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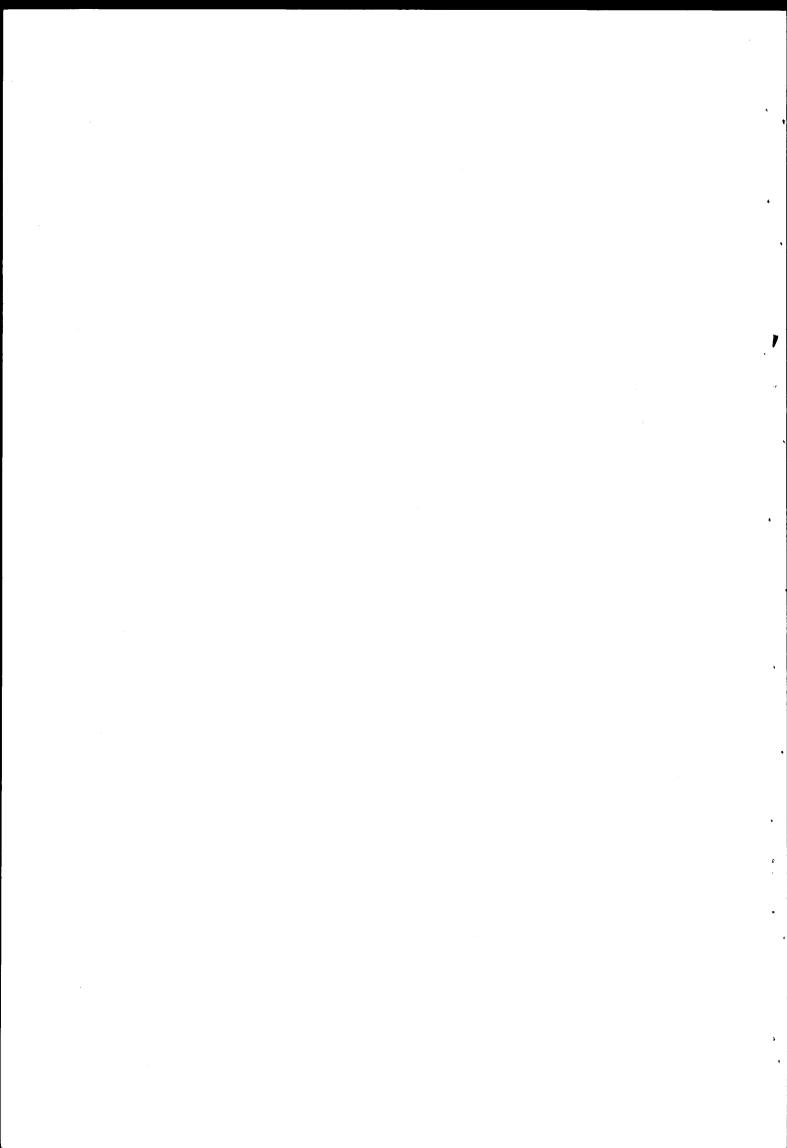
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ORAL QUESTIONS

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for QUESTION TIME on 14 May 1975



QUESTION TIME

QUESTIONS TO THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

Question by Mr NORMANTON (H-57/75)
 Subject: European textile industry

Is the Commission aware of the growing anxiety throughout the textile industry of Europe at the combined effect of a decline in public consumption and an increase in foreign imports of textiles of all kinds, and what measures will be adopted on a Community basis to regulate the flow of textile imports at prices unrelated to their actual cost of manufacture?

Question by Mr BORDU (H-40/75)
 Subject: Chilean external debt

What steps does the Commission intend to take to call upon the Member States of the Community to refuse all economic aid and political support to the military dictatorship which is in power in Chile?

3. Question by Mr HOUGARDY (H-53/75)
Subject: Harmonization of oil product prices

Does the Commission not think that, if the objektives of the common energy policy are to be achieved, priority should be given to fixing the prices for oil products?

4. Question by Mr FELLERMAIER (H-58/75)
Subject: Arrest of a former employee of the Hoffman-La Roche company

Is the reason for the arrest of a former employee of the Hoffman-La Roche company by the Swiss authorities the fact that he notified the Commission of an infringement of the rules of competition, or is this case one of industrial espionage?

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13. Question by Mr KIRK (H-67/75)
Subject: Price of sugar

Is it true that the world price of sugar is higher than in the Community and that as a result of this and of the EEC sugar arrangements, the British consumer has benefited greatly?

14. Question by Mr HOWELL (H-68/75) Subject: Beef supplies

How many days' supply of beef are at present held in intervention in the Community and what tonnage is deemed to constitute a beef "mountain"?

15. Question by Lord BETHELL (H-69/75) Subject: Cooperation with India

Will the Commission explain what has been done since the enlargement of the Community to develop cooperation with India in the fields of trade and aid?

16. Question by Mr DYKES (H-70/75)
Subject: Number of Community and British civil servants

How many Community officials are there per head of population in the EEC and how does this compare with the number of industrial and non-industrial civil servants in Britain?

17. Question by Mrs KELLETT-BOWMAN (H-71/75)
Subject: Consumer subsidies for butter

Is the Commission in favour of consumer subsidies for butter and can it estimate the extent to which the British consumer is benefiting from such subsidies?

18. Question by Lord St. OSWALD (H-72/75)
Subject: Mountain and hill farming directive

Following the decision of the Council on 28 April, how much does the Commission expect to disburse under the directive on mountain and hill farming in 1975 and in a full year and how much is expected to be in respect of the United Kingdom?

19. Question by Mr OSBORN (H-73/75)
Subject: Cost of Community and British civil servants

What is the cost per head of population in the EEC of the Community officials and how does this compare with the cost per head of the industrial and non-industrial civil servants in Britain?