

Mr. Beatty replied:

The Honourable Member is incorrect when he suggests there has been a tripling of the costs of these vehicles. The average cost of the vehicles purchased by the Department of National Defence was \$140,000 in 1984 dollars. The vehicles we are contracting for now in 1988-89 dollars are about \$170,000 a piece. The difference is the difference in exchange rates and inflation during that period. This is a very good deal for the taxpayers of Canada.⁷

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