

3. What were the names of other companies tendering together with their proposed tender objectives?
4. Has C.A.E. Electronics ever marketed such a system before?
5. Did the Department of Supply and Services or any other department, provide financial incentives in this endeavour to provide Culler Facer Cancellor?
6. Does the Department plan on purchasing further shipments of the Cancellor?

Hon. Jean-Pierre Goyer (Minister of Supply and Services): 1. Yes.

2. Not known. C.A.E. Electronics Ltd. was offered as a sub-contractor by the prime contractor in the latter's tender, which was in competition with several other possible suppliers. C.A.E. Electronics Ltd. was acceptable to the department as a sub-contractor for this work.

3. See 2.

4. No.

5. There was a premium paid for introducing C.A.E. Electronics Ltd. to this business. However, the amount of the premium is expected to be offset many times by the new opportunities, which have the potential to produce millions of high technology business, made available to C.A.E. Electronics Ltd. by the contractual arrangements concluded between the department and the prime contractor.

6. One additional machine has been purchased and there is a possibility that the Canada Post Office will require more of these machines over the next two or three years.

HYDROGRAPHIC SERVICE CONTRACT

Question No. 1,965—Mr. Reynolds:

1. Did the Department of Supply and Services award a contract valued at \$109,542 to Canadian Engineering Survey Co. Ltd., Edmonton, Alberta for a hydrographic survey?
2. To what intent is the survey to be used?
3. For what reason was the survey requested?

Mr. Len Marchand (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of the Environment and Minister of Fisheries): 1. Yes.

2. The results of the hydrographic survey are required for up-dating the nautical charts of Thunder Bay and approaches.

3. The accurate charting of navigable waters is essential to the development and maintenance of a viable, safe and efficient marine transportation system.

*CBC—ADVERTISING

Question No. 2,254—Mr. Korchinski:

1. On how many occasions and in what manner were the dramas "Ten Lost Years", "Jamie Boy" and "Baptizing" advertised by CBC?
2. Was this amount of advertising more than is customarily used for CBC drama and, if so, for what reason was it necessary.

Mr. Gustave Blouin (Parliamentary Secretary to Secretary of State): Mr. Speaker I am informed by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation as follows: 1. Not all CBC locations keep records in such a way that the requested information is available. However, when the

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amount of air promotion on the entire network and on the ten CBC local stations for which a count can be made is combined, the breakdown is as follows: Baptizing—57 promotional announcements; Ten Lost Years—89 promotional announcements; You're Gonna Be Alright, Jamie Boy—79 promotional announcements. News releases were sent to newspapers and publications across the country. Ad mats for Ten Lost Years and You're Gonna Be Alright, Jamie Boy, were made available to individual stations for placement in local newspapers. The network placed advertisements as follows: Baptizing—*TV Guide*, Ten Lost Years—Daily newspapers in Toronto, Vancouver, Ottawa and Montreal; *TV Guide*, *Chatelaine*, *Time*, *Financial Post*; You're Gonna Be Alright, Jamie Boy—*TV Guide*, *Financial Post*.

2. No.

*WOOD ISLANDS-CARIBOU FERRY SERVICE

Question No. 2,321—Mr. MacLean:

1. Has a programme of capital dredging been planned for the Wood Islands terminus of the Wood Islands-Caribou Ferry Service, in addition to the regular maintenance dredging for 1975?

2. Have funds been made available by the Department of Public Works or the Department of Transport for such capital dredging and, if not, will they be made available through a supplementary estimate or by some other means in order that this work can be done during the 1975 dredging season?

Mr. John M. Reid (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): I am informed by the Departments of Public Works and Transport as follows: 1. No.

2. Funds have not been made available by the Department of Public Works for capital dredging. It is not expected that funds will be made available through Supplementary Estimates or other means during 1975. The Ministry of Transport does not have funds for dredging at Wood Islands and there are no plans to request money through Supplementary Estimates.

CANADIAN POLICE INFORMATION CENTRE

Question No. 2,344—Mr. Beatty:

1. With reference to the answer to Question No. 621 and Question No. 622, what is the full and correct information with respect to the Canadian Police Information Centre and the Unemployment Insurance Commission?

2. In each case, what was the reason for failure to reply to the Questions?

3. For each department, agency, board, commission and Crown corporation that did not reply fully to the Questions concerning federal databanks, what would be the full and correct reply?

Hon. Mitchell Sharp (President of the Privy Council): In so far as the Ministry of the Solicitor General (Royal Canadian Mounted Police) is concerned: 1 and 2. The Canadian Police Information Centre does not maintain an automated personal data system used exclusively for statistical report or research, nor does it maintain an administrative automated personal data system. The Canadian Police Information Centre is an operational information system and, as such, questions Nos. 621 and 622 do not apply.