

TRUANCY — ANTI-TRUANCY PROGRAM

306. Mr W.J. JOHNSTON to the Minister for Education:

I have a supplementary question. As the federal minister has been seeking the minister's view since early October, why can the minister not make up her mind on the topic?

Dr E. CONSTABLE replied:

I will be working with my cabinet colleagues as well, and I will make up my mind when I have all the information, having looked at the incentive programs as well as the more punitive “no school, no welfare” program.