

Automobile Prices

Mr. Broadbent: I heed your admonition, Mr. Speaker. I ask leave to move, seconded by my hon. friend from Brant (Mr. Blackburn):

That this House urges the Prime Minister to summon to Ottawa next week the heads of the North American automotive companies in Canada with a view to instructing them that within a three-month period factory list prices for their products in Canada should be on the average at par with the prices for the identical product sold in the United States.

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

Mr. Speaker: Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

Mr. Speaker: The motion cannot be put at this time.

AUTOMOBILES—POSSIBLE UNLAWFUL PRICE PRACTICES—REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT TO MOVE MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. H. W. Danforth (Kent-Essex): Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 43 I move, seconded by the hon. member for Wellington (Mr. Hales):

That this House, holding the opinion that offences are being committed under Part V of the Combines Investigation Act, orders the Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs forthwith to cause inquiry to be made into the following question: whether all four automobile manufacturers in Canada have committed and are following unlawful trade practices by discriminating against Canadian consumers by charging Canadian dealers what appears to be about 10 per cent more than they charge United States dealers for made-in-Canada cars.

Mr. Speaker: This motion is also proposed under the terms of Standing Order 43. I have to inquire whether there is unanimous consent.

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

An hon. Member: No.

Mr. Speaker: There is not unanimity. The motion cannot be put.

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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

PROPOSED NUCLEAR TEST BY FRANCE—REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT TO MOVE MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Mark Rose (Fraser Valley West): Mr. Speaker, I ask leave, seconded by the hon. member for Kootenay West (Mr. Harding), to move a motion under Standing Order 43 concerning the proposed French nuclear tests. I move:

That this House is of the opinion that inasmuch as Canadian government policy is opposed to further nuclear proliferation by all nuclear powers; and inasmuch as a motion was passed by this House on October 15, 1971, protesting the United States underground test at Amchitka,

Therefore be it resolved that this House of Commons express its unequivocal objection to the proposed atmospheric nuclear test scheduled this summer by the government of France over the South Pacific and that we communicate this motion to the President of France forthwith.

[Mr. Speaker.]

Mr. Speaker: Hon. members have heard the motion proposed under the terms of Standing Order 43. Is there unanimous consent?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

Mr. Speaker: There is not unanimity. The motion cannot be put.

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ADULT OCCUPATIONAL TRAINING ACT

AMENDMENT RESPECTING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS TO RECEIVE ALLOWANCES, AUTHORIZATION OF CONTRACTS WITH EMPLOYERS

Hon. Bryce Mackasey (Minister of Manpower and Immigration) moved for leave to introduce Bill C-195, to amend the Adult Occupational Training Act.

Motion agreed to, bill read the first time and ordered to be printed.

QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

LOCAL INITIATIVES PROGRAM

Question No. 63—**Mr. Orlikow:**

1. How much money has been allocated under the federal government's Local Initiatives Program to (a) municipalities (b) local groups, etc. in each province?

2. What criteria were used in the provincial allocations for both municipalities and local groups, etc.?

Hon. Bryce Mackasey (Minister of Manpower and Immigration): 1. As at March 17, 1972, the following sums had been allocated to municipalities and local groups in each province under the Local Initiatives Program:

	Private \$	Municipal \$
Newfoundland	6,603,143	3,312,039
Nova Scotia	7,775,356	2,620,640
Prince Edward Island	1,524,687	522,707
New Brunswick	6,654,816	2,576,686
Quebec	39,008,426	24,069,219
Ontario	14,277,652	7,729,497
Manitoba	3,428,396	1,937,847
Saskatchewan	2,557,885	1,409,231
Alberta	4,240,750	3,714,612
Northwest Territories	602,839	442,131
British Columbia	9,171,991	4,328,213
Yukon Territory	312,269	115,550

2. The allocation was made proportionate to unemployment in the provinces to the base rate of 4.5 percent unemployment and adjusted for out migration and native