

**Douglas Young**  
**Minister of Transport of Canada**

Born on Sept. 20, 1940, in Tracadie, New Brunswick, Douglas Young received a bachelor of arts degree from St. Thomas University and a law degree from the University of New Brunswick.

Mr. Young was elected to the New Brunswick legislature in 1978 and re-elected in 1982 and 1987. He led the provincial Liberal party from 1981 to 1983.

Mr. Young was first elected to the House of Commons in the 1988 general election. He was re-elected in 1993. The member of Parliament for the New Brunswick riding of Acadie-Bathurst, Mr. Young was appointed Minister of Transport on Nov. 4, 1993.