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ECONOMIC STUDY OF YUKON TABLED

OTTAWA DEC-24/68 INDIAN AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT
MINISTER JEAN CHRETIEN TODAY TABLED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THE
MAIN REPORT VOLUME 1 OF THE STUDY ENTITLED " THE YUKON ECONOMY
ITS POTENTIAL FOR GROWTH AND CONTINUITY "

THE STUDY WAS CARRIED OUT BY D WILLIAM CARR AND ASSOCIATES AN
ECONOMIC CONSULTING FIRM IN OTTAWA THE FIRM WAS COMMISSIONED BY
THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND THE YUKON TERRITORY
IN OCTOBER 1967 TO CARRY ~~OUT~~ OUT A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF THE
TERRITORY'S ECONOMY COPIES OF THE 351 PAGE REPORT WILL BE
AVAILABLE FROM THE OUTLETS OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER THROUGHOUT
CANADA

THE ECONOMIC REPORT WAS SUBMITTED IN EIGHT VOLUMES,
VOL TWO TO EIGHT CONSTITUTING BACKGROUND DATA WHICH WILL
BE PLACED IN SELECTED LIBRARIES IN OTTAWA AND IN WHITEHORSE.
THIS BACKGROUND MATERIAL INCLUDED A SIMULATION MODEL OF THE
YUKON'S ECONOMY AND AN ANALYSIS OF STATISTICS AND THE
STATISTICAL NEEDS OF THE TERRITORY

PROGRAMS THE CARR ECONOMISTS RECOMMENDED TO ASSIST DEVELOPMENT
IN THE YUKON INCLUDE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DEVELOPMENT AGENCY,
A CANADIAN TIDEWATER PORT, A POWER GRID SYSTEM, THE EXTENSION OF A
RAILWAY TO CONNECT WITH THE MAIN SYSTEMS IN THE SOUTH, AND FURTHER
DEVELOPMENT OF ROADS AND AIRFIELDS

WHILE THE REPORT WAS COMMISSIONED BY AND PREPARED FOR THE
FEDERAL AND TERRITORIAL GOVT ITS RECOMMENDATIONS AND CONCLUSIONS
ARE NOT NECESSARILY THOSE OF EITHER GOVT

D WILLIAM CARR AND ASSOCIATES SUBMITTED AN INTERIM REPORT
ON SEPT 30/68

ATTENTION EDITORS : A SUMMARY OF THE REPORT AND ITS
RECOMMENDATIONS IS ATTACHED

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② 4/Jan/69
Mr. Remond
Tabled Recommendation for council.
① 24-12-68
Mr. Hodgson
to see
④ Also Mr. Hartney
Mr. Ballantyne
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