

## TABLE 2

### ESTIMATES OF THE DIRECT EFFECT ON 1991 CONSUMER PRICES OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE GST (%)

Economic Council of Canada	1-1.25%
Department of Finance	1.25%
Bank of Canada	1.25%
Mike McCracken (Informetrica Ltd.)	1.25%
Conference Board of Canada	1.4%
Ontario Hydro	1.4%
Hydro-Québec	1.4%
Fraser Institute	1.7%
Institute for Policy Analysis (University of Toronto)	1.7%
Professor Neil Brooks	2-2.5%
Canadian Union of Public Employees	3%
Canadian Labour Congress	3%

Source : Various briefs presented to and issues of *Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence* of the Standing Committee on Consumer and Corporate Affairs and Government Operations.