



Province of Alberta

**The Twenty-fourth Annual Report
of the
Chief Electoral Officer**

The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act
for the Calendar Year 2000 and the 2001 General Election

December 11, 2001

The Honourable Ken Kowalski
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly
325 Legislature Building
Edmonton, Alberta
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Dear Mr. Speaker:

It is an honour to submit to the Legislative Assembly through you, Mr. Speaker, the Twenty-fourth Annual Report of the Chief Electoral Officer concerning the administration of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act for the calendar year 2000.

In order to provide a timely account relevant to the 2001 General Election, I have included the General Election information in this report.

This Report is submitted pursuant to Section 3(2) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act, Revised Statutes of Alberta 1980, Chapter E-3.

Should you require clarification or additional information, I would be pleased to respond.

Sincerely,

O. Brian Fjeldheim
Chief Electoral Officer

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Message from the Chief Electoral Officer

In fulfilling my responsibilities for the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer, I have relied on a small but dedicated group of employees. Their contributions over the past year have been essential to our success.

Our Office strives to provide a standard of excellence for all Albertans through the impartial and effective administration of the electoral process. This results in public assurance that the provisions of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act are administered in a fair and impartial manner.

During and following the last provincial general election, interest and activity relative to the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act increased. More individuals have become involved in the electoral process either as candidates or in some other capacity. I am continually impressed with the commitment and dedication that these individuals display. Anyone who has been involved in the electoral process knows that committed and dedicated volunteers are the very backbone of our electoral system.

As in past years, my Office continues to receive strong support and cooperation from candidates, constituency associations and political parties. This makes our job much easier and certainly adds a tremendous amount to our job satisfaction. It has always been my opinion that the services and information that this Office provides to either the volunteers or paid staff of any political entity mutually benefits both organizations.

Should any Albertan require additional information on the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act, I would encourage them to contact this Office by telephone at (780) 427-7191, outside of Edmonton dial the prefix 310-0000 then our number (780) 427-7191, e-mail us at elections.alberta@gov.ab.ca or visit our Office.

O. Brian Fjeldheim
Chief Electoral Officer

Section One

The Calendar Year 2000

Overview

The following are some of the major activities and events that occurred during the calendar year 2000:

- Annual financial statements were received and examined from ten registered parties;
- Annual financial statements were received and examined from two hundred and sixty-three constituency associations;
- Two hundred and sixty-six registered constituency associations were included in the Register as of December 31, 2000;
- The Edmonton-Highlands By-election was held June 12, 2000 and
- The Red Deer-North By-election was held September 25, 2000.

Registration Data

Political Parties

Effective December 31, 2000, there were ten political parties included in the Register of Political Parties, pursuant to Section 6(2) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act.

Name (Abbreviation)	Date Registered	Leader	Chief Financial Officer
Alberta First Party (AFP)	November 2, 1999	John Reil	Jason Nicholas
Alberta Greens (AG)	April 6, 1990	David Parker	Madeleine Oldershaw
Alberta Liberal Party (LIB)	February 3, 1978	Nancy MacBeth	Gary Bentham
Alberta New Democratic Party (NDP)	January 3, 1978	Raj Pannu	Alex Grimaldi
Alberta Party Political Association (APPA)	October 30, 1990	Fred Schorning	Bill Forbes
Communist Party - Alberta (CP-A)	January 31, 1979	Naomi Rankin	Blyth Nuttall
Natural Law Party of Alberta (NLP)	May 27, 1993	Maury Shapka	Ric Johnsen
Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta (PC)	January 3, 1978	Ralph Klein	Ron Renaud
Reform Party of Alberta (REF)	August 24, 1989	David Salmon	Betty Unger
The Equity Party (TEP)	March 2, 1995	Barry Pashak	Bruce Hinkley

This Office maintains a file containing the names of groups and individuals who have formally requested and received information concerning the procedure to be followed for registering a political party under the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act. As of December 31, 2000, three files remain open for groups that have requested that this Office reserve a particular name for their proposed political party. The current status of activity by these groups is unknown; however, they have been advised that one of the primary requirements for registration is the completion of a petition under Section 5(2)(d) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act. The petition must contain a minimum of 5,769 signatures of eligible electors, which represents 0.3% of the number of electors eligible to vote at the 2001 General Election.

Party - Deregistration

The Alberta Social Credit Party was deregistered on December 15, 2000 for failure to submit the Edmonton-Highlands By-election financial statement by the due date. As a result of the Party deregistration, all of the seventeen registered constituency associations were deregistered in accordance with Section 9 of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act.

Constituency Associations - Registration

During the 2000 calendar year, applications for registration were received and approved for fourteen constituency associations of registered political parties:

Alberta First Party

Edmonton-Meadowlark	Edmonton-Mill Creek	Edmonton-Mill Woods
Cardston-Taber-Warner	Innisfail-Sylvan Lake	Lethbridge-East
Lethbridge-West	Red Deer-North	Red Deer-South
Redwater	Rocky Mountain House	

Alberta Social Credit Party

Dunvegan	Strathmore-Brooks
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The Equity Party

Edmonton-Whitemud

Constituency Associations - Deregistration

Alberta Social Credit Party

As a result of the Party's deregistration on December 15, 2000, all of the seventeen registered constituency associations were deregistered in accordance with Section 9 of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act.

Calgary-Fort	Edmonton-McClung	Edmonton-Rutherford
Bonnyville-Cold Lake	Cypress-Medicine Hat	Drumheller-Chinook
Dunvegan	Grande Prairie-Wapiti	Lethbridge-East
Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills	Red Deer-South	Redwater
Rocky Mountain House	Strathmore-Brooks	Vermilion-Lloydminster
Wainwright	Wetaskiwin-Camrose	

Alberta Liberal Party

As a result of filing their 1999 Annual Financial Statement after the March 31, 2000 deadline, the Leduc Constituency Association was deregistered.

Constituency Associations - Reregistration

There were two requests for reregistration from deregistered constituency associations as of December 31, 2000:

Alberta New Democratic Party

Grande Prairie-Wapiti

Alberta Liberal Party

Leduc

Summary of Constituency Association Registrations at December 31, 2000

At December 31, 2000, the number of registered constituency associations of the registered parties was as follows:

	AFP	APPA	LIB	NDP	PC	TEP	TOTAL
Total Registered	11	1	83	83	83	5	266
Electoral Divisions without Registered Constituency Associations	72	82	NIL	NIL	NIL	78	232

The Alberta Greens, Communist Party-Alberta, the Natural Law Party and the Reform Party of Alberta had no registered constituency associations at December 31, 2000.

A chart showing the status of registered constituency associations of each registered political party, by electoral division as of December 31, 2000, is presented on page 15.

Candidates Who Filed Late

Individuals Prohibited From Being Nominated

There are a number of individuals who were candidates at either a General Election or By-election who filed the required Candidate's Campaign Period Financial Statement after the due date and who did not apply for relief to the Court of Queen's Bench. The Chief Electoral Officer presented reports on the matter to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to Section 36(1) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act. The individuals named are prohibited from being nominated as candidates in an election for varying specified periods. The information of these circumstances is available in the Public Files at the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer.

Financial Statements

All political parties and constituency associations registered prior to September 1, 2000 were required to file annual financial statements for 2000 with this Office, on or before April 2, 2001, in accordance with Section 34(1) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act.

Political Parties - 2000 Annual Financial Statements

Ten political parties were registered with the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer as of December 31, 2000. All ten parties were required to submit a 2000 Annual Financial Statement. Audited 2000 Party Annual Financial Statements were received by April 2, 2001, from the ten registered parties that follow:

- Alberta First
- Alberta Greens
- Alberta Liberal Party
- Alberta New Democratic Party
- Alberta Party Political Association
- Communist Party - Alberta
- Natural Law Party of Alberta
- Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta
- Reform Party of Alberta
- The Equity Party

NOTE:

On December 15, 2000 the Alberta Social Credit Party was deregistered for failing to file the Edmonton-Highlands By-election Political Party Campaign Period Financial Statement. The required statement was filed on January 12, 2001 and the Party was reregistered effective on that date. The Party was required to provide this Office with their 2000 Audited Annual Financial Statement, which was received by April 2, 2001.

This Report does not include comparisons of the financial support given to each political entity over the twenty-three years in which Party Annual Financial Statements have been required; this information is available in the Public Files at the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer. A summary of the 2000 data appears on page 17. A simplified presentation of the number, category and contributions received in the 2000 calendar year follows:

Alberta First Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
27 contributions from individuals	\$ 3,834.	\$ 142.00
4 contributions from corporations	953.	238.25
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
13 contributions from individuals	18,752.	1,442.46
1 contribution from a corporation	<u>500.</u>	500.00
Total	<u>\$ 24,039.</u>	

Alberta Greens

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
144 contributions from individuals	\$ 18,880.	\$ 131.11
2 contributions from corporations	180.	90.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
8 contributions from individuals	<u>6,300.</u>	787.50
Total	<u>\$ 25,360.</u>	

Alberta Liberal Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
1,983 contributions from individuals	\$ 152,295.	\$ 76.80
227 contributions from corporations	26,272.	115.74
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
177 contributions from individuals	167,257.	944.95
214 contributions from corporations	<u>244,445.</u>	1,142.27
Total	<u>\$ 590,269.</u>	

Alberta New Democratic Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
2,373 contributions from individuals	\$ 260,385.	\$ 109.73
10 contributions from corporations	1,380.	138.00
9 contributions from trade unions	1,252.	139.11
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
133 contributions from individuals	106,350.	799.62
2 contributions from trade unions	<u>2,218.</u>	1,109.00
Total	<u>\$ 371,585.</u>	

Alberta Party Political Association

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
13 contributions from individuals	\$ 490.	\$ 37.69
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
1 contribution from an individual	1,720.	1,720.00
2 contributions from corporations	<u>1,788.</u>	894.00
Total	<u>\$ 3,998.</u>	

Alberta Social Credit Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
17 contributions from individuals	\$ 2,133.	\$ 125.47
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
23 contributions from individuals	24,594.	1,069.30
3 contributions from corporations	<u>15,072.</u>	5,024.00
Total	<u>\$ 41,799.</u>	

Communist Party - Alberta

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
5 contributions from individuals	\$ 405.	\$ 81.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
1 contribution from an individual	<u>415.</u>	415.00
Total	<u>\$ 820.</u>	

Natural Law Party of Alberta

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
6 contributions from individuals	\$ 1,680.	\$ 280.00
1 contribution from a corporation	360.	360.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
22 contributions from individuals	<u>9,445.</u>	429.32
Total	<u>\$ 11,485.</u>	

Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
1,784 contributions from individuals	\$ 311,765.	\$ 174.76
1,043 contributions from corporations	99,458.	95.36
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
804 contributions from individuals	495,687.	616.53
674 contributions from corporations	<u>1,224,356.</u>	1,816.55
Total	<u>\$ 2,131,266.</u>	

Reform Party of Alberta

The party's statement reported no contributions were received during the period ending December 31, 2000.

The Equity Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
6 contributions from individuals	\$ <u>883.</u>	\$ 147.17
Total	\$ <u>883.</u>	

Average Contributions to Parties

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
6,358 contributions from individuals	\$ 752,750.	\$ 118.39
1,287 contributions from corporations	128,603.	99.92
9 contributions from trade unions	1,252.	139.11
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
1,182 contributions from individuals	\$ 830,520.	\$ 702.64
894 contributions from corporations	1,486,161.	1,662.37
2 contributions from trade unions	2,218.	1,109.00

Constituency Associations - 2000 Annual Financial Statements

All two hundred and sixty-six constituency associations registered on December 31, 2000, were required to file annual financial statements on or prior to April 2, 2001, for the period January 1, 2000 to December 31, 2000. For information on the Alberta Social Credit Party Constituency Associations, please refer to page 11.

Financial statements were received from two hundred and fifty-nine constituency associations by the due date. Two constituency associations of the Alberta Liberal Party, one constituency association of the Alberta Party Political Association, and four constituency associations of the Alberta First Party failed to file the required annual financial statement by the due date.

Administrative and financial procedures differ significantly between parties, and each party is required to advise this Office of its routine relating to certain procedures. The following information reflects these procedures as it affects the constituency associations' authority to accept contributions and to issue official receipts for the period January 1, 2000 to December 31, 2000.

Alberta First Party

None of the eleven registered constituency associations were authorized to accept contributions.

Alberta Greens

The Alberta Greens had no constituency associations registered in the 2000 calendar year.

Alberta Liberal Party

Only one of the eighty-three registered constituency associations was authorized to accept contributions; the association did not report receiving any contributions.

Alberta New Democratic Party

None of the eighty-three registered constituency associations were authorized to accept contributions.

Alberta Party Political Association

The one registered constituency association was not authorized to accept contributions.

Alberta Social Credit Party

All constituency associations for the Alberta Social Credit Party were deregistered on December 15, 2000. Prior to deregistration the seventeen constituency associations were authorized to accept contributions and were required to file financial statements for the period January 1, 2000 to December 15, 2000. Only four constituency associations reregistered and filed their 2000 financial statement. Of these four only two received contributions during the year reported.

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
6 contributions from individuals	\$ 792.	\$ 131.98
1 contribution from a corporation	100.	100.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
3 contributions from individuals	<u>1,675.</u>	558.33
Total	<u>\$ 2,567.</u>	

Communist Party - Alberta

The Communist Party had no constituency associations registered in the 2000 calendar year.

Natural Law Party of Alberta

The Natural Law Party had no constituency associations registered in the 2000 calendar year.

Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta

All of the eighty-three registered constituency associations were authorized to accept contributions; eighty-one reported the receipt of contributions:

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
3,076 contributions from individuals	\$ 269,148.	\$ 87.50
1,078 contributions from corporations	138,842.	128.80
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
423 contributions from individuals	239,463.	566.11
354 contributions from corporations	<u>191,600.</u>	541.24
Total	<u>\$ 839,053.</u>	

Reform Party of Alberta

The Reform Party had no constituency associations registered in the 2000 calendar year.

The Equity Party

None of the five registered constituency associations were authorized to accept contributions.

Average Contributions to Constituency Associations

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
3,082 contributions from individuals	\$ 269,940.	\$ 87.59
1,079 contributions from corporations	138,942.	128.77
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
426 contributions from individuals	241,138.	566.05
354 contributions from corporations	191,600.	541.24

Political Parties, Constituency Associations - 2000 Contribution Totals

Total contributions received by registered parties and constituency associations during 2000 were:

	Party	Constituency Association	Total
Alberta First Party	\$ 24,039.	\$ Nil	\$ 24,039.
Alberta Greens	25,360.	Nil	25,360.
Alberta Liberal Party	590,269.	Nil	590,269.
Alberta New Democratic Party	371,585.	Nil	371,585.
Alberta Party Political Association	3,998.	Nil	3,998.
Alberta Social Credit Party	41,799.	2,567.	44,366.
Communist Party - Alberta	820.	Nil	820.
Natural Law Party of Alberta	11,485.	Nil	11,485.
Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta	2,131,266.	839,053.	2,970,319.
Reform Party of Alberta	Nil	Nil	Nil
The Equity Party	<u>883.</u>	<u>Nil</u>	<u>883.</u>
Total	<u>\$ 3,201,504.</u>	<u>\$ 841,620.</u>	<u>\$ 4,043,124.</u>

Senatorial Selection Act

Financial Statements

The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act permits registered political parties to maintain continuous annual financial activities between Senatorial Selection Campaigns. Registered parties may accept annual contributions, within prescribed limits, and expend funds for Senatorial Selection purposes. Annual financial statements are required to ensure complete public disclosure of all such transactions.

Only the three registered parties that endorsed a candidate at the 1989 Senatorial Selection Election are required to file an Audited Senatorial Selection Annual Financial Statement. Financial statements were received by April 2, 2001 from the three registered parties that follow:

- Alberta Liberal Party
- Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta
- Reform Party of Alberta

Political Parties – 2000 Senatorial Selection Annual Financial Statement

The Reform Party was the only party to report financial transactions during the calendar year 2000. Activity details follow:

Reform Party of Alberta

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
18 contributions from individuals	\$ 1,155.	\$ 64.17
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
1 contribution from an individual	<u>800.</u>	800.00
Total	<u>\$ 1,955.</u>	

A summary of the 2000 data appears on page 18.

**Status of Constituency Associations
of Registered Political Parties
at December 31, 2000**

("R" = registered, "-" = not registered, "X" = deregistered)

Election Division		AFF	APPA	LIB	NDP	PC	TEP
01	Athabasca-Wabasca	-	-	R	R	R	-
02	Lesser Slave Lake	-	-	R	R	R	-
03	Calgary-Bow	-	-	R	R	R	-
04	Calgary-Buffalo	-	-	R	R	R	-
05	Calgary-Cross	-	-	R	R	R	-
06	Calgary-Currie	-	X	R	R	R	-
07	Calgary-East	-	-	R	R	R	-
08	Calgary-Egmont	-	R	R	R	R	-
09	Calgary-Elbow	-	-	R	R	R	-
10	Calgary-Fish Creek	-	-	R	R	R	-
11	Calgary-Foothills	-	-	R	R	R	-
12	Calgary-Fort	-	-	R	R	R	-
13	Calgary-Glenmore	-	-	R	R	R	R
14	Calgary-Lougheed	-	-	R	R	R	-
15	Calgary-McCall	-	-	R	R	R	-
16	Calgary-Montrose	-	-	R	R	R	-
17	Calgary-Mountain View	-	-	R	R	R	R
18	Calgary-North Hill	-	-	R	R	R	-
19	Calgary-North West	-	-	R	R	R	-
20	Calgary-Nose Creek	-	-	R	R	R	-
21	Calgary-Shaw	-	-	R	R	R	-
22	Calgary-Varsity	-	-	R	R	R	-
23	Calgary-West	-	-	R	R	R	-
24	Edmonton-Beverly-Clareview	-	-	R	R	R	R
25	Edmonton-Calder	-	-	R	R	R	-
26	Edmonton-Castle Downs	-	-	R	R	R	-
27	Edmonton-Centre	-	-	R	R	R	R
28	Edmonton-Ellerslie	-	-	R	R	R	-
29	Edmonton-Glengarry	-	-	R	R	R	-
30	Edmonton-Glenora	-	-	R	R	R	-
31	Edmonton-Gold Bar	-	-	R	R	R	-
32	Edmonton-Highlands	-	-	R	R	R	-
33	Edmonton-Manning	-	-	R	R	R	-
34	Edmonton-McClung	-	-	R	R	R	-
35	Edmonton-Meadowlark	R	-	R	R	R	-
36	Edmonton-Mill Creek	R	-	R	R	R	-
37	Edmonton-Mill Woods	R	-	R	R	R	-
38	Edmonton-Norwood	-	-	R	R	R	-
39	Edmonton-Riverview	-	-	R	R	R	-
40	Edmonton-Rutherford	-	-	R	R	R	-
41	Edmonton-Strathcona	-	-	R	R	R	-
42	Edmonton-Whitemud	-	-	R	R	R	R
43	Airdrie-Rocky View	-	-	R	R	R	-
44	Banff-Cochrane	-	-	R	R	R	-
45	Barrhead-Westlock	-	-	R	R	R	-
46	Bonnyville-Cold Lake	-	-	R	R	R	-
47	Cardston-Taber-Warner	R	-	R	R	R	-

**Section One
Appendix A**

Election Division	AFF	APPA	LIB	NDP	PC	TEP
48 Clover Bar-Fort Saskatchewan	-	-	R	R	R	-
49 Cypress-Medicine Hat	-	-	R	R	R	-
50 Drayton Valley-Calmor	-	-	R	R	R	-
51 Drumheller-Chinook	-	-	R	R	R	-
52 Dunvegan	-	-	R	R	R	-
53 Fort McMurray	-	-	R	R	R	-
54 Grande Prairie-Smoky	-	-	R	R	R	-
55 Grande Prairie-Wapiti	-	-	R	R	R	-
56 Highwood	-	-	R	R	R	-
57 Innisfail-Sylvan Lake	R	-	R	R	R	-
58 Lac La Biche-St. Paul	-	-	R	R	R	-
59 Lacombe-Stettler	-	-	R	R	R	-
60 Leduc	-	-	R	R	R	-
61 Lethbridge-East	R	-	R	R	R	-
62 Lethbridge-West	R	-	R	R	R	-
63 Little Bow	-	-	R	R	R	-
64 Livingstone-Macleod	-	-	R	R	R	-
65 Medicine Hat	-	-	R	R	R	-
66 Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills	-	-	R	R	R	-
67 Peace River	-	-	R	R	R	-
68 Ponoka-Rimbey	-	-	R	R	R	-
69 Red Deer-North	R	-	R	R	R	-
70 Red Deer-South	R	-	R	R	R	-
71 Redwater	R	-	R	R	R	-
72 Rocky Mountain House	R	-	R	R	R	-
73 St. Albert	-	-	R	R	R	-
74 Sherwood Park	-	-	R	R	R	-
75 Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert	-	-	R	R	R	-
76 Stony Plain	-	-	R	R	R	-
77 Strathmore-Brooks	-	-	R	R	R	-
78 Vegreville-Viking	-	-	R	R	R	-
79 Vermilion-Lloydminster	-	-	R	R	R	-
80 Wainwright	-	-	R	R	R	-
81 West Yellowhead	-	-	R	R	R	-
82 Wetaskiwin-Camrose	-	-	R	R	R	-
83 Whitecourt-Ste. Anne	-	-	R	R	R	-

NOTE:

Due to the deregistration of the Alberta Social Credit Party on December 15, 2000 there are no registered constituency associations to report.

Summary of 2000 Annual Financial Statements Registered Political Parties

Registered Political Parties	Amounts to \$375.00	Amounts of \$375.01 and greater	Other Revenue	Total Annual Revenue	Funds Transferred	Annual Expenses	Total Annual Expenses	Surplus (Deficit)
AFP	4,787.	19,252.	7904.	31,943.	2,250.	37,014.	39,264.	(7,321.)
AG	19,060.	6,300.	809.	26,169.	Nil	5,545.	5,545.	20,624.
LIB	178,567.	411,702.	91,420.	681,689.	188,132.	445,584.	633,716.	47,973.
NDP	263,017.	108,568.	84,049.	455,634.	58,549.	467,237.	525,786.	(70,152.)
APPA	490.	3,508.	700.	4,698.	Nil	4,806.	4,806.	(108.)
SC	2,133.	39,666.	16,388.	58,187.	844.	44,787.	45,631.	12,556.
CP-A	405.	415.	Nil	820.	Nil	101.	101.	719.
NLP	2,040.	9,445.	352.	11,837.	Nil	14,007.	14,007.	(2,170.)
PC	411,223.	1,720,043.	448,046.	2,579,312.	5,069.	2,019,018.	2,024,087.	555,225.
REF	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
TEP	883.	Nil	40.	923.	Nil	819.	819.	104.

Note: The information presented above represents financial data at December 31, 2000 in capsule form. For information on prior years, reference should be made to the Public Files maintained in this Office (see page 42).

Summary of 2000 Senatorial Selection Annual Financial Statements Registered Political Parties

Registered Political Parties	Amounts to \$375.00	Amounts of \$375.01 and greater	Other Revenue	Total Annual Revenue	Funds Transferred	Annual Expenses	Total Annual Expenses	Surplus (Deficit)
LIB	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
PC	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
REF	1,155.	800.	Nil	1,955.	Nil	(9,592.)	(9,592)	11,547.

Note: The information presented above represents financial data at December 31, 2000 in capsule form. For information on prior years, reference should be made to the Public Files maintained in this Office (see page 42).

Section Two

Edmonton-Highlands By-election

Overview

A report on the Edmonton-Highlands By-election, which was held on June 12, 2000, was published by the Chief Electoral Officer on November 30, 2000.

The campaign period for the By-election, as defined by Section 1(1)(c) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act, was May 15, 2000 to August 12, 2000. Campaign Period Financial Statements from the registered candidates were required to be filed with the Chief Electoral Officer on or prior to October 12, 2000 pursuant to Section 35(1) of the Act. The Independent candidate, Alberta Social Credit Party candidate and Alberta First Party candidate failed to file the required Candidates' Campaign Period Financial Statement by the date required. The names of the candidates and their chief financial officers, along with the Party affiliation, follow:

Registered Candidate	Chief Financial Officer	Party Affiliation
John Reil	Carol Harvey	Alberta First Party
Patricia Hansard	Matt Semmler	Alberta Social Credit Party
Adil Pirbhai	Thomas Trofimuk	Independent Candidate

The names of the three registered candidates and their chief financial officers were reported to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly on October 24, 2000 in accordance with Section 36(1) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act. All persons were notified that, pursuant to Section 52.1 of the Election Act, when the Speaker lays the report before the Assembly they will be prohibited from being nominated as a candidate at any future provincial election for eight years. At the date of publication of this report, the required financial statements have been received for all three candidates. The prohibition for these individuals has been reduced to five years following the date of filing their statements.

The Speaker laid the Chief Electoral Officer's report naming the delinquent filers before the Assembly on January 24, 2001. Any candidate or chief financial officer who has filed the financial statement had a 60 day window of opportunity to apply to the Court of Queen's Bench for relief in accordance with Section 36(2) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act. At the date of publication of this report three of the six individuals noted above made application to and were granted relief by the Court of Queens Bench.

The registered parties of the candidates were required to file audited Political Party Campaign Period Financial Statements on or prior to December 12, 2000, pursuant to Section 35(1) (a) of the Act. Four of the five registered parties filed the financial statement within the time limit. The Alberta Social Credit Party failed to file the financial statement by the date required and was deregistered.

A summary of the contribution totals for parties and candidates is included on page 21.

Registered Candidates - By-election Campaign Period Financial Statements

Of the six registered candidates, three filed the required financial statement within the prescribed time limit. Financial statements were received from the three candidates that missed the deadline. Copies of the candidates' financial statements and other related documents have been included in the Public Files, at the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer.

A summary of the candidates' campaign period receipts and expenditures for the Edmonton-Highlands By-election follows:

Candidate (*elected)	Party Affiliation	Campaign Contributions	Other Revenue	Total Receipts	Campaign Expenses
John Reil	AFP	1,713.	2,250.	3,963.	3,363.
Terry Kirkland	LIB	3,375.	19,825.	23,200.	23,160.
Brian Mason *	NDP	Nil	34,618.	34,618.	34,618.
Barbara Fung	PC	14,265.	22,927.	37,192.	35,831.
Pat Hansard	SC	2,755.	500.	3,255.	4,183.
Adil Pirbhai	IND	1,500.	Nil	1,500.	1,500.

Registered Political Parties – By-election Campaign Period Financial Statements

Five of the eleven registered parties participated in this By-election. The required financial statements from four of the five parties were filed within the prescribed time limit. The Alberta Social Credit Party was deregistered on December 15, 2000 for failing to file their financial statement. They filed the financial statement at a later date with the request to reinstate the party's registered status. Copies of the parties' financial statements and other related documents have been included in the Public Files, at the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer.

A summary of the parties' campaign period receipts and expenditures for the Edmonton-Highlands By-election follows:

Registered Political Party	Campaign Contributions	Other Revenue	Total Campaign Receipts	Funds or Materials Transferred	Campaign Expenses	Total Expenditure
AFP	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	1,650.	1,650.
LIB	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	8,000.	8,000.
NDP	55,188.	Nil	55,188.	34,618.	3,277.	37,895.
PC	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	5,068.	5,068.
SC	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	500.	500.

Political Parties, Candidates – By-election Contribution Totals

The total campaign contributions received during the Edmonton-Highlands By-election by registered parties and candidates were:

	Party	Candidate	Total
Alberta First Party	Nil	1,713.	1,713.
Alberta Liberal Party	Nil	3,375.	3,375.
Alberta New Democratic Party	55,188.	Nil	55,188.
Alberta Social Credit Party	Nil	2,755.	2,755.
Independent Candidate	Nil	1,500.	1,500.
Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta	Nil	14,265.	14,265.

Section Three

Red Deer-North By-election

Overview

A report on the Red Deer-North By-election, which was held on September 25, 2000, was published by the Chief Electoral Officer on November 30, 2000.

The campaign period for the By-election, as defined by Section 1(1)(c) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act, was August 28, 2000 to November 28, 2000. Campaign period financial statements from the registered candidates were required to be filed with the Chief Electoral Officer on or prior to January 25, 2001 pursuant to Section 35(1)(b) of the Act. The registered parties of the candidates were required to file audited Political Party Campaign Period Financial Statements on or prior to March 26, 2001, pursuant to Section 35(1)(a) of the Act. All four registered parties filed the financial statement within the time limit.

A summary of the contribution totals for parties and candidates is included at page 23.

Registered Candidates - By-election Campaign Period Financial Statements

All four registered candidates filed the required financial statement within the prescribed time limit. Copies of the candidates' financial statements and other related documents have been included in the Public Files, at the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer.

A summary of the candidates' campaign period receipts and expenditures for the Red Deer-North By-election follows:

Candidate (*elected)	Party Affiliation	Campaign Contributions	Other Revenue	Total Receipts	Campaign Expenses
Patti Argent	AFP	12,443.	Nil	12,443.	12,649.
Norm McDougall	LIB	5,410.	15,602.	21,012.	13,169.
Linda Roth	NDP	Nil	3,617.	3,716.	3,617.
Mary Anne Jablonski*	PC	13,760.	26,264.	40,024.	39,780.

Registered Political Parties – By-election Campaign Period Financial Statements

Four of the eleven registered parties participated in this By-election. The required financial statements from all four parties were filed within the prescribed time limit. Copies of the parties' financial statements and other related documents have been included in the Public Files, at the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer.

A summary of the parties' campaign period receipts and expenditures for the Red Deer-North By-election follows:

Registered Political Party	Campaign Contributions	Other Revenue	Total Campaign Receipts	Funds or Materials Transferred	Campaign Expenses	Total Expenditure
AFP	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
LIB	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
NDP	15,000.	Nil	15,000.	3,617.	Nil	3,617.
PC	11,625.	Nil	11,625.	Nil	5,744.	5,744.

Political Parties, Candidates – By-election Contribution Totals

The total campaign contributions received during the Red Deer-North By-election by registered parties and candidates were:

	Party	Candidate	Total
Alberta First Party	Nil	12,443.	12,443.
Alberta Liberal Party	Nil	5,410.	5,410.
Alberta New Democratic Party	15,000.	Nil	15,000.
Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta	11,625.	13,760.	25,385.

Section Four

The 2001 General Election

Overview

The campaign period for the 2001 General Election commenced with the Writ of Election on February 12, 2001 and terminated May 12, 2001, two months after polling day. Financial statements for the campaign period were required to be filed with the Chief Electoral Officer in accordance with Section 35 of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act. Registered candidates were required to file Campaign Period Financial Statements on or prior to July 12, 2001, while the registered parties were required to file their audited Political Party Campaign Period Financial Statements not later than September 12, 2001.

All registered parties that participated in the 2001 campaign filed the required financial statement within the time limit. Seven Independent candidates, two Alberta First Party candidates, four Alberta Liberal Candidates, two Alberta New Democratic Party candidates and one Alberta Social Credit Party candidate failed to file the required Candidates' Campaign Period Financial Statement by the date required. The names of the candidates and their chief financial officers, along with the Party affiliation, follow:

Electoral Division	Political Affiliation	Registered Candidate	Chief Financial Officer
Calgary-Bow	NDP	Jeff Bayliss	Mary McLean
Calgary-Fort	IND	Metro Peter Demchynski	James Skoglund
Calgary-Lougheed	LIB	Pete Montgomery	Mark Montagano
Edmonton-Castle Downs	LIB	Boris Yaremko	Lorn Stanners
Airdrie-Rocky View	IND	Thomas Wesley Humble	Grant Kitzul
Cardston-Taber-Warner	LIB	Ronald Earl Hancock	Lawrence DeVar Dahl
Dunvegan	IND	Friedrich W. Euler	Garth Hart
Dunvegan	NDP	Yvonne D. Sinkevich	Daniel Bouchard
Grande Prairie-Smoky	IND	Dennis Michael Young	Geoffrey Wilson
Grande Prairie-Wapiti	IND	Robert Weberg	Sharlene Lund
Lacombe-Stettler	IND	Douglas R. Chitwood	Jim Boyd
Little Bow	LIB	Arij Langstraat	Jennifer Taber

Electoral Division	Political Affiliation	Registered Candidate	Chief Financial Officer
Livingstone-Macleod	AFP	Larry James Lybbert	Tiare Dewart
Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills	SC	Nicholas Semmler	Nathan Semmler
Vermilion-Lloydminster	AFP	Grant Ronald West	Doris West
Calgary-Elbow	IND	Monier M. Rahall * *Candidate did not register under Section 8 of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act	

The names of the sixteen registered candidates and their chief financial officers were reported to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly on October 21, 2001 in accordance with Section 36(1) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act. All persons were notified that, pursuant to Section 52.1 of the Election Act, when the Speaker lays the report before the Assembly they will be prohibited from being nominated as a candidate at any future provincial election for eight years. At the date of publication of this report the required financial statements had been received for ten candidates. The prohibition for these individuals will be reduced to five years following the date of filing their statements.

The Speaker tabled the Chief Electoral Officer's report naming the delinquent filers before the Assembly on November 13, 2001. Any candidate or chief financial officer who has filed the financial statement will have a sixty day window of opportunity to apply to the Court of Queen's Bench for relief in accordance with Section 36(2) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act.

Financial Statements

Political Parties - 2001 Campaign Period Financial Statements

All eleven registered political parties filed Audited Campaign Period Financial Statements in accordance with Section 35(1) of the Act. The Alberta Political Party Association, The Natural Law Party, the Reform Party and The Equity Party did not register or nominate candidates, nor did they accept campaign contributions or expend funds.

A summary of the 2001 General Election Campaign Period Financial Statements for each registered party is contained on page 32. The number, category and the amounts contributed during the 2001 campaign are detailed below.

Alberta First Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
9 contributions from individuals	\$ <u>580.</u>	\$ 64.44
Total	\$ <u>580.</u>	

Alberta Greens

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
1 contribution from an individual	\$ <u>1,000.</u>	\$ 1,000.00
Total	\$ <u>1,000.</u>	

Alberta Liberal Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
361 contributions from individuals	\$ 36,145.	\$ 100.12
21 contributions from corporations	3,550.	169.05
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
49 contributions from individuals	42,081.	858.80
87 contributions from corporations	<u>219,115.</u>	2,518.56
Total	\$ <u>300,891</u>	

Alberta New Democratic Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
1,511 contributions from individuals	\$ 161,977.	\$ 107.20
53 contributions from corporations	7,824.	147.62
9 contributions from trade unions	1,350.	150.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
105 contributions from individuals	82,434.	785.09
9 contributions from corporations	10,225.	1,136.11
24 contributions from trade unions	<u>41,400.</u>	1,725.00
Total	\$ <u>305,210.</u>	

Alberta Party Political Association

The party's statement reports no contributions during the campaign period.

Alberta Social Credit Party

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
10 contributions from individuals	\$ 864.	\$ 86.40
2 contributions from corporations	220.	110.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
1 contribution from an individual	<u>550.</u>	550.00
Total	<u>\$ 1,634.</u>	

Communist Party – Alberta

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
9 contributions from individuals	<u>\$ 960.</u>	\$ 106.67
Total	<u>\$ 960.</u>	

Natural Law Party of Alberta

The party's statement reports no contributions during the campaign period.

Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
626 contributions from individuals	\$ 65,730.	\$ 105.00
83 contributions from corporations	13,992.	168.58
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
108 contributions from individuals	175,789.	1,627.68
261 contributions from corporations	<u>793,633.</u>	3,040.74
Total	<u>\$ 1,049,144.</u>	

Reform Party of Alberta

The party's statement reports no contributions during the campaign period.

The Equity Party

The party's statement reports no contributions during the campaign period.

Average Contributions to Parties

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
2,526 contributions from individuals	\$ 266,256.	\$ 105.41
159 contributions from corporations	25,586.	160.92
9 contributions from trade unions	1,350.	150.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
264 contributions from individuals	301,854.	1,143.39
357 contributions from corporations	1,022,973.	2,865.47
24 contributions from trade unions	41,400.	1,725.00

Candidates – 2001 Campaign Period Financial Statements

A summary of the Candidates' Campaign Period Financial Statements is contained on page 33. Three hundred and eighteen candidates contested this election, two hundred and eighty-nine represented seven registered parties and twenty-nine ran as Independent Candidates.

The number and category of contributions and the amounts contributed to candidates during the 2001 Campaign Period are detailed below.

Alberta First Party

Fourteen of the sixteen registered candidates reported receiving contributions:

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
56 contributions from individuals	\$ 4,121.	\$ 73.59
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
27 contributions from individuals	26,214.	970.89
8 contributions from corporations	<u>8,913.</u>	1,114.13
Total	<u>\$ 39,248.</u>	

Alberta Greens

Nine of the ten registered candidates reported receiving contributions:

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
17 contributions from individuals	\$ 2,092.	\$ 123.06
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
3 contributions from individuals	<u>2,806.</u>	935.33
Total	<u>\$ 4,898.</u>	

Alberta Liberal Party

Eighty-two of the eighty-three registered candidates reported receiving contributions:

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
2,834 contributions from individuals	\$ 318,942.	\$ 112.54
373 contributions from corporations	55,471.	148.72
7 contributions from trade unions	1,379.	197.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
364 contributions from individuals	318,638.	875.38
122 contributions from corporations	91,955.	753.73
20 contributions from trade unions	<u>15,900.</u>	795.00
Total	<u>\$ 802,285.</u>	

Alberta New Democratic Party

The Alberta New Democratic Party reports all contributions for its eighty-three registered candidates.

Alberta Social Credit Party

Eight of the twelve registered candidates reported receiving contributions:

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
137 contributions from individuals	\$ 15,224.	\$ 111.12
10 contributions from corporations	1,600.	160.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
38 contributions from individuals	37,174.	978.26
9 contributions from corporations	<u>20,962.</u>	2,329.11
Total	<u>\$ 74,960.</u>	

Communist Party – Alberta

The two candidates' statements reported no contributions during the campaign period.

Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta

All of the eighty-three registered candidates reported receiving contributions:

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
3,939 contributions from individuals	\$ 534,193.	\$ 135.62
1,992 contributions from corporations	311,908.	156.58
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
715 contributions from individuals	501,080.	700.81
1,102 contributions from corporations	<u>809,286.</u>	734.38
Total	<u>\$ 2,156,467.</u>	

Independent Candidates

Twenty-one of the twenty-nine registered candidates reported receiving contributions:

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
50 contributions from individuals	\$ 5,585.	\$ 111.70
9 contributions from corporations	1,218.	135.33
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
31 contributions from individuals	28,014.	903.68
8 contributions from corporations	6,200.	775.00
2 contributions from trade unions	<u>1,500.</u>	750.00
Total	<u>\$ 42,517.</u>	

Average Contributions to Candidates

	Total Contribution	Average Contribution
Amounts to \$375.00:		
7,033 contributions from individuals	\$ 880,157.	\$ 125.15
2,384 contributions from corporations	370,197.	155.28
7 contributions from trade unions	1,379.	197.00
Amounts of \$375.01 and greater:		
1,178 contributions from individuals	913,926.	775.83
1,249 contributions from corporations	937,316.	750.45
22 contributions from trade unions	17,400.	790.91

Political Parties, Candidates – 2001 General Election Contribution Totals

The total campaign contributions received during the 2001 General Election by registered parties and candidates were:

	Party	Candidates	Total
Alberta First Party	\$ 580.	\$ 39,248.	\$ 39,828.
Alberta Greens	1,000.	4,898.	5,898.
Alberta Liberal Party	300,891.	802,285.	1,103,176.
Alberta New Democratic Party	305,210.	Nil	305,210.
Alberta Social Credit Party	1,634.	74,960.	76,594.
Communist Party-Alberta	960.	Nil	960.
Progressive Conservative Association of Alberta	1,049,144.	2,156,467.	3,205,611.
Independent Candidates	<u>Nil</u>	<u>42,517.</u>	<u>42,517.</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,659,419.</u>	<u>\$ 3,120,375.</u>	<u>\$ 4,779,794.</u>

Summary of 2001 General Election Campaign Period Financial Statements Registered Political Parties

Registered Political Parties	Amounts to \$375.00	Amounts of \$375.01 and greater	Other Revenue	Total Campaign Receipts	Funds Transferred	Campaign Expenses	Total Campaign Expenses	Surplus (Deficit)
AFP	580.	Nil	Nil	580.	300.	50.	350.	230.
AG	1,000.	Nil	Nil	1,000.	2,300.	2,136.	4,436.	(3,436.)
LIB	39,695.	261,196.	Nil	300,891.	22,050.	1,228,814.	1,250,864.	(949,973.)
NDP	171,151.	134,059.	Nil	305,210.	215,139.	201,609.	416,749.	(111,539.)
APPA	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
SC	1,084.	550.	2,426.	4,060.	4,100.	2,503.	6,603.	(2,543.)
CP-A	960.	Nil	Nil	960.	1,513.	1,414.	2,727.	(1,767.)
NLP	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
PC	79,722.	969,422.	1,207,627.	2,256,771.	215,469.	2,041,302.	2,256,771.	0
REF	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
TEP	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

Note: The information presented above represents financial data from the 2001 General Election in capsule form. For information on previous General Elections, reference should be made to the Public Files maintained in this Office (see page 42).

Summary of 2001 General Election Campaign Period Financial Statements Registered Candidates

Electoral Division	Candidates (* Elected)	Party	Total Contribution	Other Revenue	Total Campaign Revenue	Total Campaign Expenses
Athabasca-Wabasca	Mike CARDINAL*	PC	41,730	2,546	44,276	41,425
	Ian HOPFE	AG	173	300	473	451
	David KLASSEN	SC	NIL	25	25	362
	Colin PIQUETTE	NDP	NIL	6,854	6,854	7,804
	AI WURFEL	LIB	5,238	5,290	10,528	10,560
Lesser Slave Lake	Doris BANNISTER	NDP	NIL	210	210	225
	Pearl CALAHASEN*	PC	54,987	43,655	98,642	61,642
	Rick NOEL	LIB	6,518	5,063	11,581	11,323
Calgary-Bow	Margaret ASKIN	IND	1,100	NIL	1,100	1,078
	Jeff BAYLISS	NDP	Did not file the required statement.			
	Alana DELONG*	PC	12,615	28,574	41,189	25,266
	Kelly MCDONNELL	LIB	11,219	4,602	15,821	15,831
	Jan TRISKA	AG	608	200	808	808
Calgary-Buffalo	Harvey CENAIKO*	PC	26,828	44,054	70,883	62,836
	Brian EDY	LIB	7,914	11,503	19,417	16,417
	Neil MCKINNON	NDP	NIL	2,468	2,468	2,468
	Dave SCHWARTZ	SC	720	NIL	720	720
Calgary-Cross	Yvonne FRITZ*	PC	14,253	18,241	32,494	16,421
	Keith JONES	LIB	5,781	657	6,438	6,438
	Ramiro MORA	NDP	NIL	882	882	882
Calgary-Currie	Jon LORD*	PC	15,745	20,164	35,909	29,628
	J. Bruce MILLER	IND	3,615	NIL	3,615	3,788
	Garth MUNDLE	NDP	NIL	11,228	11,228	9,786
	Pat MURRAY	LIB	6,205	2,530	8,735	3,978
Calgary-East	Moe AMERY*	PC	15,726	10,411	26,137	22,436
	Giorgio CATTABENI	NDP	NIL	845	845	845
	Jason DEVINE	CP-A	NIL	1,114	1,114	1,113
	Brendan DUNPHY	LIB	16,565	1,000	17,565	20,266
	Alan SCHOONOVER	SC	200	NIL	200	1,610
Calgary-Egmont	Shawn CHRISTIE	NDP	NIL	1,377	1,377	490
	Denis HERARD*	PC	11,534	22,683	34,217	26,001
	Bradley R. LANG	IND	NIL	NIL	NIL	965
	Wayne LENHARDT	LIB	4,783	2,873	7,656	7,453
Calgary-Elbow	Ralph KLEIN*	PC	86,525	13,592	100,117	45,337
	Monier M. RAHALL	IND	Did not file the required statement.			
	Harold SWANSON	LIB	20,928	9,463	30,391	43,571
	Mathew ZACHARIAH	NDP	NIL	2,120	2,120	1,477

Section Four
Appendix E

Electoral Division	Candidates (* Elected)	Party	Total Contribution	Other Revenue	Total Campaign Revenue	Total Campaign Expenses
Calgary-Fish Creek	Marc DOLL	LIB	6,248	4,689	10,936	10,936
	Heather FORSYTH*	PC	16,071	16,471	32,542	27,917
	Ryan TODD	NDP	NIL	340	340	340
Calgary-Foothills	Jon ADAMS	NDP	NIL	2,333	2,333	2,194
	Harry B. CHASE	LIB	7,883	3,712	11,595	9,970
	Pat NELSON*	PC	39,092	3,739	42,830	38,236
Calgary-Fort	Michael ALVERES-TOVE	AG	100	300	400	400
	Wayne CAO*	PC	11,192	24,745	35,937	33,127
	Metro DEMCHYNSKI	IND	NIL	NIL	NIL	4,751
	Vinay DEY	NDP	NIL	4,601	4,601	1,108
	R. Chick HURST	SC	6,949	NIL	6,949	7,074
	Brian HUSKINS	LIB	8,197	3,813	12,109	17,934
	Wyatt MCINTYRE	AFP	625	25	650	650
	Brian SLATER	IND	1,300	NIL	1,300	1,300
Calgary-Glenmore	Michael BROADHURST	LIB	24,316	5,600	29,916	30,806
	James S. KOHUT	AG	2,000	200	2,200	2,056
	Ron STEVENS*	PC	42,735	53,640	96,374	49,453
	Jennifer STEWART	NDP	NIL	1,106	1,106	1,106
Calgary-Lougheed	Marlene GRAHAM*	PC	21,281	60,747	82,027	46,878
	Pete MONTGOMERY	LIB	6,153	1,574	7,727	6,153
	Marc POWER	NDP	NIL	1,368	1,368	1,368
Calgary-McCall	Rory M. CORY	SC	507	NIL	507	507
	Darryl ELVERS	AFP	250	96	346	346
	John PHILLIPS	LIB	2,500	6,415	8,915	8,771
	Shiraz SHARIFF*	PC	41,437	28,799	70,236	67,922
	Preet SIHOTA	NDP	NIL	1,507	1,507	2,007
Calgary-Montrose	Art DANIELSON	LIB	5,361	1,500	6,861	6,859
	Hung PHAM*	PC	33,738	9,359	43,097	42,915
	Robert SCOBEL	NDP	NIL	703	703	703
Calgary-Mountain View	Mark HLADY*	PC	39,207	27,761	66,968	43,297
	Keith PURDY	NDP	NIL	9,376	9,376	6,472
	Jennifer SPENCER	LIB	5,923	1,000	6,923	6,846
Calgary-North Hill	Darryl G. HAWKINS	LIB	7,496	4,164	11,660	11,660
	Darcy KRAUS	AG	725	200	925	608
	Richard MAGNUS*	PC	9,184	18,404	27,588	27,146
	Christine MCGREGOR	NDP	NIL	3,782	3,782	2,139
Calgary-North West	Paul ALLARD	LIB	2,472	1,200	3,672	3,559
	Patricia ALWARD	NDP	NIL	575	575	575
	Greg MELCHIN*	PC	20,250	24,529	44,778	37,001
	Douglas A. PICKEN	SC	546	275	821	821
Calgary-Nose Creek	Gary MAR*	PC	51,975	40,354	92,329	64,740
	Eileen NESBITT	NDP	NIL	200	200	200
	Peter WILLOTT	LIB	3,270	3,498	6,768	8,589

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			Contribution	Revenue	Campaign Revenue	Campaign Expenses
Calgary-Shaw	Cindy ADY*	PC	22,335	28,637	50,972	37,580
	Kevin AGAR	IND	982	NIL	982	982
	Ryan FALKENBERG	NDP	NIL	200	200	200
	Jim MCPHERSON	LIB	3,050	2,183	5,233	5,233
	Darren POPIK	IND	558	167	725	725
	Peter SINGLETON	AFP	16,500	NIL	16,500	18,628
Calgary-Varsity	Tavis DU PREEZ	AG	896	200	1,096	1,096
	Carrol JAQUES	LIB	5,764	13,215	18,979	18,148
	Susan SCOTT	NDP	NIL	14,269	14,269	13,731
	Murray D. SMITH*	PC	56,700	29,537	86,237	51,281
Calgary-West	Greg KLASSEN	NDP	NIL	3,927	3,927	3,668
	Karen KRYCZKA*	PC	15,303	27,120	42,424	35,398
	Lorne B. NEUDORF	LIB	4,782	1,224	6,007	3,795
Edmonton-Beverly-Clareview	Elisabeth BALLERMANN	NDP	NIL	30,143	30,143	34,071
	Tanya GILL	IND	200	NIL	200	200
	Baunita MACKAY	LIB	17,141	8,723	25,864	30,965
	Ken SHIPKA	IND	3,345	80	3,425	3,435
	Julius YANKOWSKY*	PC	22,695	14,991	37,686	35,483
	Teo ZANETIC	AFP	200	NIL	200	200
Edmonton-Calder	Christine BURDETT	NDP	NIL	49,333	49,333	34,372
	Brent RATHGEBER*	PC	8,640	13,785	22,425	19,971
	Lance WHITE	LIB	16,317	4,377	20,694	20,694
Edmonton-Castle Downs	Michael CHARROIS	NDP	NIL	4,049	4,049	4,049
	Thomas A. LUKASZUK*	PC	24,218	39,647	63,864	62,591
	Boris YAREMKO	LIB	9,728	1,100	10,828	10,830
Edmonton-Centre	Laurie BLAKEMAN*	LIB	8,042	20,092	28,134	21,320
	David EGGEN	NDP	NIL	8,043	8,043	12,094
	Naomi RANKIN	CP-A	NIL	1000	1000	805
	Don J. WEIDEMAN	PC	14,800	10,386	25,186	24,478
Edmonton-Ellerslie	Debby CARLSON*	LIB	20,670	9,025	29,695	28,593
	Deborah MORRISON	NDP	NIL	8,646	8,646	9,503
	Sukhi RANDHAWA	PC	13,940	21,258	35,198	35,198
Edmonton-Glengarry	Andrew BENIUK	PC	10,535	19,535	30,070	25,245
	Bill BONNER*	LIB	7,233	7,335	14,568	14,322
	Shane WATT	NDP	NIL	926	926	952
Edmonton-Glenora	Guy DESROSIERS	NDP	NIL	9,813	9,813	9,086
	Drew HUTTON*	PC	32,842	39,856	72,697	66,807
	Howard SAPERS	LIB	13,620	16,912	30,532	30,074
Edmonton-Gold Bar	Peter CROSS	NDP	NIL	4,173	4,173	2,821
	David FLETCHER	PC	6,381	12,275	18,655	16,743
	Hugh MACDONALD*	LIB	10,558	13,094	23,652	20,064
	Margaret MAREAN	AG	30	200	230	222

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Edmonton-Highlands	Robert BILIDA	PC	12,265	16,720	28,985	28,985
	Kim CASSADY	LIB	7,847	4,072	11,919	11,919
	Brian MASON*	NDP	NIL	17,313	17,313	19,616
Edmonton-Manning	Ed GIBBONS	LIB	16,272	9,036	25,308	25,358
	H. RAZGA	NDP	NIL	12,223	12,223	12,815
	Tony VANDERMEER*	PC	12,560	18,318	30,878	30,540
Edmonton-McClung	Lorne DACH	NDP	NIL	4,769	4,769	4,448
	Patrick D. ELLIS	IND	1,507	NIL	1,507	1,507
	Nancy J. MACBETH	LIB	15,285	12,092	27,377	21,493
	Mark P. NORRIS*	PC	47,160	29,780	76,940	76,640
Edmonton-Meadowlark	Mike HUDEMA	NDP	NIL	3,236	3,236	3,002
	Karen LEIBOVICI	LIB	23,644	6,392	30,036	29,633
	Bob MASKELL*	PC	9,180	19,831	29,012	23,786
	Peggy MORTON	IND	711	NIL	711	711
Edmonton-Mill Creek	Bharat AGNIHOTRI	LIB	18,514	14,143	32,657	32,456
	Kyle HARVEY	AFP	600	NIL	600	750
	Harlan LIGHT	AG	NIL	400	400	400
	Edwin VILLANIA	NDP	NIL	5,558	5,558	8,116
	Gene ZWOZDESKY*	PC	42,379	19,313	61,692	47,833
Edmonton-Mill Woods	Carl BENITO	PC	6,987	24,380	31,367	30,792
	Mel H. BUFFALO	NDP	NIL	2,208	2,208	2,099
	Don MASSEY*	LIB	9,110	5,670	14,780	21,691
Edmonton-Norwood	Brian BECHTEL	LIB	7,335	7,447	14,782	15,638
	Gary MASYK*	PC	6,504	10,198	16,701	14,608
	Harvey VOOGD	NDP	NIL	12,908	12,908	14,647
Edmonton-Riverview	Wendy KINSELLA	PC	46,391	21,862	68,253	53,720
	Doug MCLACHLAN	NDP	NIL	19,609	19,609	12,250
	Jerry PASCHEN	AG	30	200	230	237
	Kevin TAFT*	LIB	41,829	106	41,935	39,025
Edmonton-Rutherford	Shane MACDONALD	NDP	NIL	3,738	3,738	3,738
	Ian MCCLELLAND*	PC	27,100	19,886	46,986	35,889
	Rick MILLER	LIB	6,001	9,704	15,706	16,381
Edmonton-Strathcona	Jim JACUTA	LIB	3,500	1,500	5,000	4,860
	James LAKINN	AFP	200	NIL	200	200
	John LOGAN	PC	23,859	26,147	50,606	47,934
	Raj PANNU*	NDP	NIL	47,465	47,465	31,388
Edmonton-Whitemud	Katie Oppen BENSCHOP	NDP	NIL	6,230	6,230	6,230
	David HANCOCK*	PC	103,908	46,970	150,878	62,716
	Bruce KING	LIB	9,752	3,915	13,667	13,667
Airdrie-Rocky View	Carol HALEY*	PC	25,305	24,593	49,898	33,198
	Christopher HILL	NDP	NIL	744	744	744
	Thomas HUMBLE	IND	300	NIL	300	1,014
	Carol L'ABBEE	LIB	2,725	2,142	4,867	5,202

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Banff-Cochrane	Cathy HARROP	NDP	NIL	4,863	4,863	4,407
	Norman KENT	LIB	6,011	1,033	7,044	10,035
	Cory MORGAN	IND	1,500	NIL	1,500	1,500
	Janis TARCHUK*	PC	24,847	51,255	76,091	51,724
Barrhead-Westlock	Suzanne FORBES	NDP	NIL	1,341	1,341	1,716
	Laurie HODGE	LIB	3,425	NIL	3,425	2,980
	Ken KOWALSKI*	PC	10,595	49,944	60,539	50,332
	Jeff WILLERTON	SC	4,220	3,000	7,220	6,873
Bonnyville-Cold Lake	Denis DUCHARME*	PC	28,825	9,948	38,772	30,050
	James SKRETTEBERG	IND	799	NIL	799	784
	Ellen ULFSTEN	NDP	NIL	668	668	668
	Ronald YOUNG	LIB	5,229	2,020	7,249	7,249
Cardston-Taber-Warner	Ron HANCOCK	LIB	6,119	238	6,356	8,119
	Broyce JACOBS*	PC	3,975	25,447	29,422	15,505
	John REIL	AFP	7,725	900	8,625	9,549
	Suzanne SIRIAS	NDP	NIL	707	707	378
Clover Bar-Ft. Saskatchewan	William (Skip) GORDON	LIB	11,567	7,170	18,737	21,646
	Rob LOUGHEED*	PC	9,818	28,523	38,341	32,211
	Merrill STEWART	NDP	NIL	4,280	4,280	3,412
Cypress-Medicine Hat	Cliff ANTEN	NDP	NIL	1,524	1,524	1,501
	Beverley BRITTON-CLARKE	LIB	1,250	8,819	10,069	8,924
	Lorne TAYLOR*	PC	35,588	12,123	47,711	28,871
Drayton Valley-Calmor	Tony ABBOTT*	PC	17,248	21,007	38,255	35,294
	Roger COLES	LIB	18,150	16,756	34,906	34,906
	Mark PATTY	NDP	NIL	2,652	2,652	1,575
	Roger STEFURA	IND	10,966	NIL	10,966	10,966
Drumheller-Chinook	Gerry HAMILTON	NDP	NIL	765	765	515
	Shirley MCCLELLAN*	PC	10,590	12,761	23,351	13,278
	Greg PYRA	LIB	225	NIL	225	315
	Peter SMITS	SC	NIL	220	220	200
	Eileen WALKER	IND	4,487	5	4,492	4,479
Dunvegan	Fred EULER	IND	Did not file the required statement.			
	Hector GOUDREAU*	PC	30,579	16,743	47,322	32,733
	Ron (Earl) MILLER	IND	670	NIL	670	3,692
	Bruce RUTLEY	LIB	10,088	6,995	17,082	17,082
	Yvonne SINKEVICH	NDP	NIL	7,359	7,359	2,871
Fort McMurray	Guy C. BOUTILIER*	PC	86,549	5,977	95,525	53,203
	Lyn GORMAN	NDP	NIL	18,035	18,035	23,568
	John S. VYBOH	LIB	7,470	917	8,387	8,783

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Grande Prairie-Smoky	Mel KNIGHT*	PC	25,440	25,150	50,590	31,733
	Leon PENDLETON	NDP	NIL	4,128	4,128	4,077
	Barry ROBINSON	LIB	5,866	6,336	12,203	11,621
	Dennis YOUNG	IND	Did not file the required statement.			
Grande Prairie-Wapiti	Elroy DEIMERT	NDP	NIL	6,835	6,835	6,615
	Terry DUECK	IND	100	NIL	100	382
	Gordon J. GRAYDON*	PC	31,625	25,891	55,516	35,401
	Ivo NOGA	SC	5,753	1,761	7,514	7,502
	Ray STITSEN	LIB	400	5,143	5,543	5,543
	Robert T. WEBERG	IND	Did not file the required statement.			
Highwood	Leonard BOROWSKI	LIB	5,922	NIL	5,922	6,696
	Gunhild HOOGENSEN	NDP	NIL	1,120	1,120	1,113
	Don TANNAS*	PC	14,760	6,716	21,476	19,800
	Julie WALKER	AG	356	300	656	656
Innisfail-Sylvan Lake	Eileen CLANCY-TEULENKO	NDP	NIL	547	547	547
	Garth DAVIS	LIB	2,260	2,500	4,760	7,034
	Luke OUELLETTE*	PC	21,839	25,139	46,978	23,027
Lac La Biche-St. Paul	Ray DANYLUK*	PC	28,560	22,036	50,595	40,407
	Vital OUELLETTE	LIB	24,334	2,905	27,239	27,239
	John WILLIAMS	NDP	NIL	200	200	200
Lacombe-Stettler	Douglas R. CHITWOOD	IND	NIL	235	235	235
	Lorenzo FIORITO	NDP	NIL	400	400	400
	Judy GORDON*	PC	8,630	20,995	29,625	24,858
	Doug MCDAVID	LIB	11,670	4,314	15,984	14,244
Leduc	Joyce ASSEN	LIB	13,655	2,150	15,805	17,567
	Albert KLAPSTEIN*	PC	24,075	14,010	38,086	35,096
	Leilani O'MALLEY	NDP	NIL	2,948	2,948	2,948
Lethbridge-East	Ron CARROLL	PC	6,817	9,529	16,346	16,346
	Gaye METZ	NDP	NIL	4,204	4,204	3,140
	Ken NICOL*	LIB	14,556	7,449	22,004	15,360
	Mark OGDEN	AFP	1,082	NIL	1,082	1,082
Lethbridge-West	Clint DUNFORD*	PC	33,809	8,027	41,836	37,589
	Mark SANDILANDS	NDP	NIL	6,516	6,516	5,295
	Brian STEWART	AFP	1,544	150	1,694	1,682
	Leslie VAALA	LIB	12,946	7,810	20,755	19,673
Little Bow	Andrea ENES	NDP	NIL	278	278	278
	Jon KOCH	IND	1,550	NIL	1,550	1,458
	Arij LANGSTRAAT	LIB	4,164	569	4,732	4,333
	Barry MCFARLAND*	PC	8,095	17,770	25,865	17,038
Livingstone-Macleod	David COUTTS*	PC	21,618	28,895	50,513	27,813
	Larry LYBBERT	AFP	1,100	NIL	1,100	990
	Ernie PATTERSON	LIB	8,000	4,800	12,800	12,797
	James TWEEDIE	NDP	NIL	3,042	3,042	3,513

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Medicine Hat	Karen CHARLTON	LIB	12,922	9,800	22,722	19,619
	Luke LACASSE	NDP	NIL	7,227	7,227	6,423
	Rob RENNER*	PC	26,796	9,378	36,175	28,869
Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills	Brenda L. DYCK	NDP	NIL	763	763	768
	Richard MARZ*	PC	5,960	19,403	25,363	17,699
	Gayleen ROELFSEMA	LIB	3,706	4,398	8,104	7,531
	Nicholas SEMMLER	SC	Did not file the required statement.			
Peace River	Susan CALLIHOOD	LIB	8,100	1,405	9,505	9,477
	Steve CROCKER	NDP	NIL	446	446	446
	Gary FRIEDEL*	PC	37,734	32,530	70,265	37,767
	John IFTODY	AFP	1,500	NIL	1,500	1,501
Ponoka-Rimbey	Tim FALKINER	LIB	4,470	NIL	4,470	4,236
	Halvar C. JONSON*	PC	20,086	12,458	32,544	22,403
	Charles PARK	IND	4,455	NIL	4,455	4,422
	Linda ROTH	NDP	NIL	1,961	1,961	1,961
Red Deer-North	Patti ARGENT	AFP	211	NIL	211	211
	Jim GUTHRIE	NDP	NIL	421	421	421
	Mary Anne JABLONSKI*	PC	17,979	12,146	30,124	29,684
	Norm MCDOUGALL	LIB	5,300	15,209	20,434	17,895
Red Deer-South	Bob ARGENT	AFP	329	NIL	329	329
	Erika BULLWINKLE	NDP	NIL	257	257	257
	Victor DOERKSEN*	PC	27,491	19,136	46,627	30,170
	Ryan LAMARCHE	IND	74	NIL	74	200
	Garfield MARKS	LIB	10,330	2,174	12,503	11,239
Redwater	Dave BRODA*	PC	21,286	13,311	34,597	28,117
	Tony OLLENBERGER	AFP	538	2,568	3,106	3,106
	Andrew RACZYNSKI	LIB	29,112	5,147	38,959	38,653
	Mike RADOJCIC	NDP	NIL	2,042	2,042	2,042
Rocky Mountain House	Lavern J. AHLSTROM	SC	13,025	830	13,855	12,549
	W.J.(Wijnand) HOREMANS	LIB	2,734	70	2,804	2,804
	Ty LUND*	PC	21,805	19,635	41,440	18,352
	Doug MAC ANGUS	NDP	NIL	140	140	340
St. Albert	Len BRACKO	LIB	9,078	10,350	19,428	19,428
	Michelle MUNGALL	NDP	NIL	2,513	2,513	2,454
	Mary O'NEILL*	PC	35,663	56,233	91,896	65,601
Sherwood Park	Iris EVANS*	PC	53,109	29,925	83,034	62,295
	Chris HARWOOD	NDP	NIL	4,748	4,748	2,841
	Louise ROGERS	LIB	32,201	8,595	40,796	46,348
Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert	Dale APOSTAL	NDP	NIL	1,159	1,159	1,185
	Doug HORNER*	PC	27,430	8,242	38,672	28,620
	Colleen SOETAERT	LIB	22,612	25,591	48,203	42,779

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Stony Plain	Monika CAPPIS	LIB	8,197	4,866	13,063	13,063
	Stephen LINDOP	NDP	NIL	4,401	4,401	4,389
	Stan WOLOSHYN*	PC	37,142	30,573	67,715	46,126
Strathmore-Brooks	Don MACFARLANE	NDP	NIL	776	776	1,099
	Rudy MARTENS	SC	1,442	NIL	1,442	1,444
	Barry MORISHITA	LIB	9,016	519	9,535	9,802
	Lyle OBERG*	PC	8,528	19,558	28,086	19,920
	Christopher SUTHERLAND	IND	1,750	100	1,850	1,408
Vegreville-Viking	Ross DEMKIW	LIB	21,462	4,280	25,742	25,942
	Greg KURULOK	NDP	NIL	6,102	6,102	4,908
	Ed STELMACH*	PC	34,056	22,398	56,453	52,112
Vermilion-Lloydminster	Lloyd SNELGROVE*	PC	39,156	26,617	65,773	33,273
	Raymond STONE	NDP	NIL	13,719	13,719	13,719
	David TSCHORN	LIB	NIL	3,041	3,041	3,159
	Grant WEST	AFP	NIL	910	910	910
Wainwright	Jerry D. BARBER	AFP	7,495	1,815	9,310	9,360
	Robert (Butch) FISCHER*	PC	3,440	31,008	34,448	20,668
	Lilas I. LYSNE	NDP	NIL	297	297	791
	Jeff NEWLAND	IND	2,818	NIL	2,818	3,718
	Ronald WILLIAMS	LIB	2,375	985	3,360	3,360
West Yellowhead	Lyle BENSON	LIB	16,662	1,220	17,882	18,018
	Noel LAPIERRE	NDP	NIL	7,014	7,014	6,146
	Ivan J. STRANG*	PC	28,103	13,698	41,801	40,715
Wetaskiwin-Camrose	LeRoy JOHNSON*	PC	16,170	20,187	36,357	31,742
	Stewart LARKIN	LIB	355	2,923	3,278	3,278
	Ben LUSSIER	IND	200	NIL	200	200
	Philip PENROD	NDP	NIL	2,562	2,562	3,562
Whitecourt-Ste. Anne	Derril BUTLER	LIB	8,899	6,361	15,260	15,755
	Wade FRANKO	NDP	NIL	837	837	837
	George VANDERBURG*	PC	31,275	14,875	46,150	36,404

Note:

1. Other Revenue includes transfer(s) received from other registered political organizations, fund-raising functions, other miscellaneous income, and the value of election materials received from either the registered party or constituency association(s).
2. Total Campaign Expenses does not include transfer(s) paid to other registered political organizations.
3. There were two individuals who filed the Application for Registration of Candidates pursuant to Section 8 of the Act whom did not file nomination papers. The applications for these two individuals were received, reviewed and approved by this Office prior to February 26, 2001, Nomination Day (see Sections 53, 54 and 55 of the Election Act). Because nomination papers were not filed their names did not appear on the ballot. Both of these candidates were required to file a Campaign Period Financial Statement in accordance with Section 35(3) of the Act. Both of these candidates filed the required financial statement on or before the due date, and the information that follows is a summary of their financial transactions.

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Edmonton-Manning	Abram (Abe) FEHR	IND	2	NIL	2	20
Edmonton-Manning	Gerald H. GAGNON	AFP	20	NIL	20	20

Section Five General Information

Income Tax Credit Allowance - 1999

The Office of Budget and Management, Tax Policy of Alberta Treasury provided information obtained from Canada Customs and Revenue Agency concerning the 1999 income tax credits for political contributions allowed to individual and corporate taxpayers who paid Alberta income tax.

Although the following information is one year after the fact, it may be of general interest:

1999 contributions, by individuals, to parties	\$ 1,566,174
1999 contributions, by corporations, to parties	\$ 1,619,298
1999 contributions, by trade unions, to parties	\$ 1,745
1999 contributions, by individuals, to constituency associations	\$ 301,473
1999 contributions, by corporations, to constituency associations	\$ 184,547
1999 contributions, by trade unions, to constituency associations	Nil

The above contributions were made during the 1999 calendar year.

1999 income tax credit allowed to individuals	\$ 887,764
1999 income tax credit allowed to corporations	\$ 177,244

These factors should be considered when reviewing this information:

- a. taxpayers do not receive income tax credits unless they submit an Official Receipt for the contribution;
- b. if there is no Alberta income tax payable, no income tax credit is allowed; and
- c. the amount of income tax credit allowed is based on a declining percentage calculation of the total contribution; the maximum tax credit of \$750.00 is reached with a contribution of \$1,725.00.

Note: In consideration of the foregoing factors, a direct percentage comparison of the income tax credit allowed to the total amount contributed may not necessarily be valid.

Funds Held in Trust by the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer

At the date of this Report, the Chief Electoral Officer is not holding any funds in trust for any party, constituency association or candidate whose registration has been cancelled or for any other reason.

Public Files

The Public Files contain information concerning political financing of registered political organizations in Alberta. The Public Files now contain data for twenty-three consecutive calendar years including the seven General Elections held since 1979, the fifteen By-elections held since January 1, 1978 and the Senate Nominee Elections held in 1989 and 1998. Interest in examining these records usually peaks when the candidates, constituency associations and parties file the required campaign period or annual financial statements.

All financial statements are contained in the Public Files maintained by this Office and are available for examination from 8:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday. Photocopies of data maintained in the Public Files are available at a rate prescribed under authority of Section 10(2) of the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act. Copies of all reports published by the Chief Electoral Officer are available to the public at no cost.