

The Committee would like to receive your brief as soon as possible, but not later than the end of December. However, we do not intend to hear all government departments and agencies and I will communicate with you again later on to let you know if and when your organization will be invited to appear.

Our only purpose in undertaking this new enquiry is to help improve the formulation and implementation of Canadian science policy. For this reason, we hope that we will get your full cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

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In addition, the Committee would like to receive from you a response not only to the specific recommendations but also to the more general suggestions contained in Volume 2 and of the report on science policy and related directions or objectives your organization is pursuing. We expect that you will be interested in this report as you have indicated and your comments on this report should be sent to the Secretary of the Committee on Science and Technology, Department of Industry, Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0S5. Finally, you should feel completely free to add any other comments, suggestions or information that may be useful to the Committee. We would like to know the main lines of your organization's science policy and how it is being implemented in the near future in this vital area, and how that government involvement can be better coordinated to meet the needs of Canada as a whole. Your comments will be most helpful in our planning and implementation of our activities.

to maintain our scientific and technical activities in the light of the current and future needs of the country. This report was published in Volume 3 of the Science Policy Report, 1973.