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Department of National  
Revenue

Office of Commissioner of  
Income Tax  
Ottawa

12th July, 1940.

The Honourable J.L. Ilsley,  
Minister of Finance,  
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Collection of Provincial Income Tax from  
Dominion Civil Servants

Attached hereto is a draft Bill to amend the Act  
respecting debts due to the Crown.

The purpose of this amendment is to require Dominion  
Civil Servants to pay their debts arising by way of Provincial  
Income Taxes.

I understand that the former Minister of Finance indica-  
ted that the Bill would be favourably received, and perhaps  
you gave some intimation along those lines yourself. In any  
event Premier Bracken and Provincial Treasurer Garson are  
clearly of the view that they have an undertaking that the  
legislation will be passed at the present Session.

They regard the matter as one of great importance  
in their field of activity.

You suggested that the Bill should be brought before  
Council and accordingly four copies are enclosed for your use.

Yours faithfully,

C.F. Elliott  
Commissioner of Income Tax.