

This plan will, like the IMPAC priority plan, take into account the realities of available resources and other priorities within the department.

To date, I have reviewed the IMPAC work plans with the Deputy Ministers of over half the departments involved in the survey. I am now in the process of making presentations to their management committees. By early October, I will have completed discussions with all 20 departments. I have been heartened by the positive support which the departments have shown for this project.

I did not go into a lot of detail about the IMPAC survey today but I would be glad to provide a summary write-up to anyone who requests it from my office.

The IMPAC survey and the program evaluation projects are not our only concerns over the next year. We have many more policy areas, but these two will be the major components of the future activities of my office.

I hope that you now have some insight into the operations of the Office of the Comptroller General and can see our activities as a positive move to assist departments to become more effective and more efficient. Thank you.

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