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HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

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2.00 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS

Mr. Guilbault, from the Standing Committee on Broadcasting, Films and Assistance to the Arts, presented the Third Report of the Committee, which is as follows:

Your Committee recommends that it be granted leave to travel from place to place within Canada, namely to Toronto, Ontario during the week of May 5, 1975, to visit the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation facilities, during its consideration of the Estimates of the Department of Secretary of State for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1976 and that the necessary supporting staff do accompany the Committee.

Mr. Faulkner for Mr. Turner (Ottawa-Carleton), a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid upon the Table,—Notice of Ways and Means Motion to amend the Income Tax Act. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 301-1/308A.

Pursuant to Standing Order 60(2), Mr. Faulkner for Mr. Turner (Ottawa-Carleton) designated a day for the consideration of a Ways and Means Motion, laid upon the Table earlier this day.

Pursuant to Standing Order 39(4), the following Question was made an Order of the House for a Return:

No. 881—*Mr. Clark* (Rocky Mountain)

1. Since 1968, which departments or agencies have decentralized functions or personnel to a region or regions and, in each case (a) what were the functions and the public service classifications of the individuals concerned (b) what was the extra saving or extra cost involved?

2. Is the Treasury Board, or any other agency of government, currently preparing, or now in possession of, a cost-benefit analysis respecting present or potential decentralization of public service functions or personnel to a region or regions and, if so, what is the (a) budget (b) personnel (c) estimated report date of that analysis?

3. Has the government entered into consultation with any province or territory or any foreign jurisdiction to determine the experience of these other jurisdictions with decentralization and, if so (a) what are the other jurisdictions (b) what, in each case, is the specific purpose of the consultation?—Sessional Paper No. 301-2/881.

Mr. Reid, Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Privy Council, presented,—Return to the foregoing Order.