

## CURRICULUM VITAE OF THE WITNESS

**Mackenzie, Maxwell Weir, C.M.G., B.Com., C.A.** Mr. Mackenzie was born at Victoria, B.C., on June 30, 1907. He was educated at Lakefield Preparatory School in Lakefield, Ont.; Trinity College School, Port Hope, Ont.; and graduated from McGill University, Montreal (B.Com.) in 1928. He joined the firm of McDonald, Currie & Co., Chartered Accountants of Montreal, and in June 1929 he was admitted to the Society of Chartered Accountants of the Province of Quebec. In 1935 he became a partner of the firm. In September 1939, Mr. Mackenzie joined the Foreign Exchange Control Board to assist in establishing wartime control over financial transactions between residents of Canada and residents of other countries, and later he became Chairman of the Board's Management Committee. Mr. Mackenzie transferred to the Wartime Prices and Trade Board in May 1942, and was appointed Deputy Chairman in June 1943. He returned to McDonald, Currie & Co. in May 1944. In the same year he was appointed a member of the Royal Commission on Taxation of Annuities and Family Corporations. In February 1945, Mr. Mackenzie was appointed Deputy Minister of the Department of Trade and Commerce. He appeared on the Honours List, July 1, 1946, receiving the C.M.G. for his wartime services. On August 27, 1946, he was named alternate Canadian delegate to the second part of the First Session of the United Nations General Assembly. He was appointed Deputy Minister of the Department of Defence Production, effective April 1, 1951. On May 1, 1952, Mr. Mackenzie became associated with Celanese Corporation of America, in charge of its Canadian operations, as Executive Vice-President of Canadian Chemical & Cellulose Company, Ltd. He became President of the Company on April 21, 1954. In 1959 he became a Director of Celanese Corporation of America. He was subsequently Chairman of the Board of the two Canadian operating companies associated with Celanese Corporation, Chemcell Limited and Columbia Cellulose Company, Limited. He retired from these activities at Dec. 31, 1967. Mr. Mackenzie is a Director of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, CANRON Limited, The Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada, RCA Victor Company, Ltd., and International Milling Company, Inc. He is a Governor of Carleton University and a Director of the Private Planning Association of Canada. In December 1963 Mr. Mackenzie was appointed a member of the Economic Council of Canada. On November 16, 1966, he was appointed Chairman of the Royal Commission on Security. Mr. Mackenzie was married on September 12, 1931, to Jean Roger Fairbairn. They have two daughters and two sons.