

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 for electoral candidate Cecil Snow's campaign, received contributions from the Northside-Westmount NDP Association. As the Northside-Westmount NDP Association had failed to register with Elections Nova Scotia as an electoral district association, Mr. Douglas had no authority to accept contributions from the non-registered electoral district association of Northside-Westmount NDP Association.

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.