

WRITTEN QUESTIONS AND MOTIONS FOR RETURNS (1998)

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| WQ1 | Between <i>April 1, 1995</i> and December 31, 1997, how many <i>public complaints were received by Pollution Control Division</i> about potential pollution or odours from intensive livestock operations, how many <i>investigations</i> were conducted and what action was taken, including the number of environmental protection orders, and fines, under the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act? | Ms Carlson | Accepted as amended February 18, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund April 20, 1998 S.P. 589/98 |
| WQ2 | How many <i>staff, including permanent and wage, were employed by Alberta Environmental Protection, Land and Forest Service</i> , on January 1, 1993, and what were the comparable figures on January 1, 1998? | Mr. White | Accepted as amended February 18, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund April 20, 1998 S.P. 590/98 |
| WQ3 | What are the yearly projections for upside interest accruing to the Province of Alberta from the operations of the Lloydminster Bi-provincial Upgrader for the period 1997-2014 as specified under the Upside Interest Agreement of February 7, 1995, between Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Alberta and CIC Industrial Interests Inc.? | Mr. White | Accepted February 11, 1998 | Hon. Dr. West April 7, 1998 S.P. 536/98 |
| WQ4 | What was the rate of deficient applications for routine facility applications submitted to the Alberta Energy and Utilities Board for the 1996/97 fiscal year and for the period April 1, 1997 - January 27, 1998? | Mr. White | Accepted February 11, 1998 | Hon. Dr. West April 7, 1998 S.P. 537/98 |
| WQ5 | What is the breakdown of the \$1.7 million provision for loss for the estimated costs of lease obligations in excess of estimated sublease revenues by specific property held by the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the Public Accounts 1996/97, Vol. 3, notes 13 and 14, pages 191-192? | Mr. Gibbons | Accepted February 25, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black April 23, 1998 S.P. 652/98 |
| WQ6 | What is the breakdown of the \$10 million expended under Vote 3.3.1 Assistance to Alberta Social Housing Corporation as contained in the Public Accounts 1996/97, Vol. 2, page 94? | Mr. Gibbons | Accepted as amended February 18, 1998 | Hon. Ms Evans March 9, 1998 S.P. 304/98 |
| MR7 | A copy of any surveys conducted by or for the Government between January 1, 1997 and December 31, 1997, to assess the public's reaction to the environment and government environmental policies, showing the questions asked, the manner in which the survey was conducted and the results. | Ms Carlson | Accepted February 18, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund April 20, 1998 S.P. 591/98 |
| MR8 | Copies of all documents written by or for the Government and all internal memos between January 1, 1993 and January 27, 1998, concerning the need for Alberta to reduce the emission of gases that contribute to global climate change, how reductions can best be achieved and how any programs will be implemented. | Ms Carlson | Rejected February 25, 1998 | Not Applicable |

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| WQ9 | How does the Government explain the fact that the Heritage Trust Fund's Annual Report for 1996-97 indicates an overall rate of return of 8.5% for the Fund's investments when the Public Accounts for the same year (schedule 6, page 37) states the average "effective yield" is 3.63% for securities maturing within a year and 5.52% for securities maturing in 1 to 35 years on the bulk of our financial assets? | Dr. Pannu | Accepted February 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 675/98 |
| WQ10 | What is the main reason or reasons why Alberta Treasury Branch guarantees increased \$351 million, that is from \$125 million to \$476 million, in the 1994-95 fiscal year (see Contingent Liabilities, note 14, page 22, Alberta Treasury Branch's Annual Report) and what provisions for losses have been made or will be made in the future on this contingent liability? | Dr. Pannu | Rejected February 25, 1998 | Not Applicable |
| MR11 | Copies of all studies done by the Government on the effect of increased tuition fees on access to post-secondary education for Alberta students. | Dr. Pannu | Accepted February 18, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Dunford February 18, 1998 S.P. 176/98 |
| MR12 | The Lease Amendment Agreement signed during 1996 between the Government and Maple Leaf Foods Inc. at the time the Government's lease agreement with Burns Foods Ltd. was transferred to Maple Leaf. | Ms Barrett | Rejected February 25, 1998 | Not Applicable |
| MR13 | Copies of all correspondence and memoranda between the Government and Maple Leaf Foods Inc. between January 1, 1997 and January 27, 1998. | Ms Barrett | Rejected February 25, 1998 | Not Applicable |
| MR14 | Copies of all documents prepared by the Government pertaining to the closure of Maple Leaf Foods Inc. Edmonton plant between April 1, 1997 and January 27, 1998. | Ms Barrett | Rejected February 25, 1998 | Not Applicable |
| MR15 | Copies of all studies done by the Government on the direct and indirect effects on Alberta's workers and the provincial economy as a result of having the lowest <i>dollar</i> minimum wage in Canada. | Ms Barrett | Accepted as amended March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Smith November 17, 1998 S.P. 790/98 |
| MR16 | Copies of all studies or analyses done by the Government showing the effect the regionalization of Children's Services will have on children living in poverty in Alberta. | Ms Barrett | Accepted March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black on behalf of Hon. Dr. Oberg March 4, 1998 S.P. 291/98 |
| WQ17 | How many <i>Recreation Facility Sites</i> were offered for tender between <i>September 1, 1997</i> and <i>February 3, 1998</i> , where the operator takes over full responsibility for the operation; <i>on how many Recreation Facility Sites were tenders received</i> ; what is the name of each location for which no suitable tenders were received (if any) and what <i>action is proposed or has been initiated for each Recreation Facility Site</i> for which no suitable tenders were received? | Ms Carlson | Accepted as amended March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 17, 1998 S.P. 783/98 |

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| WQ18 | How many provincial recreation areas and provincial forest recreation areas were there as of January 1, 1994, and between January 1, 1994 and December 31, 1997, how many closed, how many were <i>divested to municipalities</i> , how many were <i>contracted or leased to private sector contractors, municipalities, community or other non-profit groups that kept them open to the public</i> , how many were <i>leased to community or other non-profit groups for exclusive use</i> , how many were still <i>operated directly</i> by the Government on December 31, 1997, and how many may be closed during 1998 if no operators are found? | Ms Carlson | Accepted as amended March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 17, 1998 S.P. 784/98 |
| WQ19 | What are the names of the non-government selection panel members who recommended the former Deputy Minister of Education, Leroy Sloan, for that position, and the amounts of remuneration and expenses paid to each panel member for his or her services in the screening and selection process? | Dr. Massey | Accepted March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Mar April 27, 1998 S.P. 671/98 |
| MR20 | A transcript or final draft of every speech presented by the Deputy Minister of Education or Acting Deputy Minister of Education during the period January 1, 1993 through February 1, 1998. | Dr. Massey | Rejected February 11, 1998 | Not Applicable |
| MR21 | A copy of all documents that record inspections by Alberta Environmental Protection of the <i>construction and operation</i> of cell #2 at the Laidlaw Environmental Services (Ryley) Ltd. hazardous waste landfill from the start of construction until <i>February 1998</i> . | Ms Carlson | Accepted as amended March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 17, 1998 S.P. 785/98 |
| MR22 | A copy of <i>those portions</i> of the agreement between Alberta Environmental Protection and Information Systems Management Corporation (ISM) for ISM to manage the sale of Alberta recreational fishing and hunting licences <i>that are not protected under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act</i> , as announced in a Government news release on September 4, 1997. | Mrs. Soetaert | Accepted as amended March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 17, 1998 S.P. 786/98 |
| MR23 | A copy of <i>those portions of the proposal</i> received by Alberta Environmental Protection for the privatization of the sale of Alberta recreational fishing and hunting licences, from Information Systems Management Corporation, with whom the Department has entered into an agreement, <i>that are not protected under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act</i> . | Mrs. Soetaert | Accepted as amended March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 17, 1998 S.P. 787/98 |
| WQ24 | What was the rate of non-compliance by industry for submitting required data to the Alberta Energy and Utilities Board for the 1996/97 fiscal year and for the period April 1, 1997 to January 27, 1998? | Mr. White | Accepted March 11, 1998 | Hon. Dr. West March 11, 1998 S.P. 342/98 |
| WQ25 | What is the breakdown of the \$4,421,666 in unlisted preferred shares, by individual entity, held by the Agriculture Financial Services Corporation as of March 31, 1996, as contained in the Public Accounts 1996/97, Vol. 3, note 10, page 12? | Mrs. Soetaert | Accepted March 4, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Stelmach March 4, 1998 S.P. 290/98 |
| WQ26 | What is the breakdown of the \$1.401 million in loan loss write-offs, by individual borrower, held by the Alberta Opportunity Company as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the Public Accounts 1996/97, Vol. 3, note 5, page 87? | Ms Paul | Accepted as amended March 11, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black April 23, 1998 S.P. 653/98 |

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| WQ27 | What are the number and names of schools in Alberta still containing asbestos, and the estimated cost for each school to safely remove the asbestos? | Dr. Massey | Rejected March 11, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ28 | What was the term of the contract between former Deputy Minister of Education Leroy Sloan and the Alberta Department of Education, and the amount of severance paid to him, if any, upon the termination of his contract with the Department of Education? | Dr. Massey | Rejected March 11, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ29 | What was the application turn-around time for routine facility applications handled by the Alberta Energy and Utilities Board for the 1996/97 fiscal year and for the period April 1, 1997 to January 27, 1998? | Mr. White | Accepted March 11, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund on behalf of Hon. Dr. West March 11, 1998 S.P. 343/98 |
| WQ30 | What process is in place to audit companies that are conducting field operations to ensure they adhere to all plans, conditions attached to approvals or codes of practice under the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act, how many full-time equivalent staff in the Department of Environmental Protection were engaged in this type of work between January 1, 1992 to December 31, 1992 and January 1, 1997 to December 31, 1997, and how many companies were conducting field operations between January 1, 1992 to December 31, 1992 and January 1, 1997 to December 31, 1997? | Ms Carlson | Accepted as amended March 11, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 24, 1998 S.P. 895/98 |
| WQ31 | How many full time staff equivalents in the Department of Environmental Protection were employed throughout Alberta in wildlife and fisheries management on January 1, 1997, how many transferred to work for the Alberta Conservation Association after its creation and how many staff were employed to manage fish and wildlife activities in the Department following completion of this transfer on January 1, 1998? | Ms Carlson | Accepted March 11, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 24, 1998 S.P. 896/98 |
| WQ32 | How many landfills in Alberta are operated under an approval and how many operate under the registration process under the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act, and in each category how many unannounced spot checks did Alberta Environmental Protection carry out between September 1, 1996 and December 31, 1997, how many infringements were discovered, what was the nature of each infringement and what penalty was imposed in each case? | Ms Carlson | Accepted March 11, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 24, 1998 S.P. 897/98 |
| WQ33 | What was the number of public servants employed by the Government within the age ranges of 25 years and under, 26 through 30 years, 31 through 45 years, 46 through 60 years, and over 60 years of age for the calendar years 1981, 1992, and 1997? | Mr. Mitchell | Accepted March 18, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Dunford December 1, 1998 S.P. 955/98 |
| WQ34 | What is the breakdown of the \$3.732 million charge for loan losses and losses on realization by individual borrower held by the Alberta Opportunity Company as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, page 85? | Ms Paul | Rejected March 11, 1998 | Not applicable |

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| WQ35 | What is the breakdown of the \$14.165 million unimplemented loan authorizations, \$878,000 unimplemented guarantee authorizations, and \$165,000 unimplemented export guarantee authorizations by individual borrower held by the Alberta Opportunity Company as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, note 14, page 91? | Ms Paul | Accepted as amended March 11, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black April 23, 1998 S.P. 654/98 |
| WQ36 | What is the breakdown of the \$2.133 million guarantee and \$2.54 million export guarantee portfolio by individual borrower held by the Alberta Opportunity Company as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, note 13, page 90? | Ms Paul | Accepted as amended March 11, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black April 23, 1998 S.P. 655/98 |
| WQ37 | How many staff were employed by Alberta Environmental Protection on January 1, 1993 for pollution control and what were the comparable figures on January 1, 1998? | Ms Carlson | Accepted March 11, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund November 24, 1998 S.P. 898/98 |
| MR38 | Copies of all contracts between private health care operators and the Capital Regional Health Authority within the time period January 1, 1997 to January 1, 1998. | Mr. Dickson | Rejected March 18, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR39 | Copies of all contracts between private health care operators and the Calgary Regional Health Authority within the time period January 1, 1997 to January 1, 1998. | Mr. Dickson | Rejected March 18, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ40 | What was the average age of, and number of, managers employed in the Alberta civil service in each of the calendar years 1981, 1992, and 1997; and what was the average age of, and number of, executive managers employed in the Alberta civil service in each of the calendar years 1981, 1992, and 1997? | Mr. Mitchell | Accepted March 18, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Dunford December 1, 1998 S.P. 956/98 |
| WQ41 | How much did the Department of Environmental Protection spend in the fiscal year 1992-93 on the management and operation of provincial parks, provincial recreation areas and Kananaskis Country; how many <i>permanent positions and full-time equivalents were included in this budget</i> ; how many of these were <i>permanent park ranger positions</i> , and what are the comparable figures for the <i>fiscal year 1996/97</i> ? | Ms Carlson | Accepted as amended March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund December 8, 1998 S.P. 1014/98 |
| WQ42 | During the calendar years 1992 and 1997, how many full-time equivalent staff were employed in the entire Land and Forest Service, and specifically in the Forest Management Division and in Forestry Regional <i>and District</i> Offices; what was the total area of allocated Crown land (held under forest management agreements and other forms of tenure) on which forest management operations had to be supervised and how many full-time equivalent staff were involved in monitoring in the field? | Mr. White | Accepted as amended March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund December 8, 1998 S.P. 1015/98 |
| MR43 | A copy of the <i>meeting summaries and council reports</i> of all meetings of the Alberta Forest Management Science Council held from May 13, 1996 to the present. | Mr. White | Accepted as amended March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund December 8, 1998 S.P. 1016/98 |

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| MR44 | A copy of the minutes of each meeting of the Forest Protection Advisory Committee held in the <i>1997 calendar year</i> . | Mr. White | Accepted as amended March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund December 8, 1998 S.P. 1017/98 |
| WQ45 | What is the breakdown of the \$10.188 million in performing loans and \$1.344 million in non-performing loans, by individual company holding cellular system licenses in the United States, under NFI Finance Inc. as of December 31, 1996, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, note, 5, page 226? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected March 25, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ46 | What is the breakdown of the \$3.879 million provision for loss on notes, by individual company holding cellular system licenses in the United States, under the NFI Finance Inc. as of December 31, 1996 as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, note 5, page 226? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected March 25, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ47 | What is the breakdown of the \$1.407 billion in corporate income taxes collected by the Government during the fiscal year 1996/97, by asset size of taxable corporations, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, Schedule 1, page 12? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day March 26, 1998 S.P. 438/98 |
| WQ48 | What is the breakdown of the \$1.707 billion classified as accounts and accrued interest receivable, by individual entity, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 1, page 26? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day March 26, 1998 S.P. 439/98 |
| WQ49 | What is the breakdown of the \$203 million allowance for doubtful accounts by individual entity, under accounts and accrued interest receivable, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, Schedule 5, page 15? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day March 26, 1998 S.P. 440/98 |
| WQ50 | <i>How many accounts make up the \$9.63 million in impaired loans and what was the maximum amount of any impaired loan held by the Alberta Opportunity Company, as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, note 4, page 87?</i> | Ms Paul | Accepted as amended March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black April 23, 1998 S.P. 656/98 |
| WQ51 | <i>How many accounts make up the \$3.916 million specific allowance for loss on loans receivable and what was the maximum amount of any specific allowance for loss on loans held by the Alberta Opportunity Company, as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, note 4, page 87?</i> | Ms Paul | Accepted as amended March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black April 23, 1998 S.P. 657/98 |
| MR52 | Final drafts or copies of transcripts of speeches for each of the Deputy Ministers in the Department of Health for the period of February 1, 1995 until January 31, 1998. | Mr. Dickson | Accepted March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Jonson December 8, 1998 S.P. 1020/98 |
| MR53 | A copy of the plan for risk management at each of the 12 priority orphan sites identified under the Help Eliminate Landfill Pollution Program, as referred to on page 9 of the 1996/97 Annual Report of the Ministry of Environmental Protection. | Ms Carlson | Accepted March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund December 8, 1998 S.P. 1018/98 |

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| WQ54 | How many water level monitoring stations were in operation on rivers in Alberta between January 1, 1992 and December 31, 1992 and between January 1, 1997 and December 31, 1997, at how many sites was measuring automatic, at how many sites were measurements made manually in each year, and at the manual sites how many staff and how many volunteers were engaged in monitoring operations, and with what frequency? | Ms Carlson | Accepted March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund responded orally March 25, 1998 |
| MR55 | Copies of all invoices issued to the Government, or its agents, for the purchase of any and all video lottery terminals (VLTs) since January 1, 1992. | Mr. Gibbons | Accepted March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black March 30, 1998 S.P. 446/98 April 20, 1998 S.P. 592/98 |
| MR56 | Copies of all lease agreements from January 1, 1989 until present between the Caritas Health Group and Alberta Public Works, Supply and Services regarding the Edmonton General Hospital. | Mr. Sapers | Accepted March 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Woloshyn April 6, 1998 S.P. 511/98 |
| WQ57 | What are the assumptions, values, formulae, and calculations used to derive the education reinvestment subtotal for each category listed below as taken from the January 9, 1998, Alberta Education Backgrounder entitled "Agenda for Opportunity: Education Re-investment to 2000/2001": \$93 million - Rate Increases for Basic Instruction; \$171 million - Enrolment Growth; \$86 million - Special Needs; \$22 million - Early Literacy Initiative; \$10 million - Teacher Aide Program; \$5 million - English as a Second Language Enhancement; \$13 million - Student Transportation; \$18 million - Capital Funding; \$12 million - Teachers' Pensions; \$8 million - Equity Funding; and (\$59) million - Adjustments? | Dr. Massey | Accepted April 1, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Mar April 27, 1998 S.P. 672/98 |
| WQ58 | How many general meetings of the Alberta Environmental Network did the Minister of Environmental Protection <i>and the Department</i> attend between October 1, 1994 and October 31, 1997? | Ms Carlson | Accepted as amended April 1, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund February 18, 1999 S.P. 24/99 |
| MR59 | Copies of all studies, reports and analyses conducted by or for the Ministry of Economic Development and Tourism for the period January 1, 1993, and January 26, 1998 evaluating the mandate and operations of the Alberta Opportunity Company. | Ms Paul | Rejected April 1, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR60 | Copies of all research, documents, and findings prepared by or for the Department of Education regarding gender bias and performance on achievement and/or diploma examinations. | Dr. Massey | Accepted April 1, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Mar April 27, 1998 S.P. 673/98 |
| MR61 | Copies of all studies and reports prepared by or for the Ministry of Treasury for the period January 1, 1997 to January 26, 1998, assessing the impact of grain throughput levels and associated factors on the security value and collectability/recovery of the Province's loan to Ridley Grain Ltd. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 1, 1998 | Not applicable |

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| MR62 | Copies of all correspondence exchanged between the Ministries of Treasury, Economic Development and Tourism, and Executive Council, for the period January 1, 1994 to January 26, 1998, relating to the refinancing of West Edmonton Mall, and the involvement of the Alberta Treasury Branches in that refinancing. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 1, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR63 | Copies of all loan guarantee agreements for the period January 1, 1994, to January 28, 1997, between the Alberta Treasury Branches, T.D. Trust Company, West Edmonton Mall Property Inc., WEM Holdings, and 626110 Alberta Ltd. relating to the refinancing of West Edmonton Mall. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 1, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR64 | Copies of documents or reports prepared by or on behalf of the Government Reorganization Secretariat from January 1, 1993 to January 26, 1998, regarding Government streamlining and departmental consolidation, downsizing of the public service, elimination or amalgamation of agencies, boards and commissions, and the privatization, de-regulation, or disposal of Government assets or services. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 1, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR65 | Copies of all analyses undertaken by the Ministry of Treasury from January 1, 1996 to January 28, 1998, regarding financial restructuring, work-out or exit options involving projects that have received Government loans or loan guarantees, or in which the Government has taken a shareholder position. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 1, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR66 | Copies of all reports prepared for the Ministers of Finance, including the Provincial Treasurer of Alberta, by the Federal/Provincial Committee on Taxation between January 1, 1993 and January 26, 1998, respecting the tax-on-income proposal. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted April 1, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 676/98 |
| MR67 | Copies of all agreements and amended agreements signed by the Government between January 1, 1990 and January 26, 1998, pertaining to the WESTAIM Initiative. | Ms Paul | Accepted April 1, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Nelson February 17, 1999 S.P. 26/99 |
| MR68 | Copies of reports or documents compiled between January 1, 1993 and the present time, showing the location of spawning areas, fish-bearing streams (named and unnamed) entering and exiting the hereinafter named lakes, migrations, seasonal movements and age structures of fish, and the intensity of sport, commercial and domestic fishing, and sizes of catch in Lac La Biche and Elinor, Ethel, Frenchman, Fork, Kehewin, Lodge, Marie, Missawawi, McGuffin, Square and Vincent Lakes in the Northeast Boreal Region of the Department of Environmental Protection. | Ms Carlson | Rejected April 1, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR69 | Invoices for all newspaper, television, and radio advertisements promoting Budget '98 aired or printed on or before February 12, 1998, that were placed by or on behalf of the Government. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted April 1, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 677/98 |
| MR70 | Invoices for all newspaper, television, and radio advertisements promoting Budget '98 aired or printed after February 12, 1998, that were placed by or on behalf of the Government. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted April 1, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 678/98 |

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| WQ71 | What is the breakdown of the \$2,044,543 in write-offs under the Export Guarantee Program, by individual borrower, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, page 217? | Ms Paul | Accepted April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 679/98 |
| WQ72 | What was the total budget in the 1995-96 and in the 1996-97 financial years for each of the following programs: Fisheries Habitat Development Program, Fisheries Management Enhancement Program, the Fish Stocking Program, the Wildlife Habitat Development Program, the Wildlife Management Enhancement Program, and the Report-a-Poacher Program? | Ms Carlson | Accepted April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund March 1, 1999 S.P. 89/99 |
| WQ73 | What <i>were the costs</i> to the Government of operating, respectively, Moonshine Lake, Miquelon Lake and Wyndham-Carsland provincial parks <i>in each fiscal year between 1992/93 and 1997/98 inclusive</i> ; what was the total revenue brought in through <i>camping and related fees in each park in each fiscal year</i> and how much of that revenue was retained by any operators with contracts to <i>operate</i> the campgrounds? | Ms Carlson | Accepted as amended April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund March 1, 1999 S.P. 90/99 |
| WQ74 | What is the breakdown of the \$38 million classified as accrued interest receivable, <i>by individual Ministry</i> , as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, schedule 5, page 15? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 680/98 |
| WQ75 | What is the breakdown of the \$48 million estimated liability for guarantees and indemnities and the \$100 million classified as "Other," under Other Accrued Liabilities, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, schedule 12, page 20? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 681/98 |
| WQ76 | What is the breakdown of the \$8 million allowance for doubtful loans and advances under Other Loans, Advances and Investments, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, schedule 7, page 16? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 682/98 |
| WQ77 | What is the breakdown of the \$55 million provision for guarantees and indemnities and the \$28 million provision for doubtful accounts and loans under Valuation Adjustments, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, schedule 3, page 14? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 683/98 |
| WQ78 | What is the breakdown by individual borrower of the \$10 million classified as "Other" under the \$101 million provision for losses, doubtful accounts, loans, guarantees and indemnities, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 1, schedule 3, page 36? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 8, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ79 | What is the breakdown by individual borrower of the \$7 million classified as "Other" under the \$89 million allowance for doubtful loans, advances, implemented guarantees and indemnities, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 1, schedule 8, page 39? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 8, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ80 | What is the breakdown of the \$60 million classified as guarantees and indemnities under the \$77 million estimated liability for guarantees and indemnities, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 1, schedule 14, page 44? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 684/98 |

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| WQ81 | What is the \$8,774,000 in write-offs under N.A. Properties (1994) Ltd., as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, page 217? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 8, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day April 27, 1998 S.P. 685/98 |
| WQ82 | What is the breakdown of the \$256.5 million in write-offs under the Alberta Treasury Branches, by individual borrower, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, page 218? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 8, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ83 | What is the breakdown of the \$1.505 million provision for impairment in value of mortgage assets, by individual mortgage, held by N.A. Properties (1994) Ltd. as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, note 10, page 222? | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 8, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR84 | Copies of all analyses of Section 33 of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms and analyses of circumstances for invocation of Section 33 prepared by or for the Government in the last year with respect to the possible application of Section 33 by the Government. | Mr. Dickson | Rejected April 22, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR85 | Copies of all annual and interim financial statement analyses prepared by the Ministry of Treasury, as set out under sections 5.2 and 5.3 of the Loans and Guarantees Procedures Manual, for the period January 1, 1996 to January 26, 1998, underlying the monitoring of guarantees provided to Canadian Airlines International Ltd., Kananaskis Alpine Resort Inc., Centre for Frontier Engineering Research, Pocaterra Development Corporation, and North Saskatchewan River Boat Ltd. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 22, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR86 | Copies of all annual and interim financial statement analyses prepared by the Ministry of Treasury, as set out under sections 5.2 and 5.3 of the Loans and Guarantees Procedures Manual, for the period January 1, 1996 to January 26, 1998, underlying the monitoring of loans provided to Pratt & Whitney Canada Inc., Centennial Food Corporation, and Ridley Grain Ltd. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 22, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR87 | Copies of all approved three-to-five-year strategic plans <i>that are publicly available</i> prepared by, or on behalf of, the Alberta Treasury Branches between January 1, 1993 and January 26, 1998. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 22, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day December 2, 1998 S.P. 988/98 |
| MR88 | A breakdown of the \$1.196 million in expenditures contained under Vote 3.1.4 Project Management/Transition, Department of Treasury, 1995/96 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, page 113, providing a breakdown of expenditures on consulting services, an identification of each fee-for-service contractor, and the nature of the project engaged in by fee-for-service contractors. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 22, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day December 2, 1998 S.P. 989/98 |
| MR89 | <i>Summaries of</i> memoranda of understanding (MOUs) and amended schedules of MOUs between the Government and the Al-Pac joint venture and the joint venture partners for the period January 1, 1989 to January 26, 1998, setting out the obligations and commitments of the Government and the joint venture/joint venture partners to construct and operate a kraft pulp mill and paper mill. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 22, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Day December 2, 1998 S.P. 990/98 |

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| MR90 | Copies of all forensic audit reports prepared by, or on behalf of, the Alberta Treasury Branches for the period January 1, 1995 to January 26, 1998, relating to allegations of inappropriate business practices at the Alberta Treasury Branches. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 22, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR91 | A breakdown of the \$408.171 million in guarantees by borrower provided by the Alberta Treasury Branches Deposits Fund as of March 31, 1997, as contained in the 1996/97 Public Accounts, Vol. 3, note 14, page 240. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Rejected April 22, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ92 | What are the costs and benefits, detailed item-by-item and program-by-program, for the Ministries of Labour and Municipal Affairs accruing to Albertans as a result of the privatization and contracting out of Government services since 1993? | Dr. Pannu | Rejected April 22, 1998 | Not applicable |
| WQ93 | What is the explanation for the drop in royalties from synthetic crude oil and bitumen from \$512 million in the 1996-97 fiscal year to \$50 million in the 1998-99 fiscal year (Government Estimates 1998-99); how much of this drop off is due to anticipated lower prices and how much is due to the capital write-off provisions of the Transition Agreements and the Generic Royalty terms? | Dr. Pannu | Accepted April 22, 1998 | Hon. Mrs. Black on behalf of Hon. Dr. West April 23, 1998 S.P. 658/98 |
| MR94 | Copies of all documents, studies, reports, projections, or analyses from each Ministry from January 1, 1992 to the present supporting the Government's conclusion that it would be to the taxpayers' advantage to provide most Government computing services through outsourcing by privatization or contracting out. | Dr. Pannu | Debate adjourned April 22, 1998 Rejected April 29, 1998 | Not applicable |
| MR95 | Copies of all documents associated with the contracting out of laundry services, both on site and off site, at the Mitchener Centre in Red Deer, from January 1, 1994 to the present. | Dr. Pannu | Accepted April 29, 1998 | Hon. Dr. Oberg March 16, 1999 S.P. 254/99 |
| MR96 | <i>Where consent of the other parties can be obtained</i> , copies of the following agreements relating to the Al-Pac Pulp Mill Project: Paper Mill Agreement between the borrowers, dated September 4, 1991; Guarantee Agreement (Paper Mill Commitment), dated September 4, 1991, made by <i>Mitsubishi Corporation</i> in favour of the Province; Guarantee Agreement (Paper Mill Commitment), dated September 4, 1991, made by <i>Kanzaki Paper Mfg. Co. Ltd.</i> in favour of the Province; and Option to Purchase, dated September 4, 1991, made among the borrowers and the Minister of Forestry, Lands and Wildlife and acknowledged by Al-Pac. | Mr. Zwozdesky | Accepted as amended April 29, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Lund March 16, 1999 S.P. 253/99 |
| WQ97 | Of the 12,000 written submissions, e-mails and records of telephone calls to the Private School Funding Task Force established in 1997, what was the breakdown of the numbers of those who made submissions in favour of increasing funding, those opposed to increasing funding, and those who were neutral on the issue? | Dr. Massey | Accepted November 25, 1998 | Hon. Mr. Mar December 7, 1998 S.P. 1011/98 |
| MR98 | Copies of the 12,000 written submissions, e-mails and records of telephone calls to the Private School Funding Task Force established in 1997. | Dr. Massey | Rejected November 25, 1998 | Not applicable |

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| WQ99 | Between January 1, 1997 and November 1, 1998, at which provincial parks and recreation areas was a contract for the private sector management of a campground terminated; at which sites have new contracts been signed with another private sector operator which are now being managed by the Government, and which have closed? | Ms Carlson | | |
| WQ100 | How many qualified forest officers were employed by Alberta Environmental Protection on April 1, each year, from 1992 to 1998? | Mr. White | | |
| MR101 | A copy of the minutes of each meeting between January 1, 1997 and November 15, 1998 of the Endangered Species Conservation Committee and the Independent Scientific Subcommittee, which were established in accordance with section 9.1 of the Wildlife Act. | Ms Carlson | | |
| MR102 | Copies of reports and studies prepared by or for the Ministry of Municipal Affairs for the period January 1, 1997 to November 16, 1998, assessing the cost and benefits of the proposed transfer of federal co-op housing to the Province. | Mr. Gibbons | | |
| MR103 | Copies of reports and studies prepared by or for the Ministry of Municipal Affairs for the period April 15, 1998 to November 16, 1998, pertaining to the implementation of the Joint Audit of Alberta Registries by the Auditor General of Alberta and the Information and Privacy Commissioner. | Mr. Gibbons | | |
| MR104 | Transcripts of all interlocutory motions, preliminary hearings, trials and appeals heard in the Provincial Court of Alberta, the Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta, and the Court of Appeal of Alberta for the period January 1, 1998 to November 15, 1998, in which the Government was a party. | Ms Olsen | | |
| MR105 | Copies of any valuation reports, fairness assessments, work-out options, and exit options prepared by or for Alberta Treasury, or sent to Alberta Treasury, for the period March 25, 1998 to November 16, 1998, pertaining to the loan agreement between the Government and Centennial Food Corporation. | Mr. Sapers | | |
| MR106 | Copies of reports and studies prepared by or for Alberta Treasury for the period January 1, 1995 to November 16, 1998, assessing the feasibility of expanding the Government's reporting entity to include universities, colleges and technical institutes, regional health authorities, and school boards. | Mr. Sapers | | |
| WQ107 | How much money has the Minister set aside over the 10 years (1 December 1988 to 30 November 1998) to deal with the internal investigation costs, the criminal investigation costs, the long term disability claims, the civil defence costs, and the civil judgments arising out of workplace sexual harassment in the Department of Justice? | Ms Olsen | | |