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HONORARY ADVISORY COUNCIL

FOR

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH.

The Physical Laboratory  
University of Toronto,  
December 5, 1925.

Dear Professor Shaw:-

At the meeting of the Associate Committee on Physics and Engineering Physics in Ottawa, on May 31, 1925, it was unanimously decided that the Committee should prepare for the Research Council, a list of problems in Physics and Engineering Physics, the investigation of which the Committee considers worth undertaking in Canada, special attention being given to those problems, the solution of which would have an economic value in Canada.

In order to undertake this work economically, rapidly, and effectively, it was decided by the Associate Committee to consider the Physicists and Engineering Physicists as forming groups representative of geographical divisions of Canada, each group having as its Chairman one who for the time being is a member of the Associate Committee.

The group divisions decided upon with the Chairman of each are as follows:-

<u>DIVISION</u>	<u>CHAIRMAN</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
British Columbia	J. S. Plaskett, B.A. D.Sc. F.R.S.C.	Director, Astrophysical Observatory, Victoria, B.C.
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Ontario	J.C. McLennan, O.B.E. Ph.D. LL.D. F.R.S.	Prof. of Physics, Univ. of Toronto, Toronto, Ont.
Quebec.	A. N. Shaw, B.A. D.Sc. F.R.S.C.	Prof. of Physics McGill Univ. Montreal.
Maritime Provinces	H. L. Bronson, B.A. Ph.D. F.R.S.C.	Prof. of Physics Dalhousie University Halifax, N. S.

As chairman of your Division I should be obliged if you would kindly take the necessary steps to get into touch with all the Physicists and Engineering Physicists in your Division, and through consultation or correspondence with them, ascertain as fully as possible their views as to the problems in Physics and Engineering Physics that we, as an Associate Committee might deliberate upon with a view to reporting to the National Research Council, and to ensuring that all investigations that we may recommend that body to support are representative of the needs of Canada and possess either intrinsic merit or economic value.