Question regarding the Nutrition North food program

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Mr. Dennis Bevington MP Western Arctic:

Mr. Speaker, the Conservatives' nutrition north program has done nothing but increase the cost of groceries across northern Canada. It costs \$17 for a box of cereal in Iqaluit, \$19 for a bag of rice in Pangnirtung and \$25 for baby formula in Clyde River.

The Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut legislatures have voted unanimously to have the Auditor General investigate this program, but the Yukon and Nunavut MPs are very silent.

Will the Minister of Health heed the demands of the territorial governments and call in the Auditor General to investigate this boondoggle?