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To the Members of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta:

As required by Standing Order 109, I am pleased to submit the 13th annual report of the Legislative Assembly Office for the calendar year ending December 31, 2001, and the financial statements for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2001. This report describes the activities of the Legislative Assembly Office focusing on four key areas of responsibility in which support is provided to Members. Also presented are the audited financial statements for the 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 fiscal years and the fifth annual report of the Alberta Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association.

As host of the 40th Canadian Regional Conference of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association in July 2001, the Legislative Assembly Office staff provided the same expertise, flexibility and professionalism they contribute to the Assembly year-round. As Speaker I am proud to lead this group of dedicated professionals.

I would like to thank those Members who so ably represented Alberta or presented papers at various interparliamentary conferences, and I thank all MLAs for supporting the work of the Legislative Assembly Office and the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association.

Respectfully submitted,

Hon. Ken Kowalski, MLA

Speaker of the Legislative Assembly



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Alberta

April 7, 2003

To The Honourable Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta:

I am honoured to present to you the 13th annual report of the Legislative Assembly Office and the fifth annual report of the Alberta Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association. The Legislative Assembly Office report includes the audited financial statements regarding the operation of the Legislative Assembly Office for the 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 fiscal years. The Alberta Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association report outlines the various developmental opportunities afforded Members who attended interparliamentary conferences.

This Legislative Assembly Office report is a departure from previous reports. For this reporting period, managers were asked to report according to four key areas of responsibility in which their department provides support for Members. The result is a more succinct report focusing on results.

As in previous years, the report includes highlights of events and conferences undertaken to further educate the public about the institution of parliament on behalf of Members, as well as support an exchange of information and ideas among parliamentarians.

I am privileged to work with Legislative Assembly Office staff, who bring a high level of commitment, flexibility and professionalism to the work they do.

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. David McNeil

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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The Chamber during the first session of the 25th Legislative Assembly.