November 3, 2014

Notice of Compliance Agreement

Nova Scotia Elections Act

On October 29, 2014, and pursuant to section 294 of the Act, the Chief Electoral Officer entered into a Compliance Agreement with Nick Douglas of North Sydney, Nova Scotia.

On September 9 and September 30, 2013 Mr. Douglas, as official agent to Northside Westmount NDP Association, made contributions to the campaign of electoral candidate Cecil Snow. As the Northside-Westmount NDP Association had failed to register with Elections Nova Scotia as an electoral district association, it was ineligible to make a transfer to the campaign of the candidate, and Mr. Douglas had no authority to make contributions to Mr. Snow's campaign.

Mr. Douglas is aware that as a result of his actions, he has breached provisions of the Elections Act.

Before entering into this Compliance Agreement, the Chief Electoral Officer has taken into consideration that Mr. Douglas has taken responsibility for the acts that have led to this Compliance Agreement.