

win the Grey Cup and so on. We know that motions moved under Standing Order 43 must concern urgent and essential matters, but since government members take pleasure in always saying no without even identifying themselves, this prevents opposition members and even government members from moving motions under Standing Order 43 which could be debated in the case of an emergency on a given day or during a given period.

We therefore request that application of motions moved under Standing Order 43 be referred to the Committee on Procedure and Organization so that it may study the right to move such motions, and especially the right to refuse them, subject to identification of the one who refuses the request of the hon. member to hold a special debate. The one who refuses this request should identify himself. This is why we ask that the principle of motions moved under Standing Order 43 be referred to the Committee on Procedure and Organization for a serious study so that this motion may be used intelligently in the future.

**Mr. Speaker:** Order, please. The question raised by the hon. member for Bellechasse (Mr. Lambert) and supported by the hon. member for Témiscamingue is very important and it has been raised as a question of privilege, which requires examination on the part of the Chair. I shall give this motion careful consideration and reserve my judgment until later. I would first like to say that many suggestions aimed at improving our Standing Orders have been made in this regard. I therefore accept this excellent suggestion concerning the Standing Committee on Procedure and Organization, but I note that this does not really constitute a question of privilege. However, I shall study the matter.

● (1522)

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

### BANK OF CANADA

#### TABLING OF ANNUAL REPORT

**Hon. Otto E. Lang (Acting Minister of Finance):** Mr. Speaker, pursuant to section 26(3) of the Bank of Canada Act I should like, as Acting Minister of Finance, to table copies in both official languages of the Annual Report of the Governor of the Bank of Canada to the Minister of Finance and the Statement of Accounts for the year 1977.

### Order Paper Questions

#### CANADIAN CENTRE FOR OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT

##### MEASURE TO ESTABLISH NATIONAL INSTITUTE

**Hon. Norman A. Cafik (for the Minister of Labour)** moved for leave to introduce Bill C-35, to establish the Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety.

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

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#### EXPORT DEVELOPMENT ACT

##### MEASURE TO AMEND

**Hon. Bud Cullen (for the Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce)** moved for leave to introduce Bill C-36, to amend the Export Development Act.

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

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#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

**Mr. Speaker:** I have the honour to inform the House that a message has been received from the Senate informing this House that the Senate have passed Bill S-2, to amend the Canada Business Corporations Act, to which the concurrence of the House is desired.

I have the honour, also, to inform the House that a message has been received from the Senate that the Senate have passed Bill C-30, to grant Her Majesty certain sums of money for the year ending March 31, 1978.

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#### QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

**Mr. Roger Young (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Justice):** Mr. Speaker, the following questions will be answered today: Nos. 441, 681, 682, 736 to 741 inclusive, 757, 758, 947, 1,010 to 1,019 inclusive, 1,110, 1,228, and 1,289.

I would ask, Mr. Speaker, that the remaining questions be allowed to stand.

[Text]

#### EXPENDITURES BY DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, TRADE AND COMMERCE IN CONSTITUENCY OF NEW WESTMINSTER

Question No. 441—**Mr. Leggatt:**

For each fiscal year since 1970, what amount was spent in the constituency of New Westminster by the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce and those agencies that report to it?