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focuses on partnership. For those of us who have lived and worked in Africa we recognize that the Minister has paid the highest tribute to the NGO community in naming them partners in development.

[Translation]

Africa 2000 reflects the lasting commitment of Canadian men and women to promote development in that country. The Government's food and agricultural programs for the next 15 years are long-term priorities.

[English]

Canada's continued leadership with the African Drought Assistance Program and other developmental issues in Africa will form an integral part of the upcoming May special session at the United Nations on Africa. We thank all Canadians for their continued support.

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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

CANADA-KOREAN RELATIONS

Mr. John Nunziata (York South—Weston): Mr. Speaker, just what is the relationship between this Conservative Government and the Korean Government? How intimate is the relationship between the Industry Minister, the Korean Government, Hyundai and the Hanil Bank? Canadians have a right to know, and it is about time that this Government came clean. The public interest demands it.

Why do so many Conservative Members of Parliament have such a special relationship with the South Korean Government? Why did five Conservative MPs surreptitiously sneak out of Canada to visit Korea at the expense of the Korean Government? What personal interest do they have in Korea?

Mr. Speaker: Order, order. Order, please. The Member knows he is now making a comment about Members and that that is out of order.

Mr. Nunziata: I am stating the facts.

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. The Hon. Member for York Centre (Mr. Kaplan).

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PROSTITUTION

CALL FOR INTRODUCTION OF NEW LEGISLATION

Hon. Bob Kaplan (York Centre): Mr. Speaker, I want to say a word about the Government's legislation against street prostitution. I think all Canadians agree that there ought to be laws to prevent street prostitution, but when the Opposition objected to the laws the Government brought in it was because

they were harsh, unfair and they treated prostitutes and their clients as if they were not human beings within Canadian society. Court decisions are now showing that they are human beings and that they must be treated as such.

I want to call upon the Government to rethink those harsh laws to which we objected so strongly, to read the Fraser Report, to bring forward legislation that will work and that will effectively remove street prostitution without treating prostitutes and their jobs like sub-humans.

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[Translation]

YOUTH

SUMMER JOBS—GOVERNMENT PERFORMANCE

Mr. Gilles Bernier (Beauce): On March 23, Mr. Speaker, the Hon. Member for Yorkton—Melville (Mr. Nystrom) made these discreditable remarks about the Challenge '86 program:

Let us not make use of youth summer job creation programs designed to improve their employment opportunities by enabling them to work in a field related to their chosen career.

This was the Hon. Member's way of belittling young people anxious to find summer jobs as clerks, waiters and waitresses, drug store employees, and so on.

Mr. Speaker, it is unfortunate to hear a Member of the Opposition discredit the kind of jobs young people can find, knowing as we do the efforts they have made to get summer employment. The Government does not share the views expressed by the NDP Member. We consider that all jobs are rewarding, and we are not in office to depreciate any kind of employment.

We have achieved concrete results in Beauce because the private sector, in co-operation with the Government, has taken a positive approach and created jobs for as many young people as possible. We commend them and wish them happy holidays!

Mr. Speaker: Order, please, the 60 seconds have expired.

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[English]

COMMUNICATIONS

CTV MASTERS OF DECEPTION PROGRAM—COMMENDATION

Mr. Benno Friesen (Surrey—White Rock—North Delta): Mr. Speaker, I want to take this opportunity to compliment CTV on a program it aired last Sunday night entitled *Masters of Deception* which exposed the large extent to which the Soviet Union has gone to spread disinformation around the world.