STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS May 14, 1991

MINUTE NO. 31

1. **PRESENT**: Mr. Van Mulligen in the Chair and Members Hopfner, Anguish, Baker, Britton, Lyons, Muller, Rolfes, and Swan.

Officials:

Provincial Auditor's Office

Wayne Strelioff, Provincial Auditor Fred Wendel, Assistant Provincial Auditor

Comptroller's Office

- G. Kraus, Comptroller
- T. Paton, Director Financial Management Branch
- 2. The Committee considered the possibility of a reference to the Committee by the Assembly of Bill 53 An Act to amend The Provincial Auditor's Act.
 - At 9: 15 a.m. the sitting was suspended.
 - At 9:25 a.m. the sitting was resumed.
- 3. It was moved by Mr. Lyons:

That the Standing Committee on *Public Accounts* recommends, by way of an interim report, that the House refer Bill 53, An Act to amend The Provincial Auditor's Act, to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts for clause by clause study.

After debate, the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

- 4. The Committee resumed consideration of the Report of the Provincial Auditor for the year ended March 31, 1990.
- 5. The Committee resumed consideration of Chapter 1, Public Accountability, of the Provincial Auditor's Report for the year ended March 31, 1990.
- 6. The Provincial Auditor answered questions.
- 7. The Comptroller answered questions.
- 8. At 10:03 a.m. the sitting was suspended.
- 9. At 10:15 a.m. the sitting resumed.

- 10. The Provincial Auditor answered questions.
- 11. The Comptroller answered questions.
- 12. It was agreed that the Committee not meet on Tuesday, May 21, 1991.
- 13. At 10:55 a.m. the Committee adjourned until Thursday, May 16, 1991 at 9:00 a.m.

Agenda:

Consideration of the 1989-90 Provincial Auditor's Report (continued).