

10. A Cultural Program for the 1976 Olympics  
(Committee Report 695-74CR)

Programme culturel pour les Jeux  
Olympiques de 1976  
(Rapport du comité 695-74CR)

The Cabinet had for consideration a memorandum from the Secretary of State (Cab. Doc. 695-74) and a report from the Cabinet Committee on Science, Culture and Information (695-74CR) proposing a cultural program to be implemented during the 1976 Olympics.

During the discussion, the following points emerged.

(a) In the view of a number of Ministers funds expended on "gala" presentations lasting only a few weeks did not have a significant long-term public relations impact.

(b) It was noted, on the other hand, that this program would provide for cultural events across the country which might not otherwise take place, which were traditionally an accompaniment to the Olympics and to which the government was in any event largely committed.

The Cabinet confirmed that subject to the availability of funds as determined by the Treasury Board, an additional amount of \$1 million be provided in fiscal year 1976-77 mainly to assist artists and performing arts groups to meet transportation and accommodation expenses entailed in their participation in the cultural program of the 1976 Olympic Games.

11. Program for Student Summer  
Employment and Activities, 1975  
(Committee Report 711-74CR)

Programme d'emploi et d'activités  
d'été pour les étudiants (1975)  
(Rapport du comité 711-74CR)

The Cabinet Committee on Social Policy, at its meeting of December 13, 1974, had for consideration a memorandum from the Minister of Manpower and Immigration entitled "Program for Student Summer Employment and Activities, 1975" (Cab. Doc. 711-74, dated November 26, 1974) seeking approval for the 1975 summer program.

The Committee noted that for public relations considerations, the Secretary of State intended that the Native Students Program be included under the Community Services Program.

The Committee agreed that: