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PART I.—THE ARMED SERVICES AND DEFENCE RESEARCH*

Section 1.—The Department of National Defence

The control and management of all matters relating to national defence, the Canadian Forces and the Defence Research Board are the responsibility of the Minister and Associate Minister of National Defence; the duties and functions relating to national survival have also been assigned to the Department of National Defence with the Canadian Army undertaking the major role. The Canadian Forces consist of three Services, the Royal Canadian Navy, the Canadian Army and the Royal Canadian Air Force. Each Service has an officer appointed as Chief of Staff who, subject to the regulations and under the direction of the Ministers, is charged with the control and administration of his Service. The Defence Research Board conducts research relating to the defence of Canada and also undertakes the development of or improvements in materiel. The Chairman, Chiefs of Staff Committee is responsible to the Minister for ensuring that all matters of joint defence and defence policy, in their widest sense, are carefully examined and co-ordinated before decisions are made.

The civilian administration of the Department is organized under the Deputy Minister and is constituted on a functional basis. The Deputy Minister maintains a continuing review and control over the financial aspects of operational policy, logistics, and personnel and administration. The Deputy Minister is assisted by an Associate Deputy Minister. In addition, there are four Assistant Deputy Ministers each of whom administers a division of the Deputy Minister's branch responsible for: administration and personnel; construction, engineering and properties; finance; and supply. Also responsible to the Deputy Minister are: the Controller General of Inspection Services, the Judge Advocate General, the Chief Secretary, and the Director of Public Relations.

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