Question: Does this mean we shall continue to pay our dues to the Commonwealth association in the future?

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Answer: Yes it does, but not in the sense one pays for one's membership in a union. Canada's association with the Commonwealth is more like one's relations with one's family. There are many good reasons one can think of for keeping up the association, but in the fundamental sense you know that it is something to which you simply belong. As families go, the Commonwealth is a very good one.

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