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FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL COMMISSION:

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FROM THE AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE:

Mr. A. M. Henderson, Auditor General of Canada
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The following is a report on the work done by your Committee in which it gave consideration to the following paragraphs in the Report of the Auditor General to the House for the year ended March 31, 1968:

Department of Manpower and Immigration—

Paragraphs 27, 112 to 115.

Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development—

Paragraphs 25, 98 to 105, and 243.

Department of Industry—

Paragraphs 26, 106, 107 and 109.

National Capital Commission—

Paragraphs 286, 116, 117 and 118.

DEPARTMENT OF MANPOWER AND IMMIGRATION

Municipal Winter Works Program

Your Committee in its Thirteenth Report 1966-67 expressed concern with the practices that had developed concerning the administering and operation of the program, and is pleased to note a substantial curtailment in the number of irregularities and abuses, although some of the same abuses continued.

This program is no longer in operation but your Committee is disturbed that when their criticisms are brought to the attention of this and other Departments, more definite action is not taken to correct the defects.

Adult occupational training program

Because of a protracted debate in the House on the Canadian Forces Reorganization the Adult Occupational Training Act 1966-67, C.94, was not passed by the House until April 26, 1967, and was assented to on May 8, 1967.

However, to get this new program under way on April 1, 1967, including the payment of allowances, the Governor in Council approved regulations covering the adult occupational training program on March 30, 1967 to be