brackets under the establishment column denotes positions for combined duties as placement and resources officers.

COST OF INDIAN SERVICES

Question No. 1,246—**Mr. Orlikow:**

What are the costs to the federal government of Indian services for health, welfare, education, and economic development?

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Secretary of State):
In so far as the Department of National Health and Welfare is concerned: During the year 1964-65 the Department of National Health and Welfare expended a total of \$19,701,230 for health services provided to the Indian population.

In so far as the Department of Northern Affairs and National Resources is concerned: During the 1964-65 fiscal year, the federal government spent \$16,661,499.67 in regard to Indian welfare, \$35,692,976.98 in connection with Indian education and \$4,113,415.23 for the economic development of the Indian people in Canada.

DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL GALLERY

Question No. 1,257—**Mr. McKinley:**

1. What appointments have been made to the National Gallery of Canada since January 1, 1966?

2. Has a successor been appointed to replace Dr. C. F. Comfort and, if not, has a successor as director been determined on although not yet announced?

3. Has an acting director been appointed or arranged for?

Answer: 1. Asst. technician 3, Mr. Leo Cave; Technical officer 1, Mrs. H. White; Steno 3 (secretary), Mrs. O. Neveu; Steno 3 (secretary), Miss D. Girouard.

2. No.

3. Yes, Dr. W. S. A. Dale.

HEARING ON NATIONAL PARKS POLICY

Question No. 1,268—**Mr. Horner (Jasper-Edson):**

1. Did the government receive a communication from Jasper Residents Association dated March 18,