

Federal commissions

Royal commissions under Part I of the Inquiries Act, established up to October 3, 1977, are described in previous editions of the *Canada Year Book* beginning with the 1940 edition. The following list presents the federal commissions established between October 1977 and May 1980, and the name of the chief commissioner or chairman.

Special adviser on the Canadian automotive industry, S. Simon Reisman
Changes in prices, profits, compensation and costs (inflation), Hon. Harold A. Renouf
Certain allegations concerning commercial practices of the Canadian Dairy Commission, Hugh F. Gibson
Railway safety as it relates to the handling of dangerous goods (Mississauga derailment), Samuel G.M. Grange.

Provincial and territorial commissions

The following list presents commissions of inquiry and provincial and territorial commissions established between January 1977 and May 1980, the name of the chief commissioner or chairman, and the date each was established:

Newfoundland

Commission of inquiry into cause or causes of recent industrial accidents involving death which occurred within the mines and property of IOCC at Labrador City and to investigate safety in general at the mine, Mr. Justice Vincent McCarthy, March 4, 1977
Commission of inquiry into purchasing procedures of the Department of Public Works and Services, Mr. Justice John W. Mahoney, June 16, 1977
Royal commission into the disposition of the Canada Summer Games facilities, Mr. Justice Jeffrey Steele, December 1, 1977
Commission of inquiry into publication of contents of confidential police reports relating to the investigation by the Department of Justice into the cause and origin and possible responsibility for a fire at Elizabeth Towers Apartments, St. John's on April 26, 1978, Mr. Justice P. Lloyd Soper, February 23, 1979
Royal commission on forest protection and management, Dr. Cyril Poole, May 2, 1980.

Prince Edward Island

Commission of inquiry on shopping centres and retail stores, Francis MacNeill, November 1979.

Nova Scotia

To inquire into and make recommendations to the Governor-in-Council respecting the appropriate form of local government organization for the area of the County of Halifax lying in the vicinity of Sackville, H.M. Nason, September 8, 1977
To inquire into the remuneration of elected officials, W.A. MacKay, December 20, 1977
To inquire into all matters pertaining to the fund administered by the Canada Permanent Trust Co. as agent for the Dominion Coal Workers' Relief Association, J. Russell MacEwan, September 4, 1979.

New Brunswick

Alcoholism and Drug Dependency Commission, Dr. Everett Chalmers, September 6, 1978.

Quebec

To inquire into and advise on the systems of collective bargaining in the public and para-public sectors, Yves Martin, July 1977
To inquire into the cost of the 21st Olympic games and facilities, Albert H. Malouf, July 1977
To inquire into the search during the night of October 6/7, 1972 at 3459 St-Hubert Street in Montreal, Jean Keable, September 1977
Commission of inquiry on the possible creation of an inter-municipal transit corporation for the area situated northeast of Montreal Island, November 1978
Commission of inquiry on vocational and socio-cultural training for adults, Michelle Jean, January 1980.