

Order Paper Questions

2. (a) and (b) CBC Enterprises was established as a Corporation-wide exclusive sales operation on April 1, 1983. Incomes and expenditures are as follows:

	1982-83 (English Operation Only)	1983-84 (Both English and French Operations)	1984-85
(in thousands of dollars)			
(i) Program Sales			
Revenues	4985	5787	5689
Expenditures	3684	4625	4813
Net Operating Profit	1301	1162	876
(ii) Consumer Products			
Revenues	584	1128	2068
Expenditures	858	1531	1885
Net Operating Profit	(274)	(403)	183
(iii) Fixed Administrative Costs	720	768	943
Net Profit (Loss)	307	(9)	116
Prior Year's Adjustments*		(105)	(587)
Total Profit (Loss)	307	(114)	(471)

*Prior Year's Adjustments: Up until the present fiscal year, upon signature of a contract the amount of the contract was entered as revenue for the fiscal year in which it was signed. The value of programs not delivered under the contract during that fiscal year was debited as "Prior Year's Adjustments" in the next fiscal year.

3. TV Program Sales—10. Audio Products—4.

It is important to note that representatives do not attend festivals but rather structured trade fairs or markets. Each representative attends one or more of them each year.

CBC—REQUEST FOR EARLY RETIREMENTS

Question No. 354—Mr. Desrosiers:

Did the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation ask some of its executives to take early retirement and, if so (a) how many (b) did they get a lump sum payment as damages or for any other reason (c) did any of the employees sign, since their departure, a contract with the Corporation for a position with the CBC or any of its affiliates?

Hon. Marcel Masse (Minister of Communications): I am informed by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation as follows: Yes. (a) 35 members of the management staff at la Maison de Radio-Canada in Montreal. (b) Yes. (c) Yes. Two of them received short-term contracts to enable them to complete certain projects.

EMPLOYMENT OF OUTSIDE CONSULTANTS

Question No. 375—Mr. Marchi:

Since the Minister of State for Fitness and Amateur Sport assumed office, were any outside consultants employed by his department and, if so (a) how many (b) what were their names (c) what was the total amount paid to each (d) for what purpose?

Hon. Otto Jelinek (Minister of State (Fitness and Amateur Sport) and Minister of State (Multiculturalism): (a) Yes, two.

(b) (1) Communications Consultants Ltd. (2) Paul McGrattan.

(c) (1) \$57,500. (2) \$35,000.

(d) (1) Communications Consultants Ltd. were employed for the purpose of promoting National Physical Activity Week. (2) Paul McGrattan was employed for the purpose of promoting the Canada Summer Games throughout Atlantic Canada.

SUPPLEMENTARY RETIREMENT BENEFITS ACCOUNTS

Question No. 383—Mr. McKinnon:

1. On March 31 (a) 1981 (b) 1982 (c) 1983 (d) 1984, what total amount was at the credit of the Supplementary Retirement Benefits Accounts for (i) the Public Service (ii) the Armed Forces (iii) the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (iv) Members of Parliament and Senators?

2. During (a) 1981 (b) 1982 (c) 1983 (d) 1984, what rate of interest did the Government pay for the use of this money?

3. What amount of interest was credited to the Accounts during the fiscal year ended March 31 (a) 1981 (b) 1982 (c) 1983 (d) 1984?

4. For each of the above fiscal years, what was the total amount paid into the Fund by (a) public servants (b) armed forces personnel (c) Royal Canadian Mounted Police personnel (d) Members of Parliament and Senators?

5. For each of the above years, what amount was paid from the Accounts to contributors?

Mr. Doug Lewis (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Treasury Board): 1. Balance in the Supplementary Retirement Benefits Account for

	(i) Public Service	(ii) Armed Forces	(iii) Royal Canadian Mounted Police	(iv) Members of Parliament and Senators
	(\$000,000's)			
March 31, 1981	664.4	189.7	43.9	1.4
March 31, 1982	899.6	251.8	60.4	2.0
March 31, 1983	1,156.8	324.0	80.1	2.7
March 31, 1984	1,440.2	399.2	101.0	3.4

2. Average rate of interest credited to the Supplementary Retirement Benefits Account

	Per cent
1980-81	12.4
1981-82	15.4
1982-83	13.6
1983-84	10.8

3. Amount of interest credited to the Supplementary Retirement Benefits Account

	(i) Public Service	(ii) Armed Forces	(iii) Royal Canadian Mounted Police	(iv) Members of Parliament and Senators
	(\$000,000's)			
1980-81	69.6	20.3	4.3	0.1
1981-82	117.7	32.8	7.7	0.2
1982-83	131.9	37.9	9.0	0.2
1983-84	136.6	38.2	9.4	0.3