

program in accordance with the instructions of the producers that it must be aired completely free of commercials?

[Translation]

Hon. Gérard Pelletier (Secretary of State): I am informed by the CBC that it is in the process of negotiating purchase of the program and that a condition of sale, to the effect that commercials cannot be scheduled during the program content, would have to be met.

[English]

HALIFAX, MONTREAL, TORONTO HARBOURS—
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES

Question No. 1,228—**Mr. Chappell:**

What is the total amount spent by the federal government for maintenance, improvements or development of the harbours and port facilities at Halifax, Montreal and Toronto during each of the past five years?

Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): The following expenditures were made from Department of Public Works funds:

Year	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto
	\$		\$
1965	500	Nil	87,500
1966	1,500	Nil	253,400
1967	10,000	Nil	732,200
1968	4,600	Nil	123,800
1969	2,100	Nil	7,000

In respect of harbours administered by the National Harbours Board the amounts are

	Halifax		Montreal	
	Maintenance	Capital	Maintenance	Capital
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1965	367,336	1,352,020	2,245,338	6,811,289
1966	474,679	3,875,796	2,222,575	11,032,522
1967	459,039	3,380,024	2,761,206	7,525,691
1968	407,218	916,752	2,556,328	5,002,238
1969	497,191	4,590,840	5,771,301	3,478,900

NATIONAL CAPITAL COMMISSION CHAIRMAN

Question No. 1,232—**Mr. Coates:**

1. On what date was the Chairman of the National Capital Commission appointed to his present position, what was the term of the appointment and what is his annual salary?

2. Were any special conditions associated with his appointment regarding his personal involvement in other work of any type and, if so, what are these conditions and what specific amount of time must the Chairman devote to the work of Chairman of the National Capital Commission?

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3. Have former Chairmen of the National Capital Commission had similar arrangements associated with their appointment to that position?

Mr. Martin P. O'Connell (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Regional Economic Expansion): 1. The Chairman of the National Capital Commission was appointed September 1, 1969, for a term of four years. His salary is within the range of a DM 1 (\$28,000-\$33,000).

2. That he devote 75 per cent of his time to the function of Chairman and that any outside duties not involve a conflict of interest with his NCC duties.

3. Yes.

CHARTERED SCHOLARSHIP TRUST PLANS

Question No. 1,239—**Mr. Nystrom:**

1. (a) How many scholarship trust plans have been chartered by the federal government and what are the terms of reference acceptable for their establishment (b) what obligation is there to file financial statements (c) are minutes of the meetings public documents (d) have any federally chartered scholarship plans gone into bankruptcy or defaulted (e) have any provincially chartered scholarship plans gone into bankruptcy or defaulted (f) what guarantees are made for subscribers or members (g) are there any restrictions on where the scholarship plan funds are to be invested and how or where and, if so, what are the investment requirements?

2. Does the federal government have any plans to absorb any such Canadian chartered scholarship trust plans into a national scholarship fund?

Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): 1. (a) Five scholarship trust plans have been chartered by the Federal government, two of which have been dissolved. There have been no recent Federal incorporations of such plans.

(b) The existing corporations were incorporated under Part II of the Canada Corporations Act as non-profit no share capital corporations and no financial statements are required to be filed with this Department. However, the existing corporations enter trust agreements with recognized trust companies which in turn provide participants in the plan with financial details.

(c) Minutes of the meetings are not public documents.

(d) No federally chartered trust plans have gone bankrupt; however two such corporations have been dissolved for default in filing notices.

(e) Information not available.

(f) Any guarantees that might be made for subscribers and members would be covered