

**Annex 502.3**

**Procurement - Provisions for Entities of a Commercial or Industrial Nature  
or Those Which Have Been Granted Exclusive Rights by a Party**

**Appendix "A": Government Entities of a Commercial or Industrial Nature**

This Schedule includes entities of a commercial or industrial nature or those which have been granted exclusive rights by a Party.

**NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR**

NIL

**NOVA SCOTIA**

Art Gallery of Nova Scotia  
Halifax-Dartmouth Bridge Commission  
Highway 104 Western Alignment Corporation  
InNOVAcorp  
Nova Scotia Crop & Livestock Insurance Commission  
Nova Scotia Farm Loan Board  
Nova Scotia Film Development Corporation  
Nova Scotia Fisheries and Aquaculture Loan Board  
Nova Scotia Gaming Corporation  
Nova Scotia Harness Racing Inc.  
Nova Scotia Liquor Corporation  
Sydney Tar Ponds Agency  
Trade Centre Limited  
Waterfront Development Corporation

**PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND**

PEI Liquor Control Commission  
Golf Links Prince Edward Island Inc.

**NEW BRUNSWICK**

New Brunswick Liquor Corporation  
New Brunswick Provincial Capital Commission

## QUÉBEC

Centre de recherche industrielle du Québec  
Régie des installations olympiques  
Société des alcools du Québec  
Société des loteries du Québec  
Société du Centre des congrès de Québec  
Société du Palais des congrès de Montréal  
Société du parc industriel et portuaire de Bécancour  
Société Innovatech du sud du Québec  
Société Innovatech Québec et Chaudière-Appalaches  
Société québécoise de récupération et de recyclage (Recyc-Québec)  
Société québécoise d'information juridique

## ONTARIO

Under the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade:  
Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation  
Liquor Control Board of Ontario

Under the Ministry of Labour:  
Workplace Safety and Insurance Board

## MANITOBA

Liquor Control Commission  
Manitoba Lotteries Corporation

## SASKATCHEWAN

The listing for these entities includes subsidiary entities or other entities owned or controlled by these entities (including their employees' pension plans).

### **Treasury Board Crowns**

Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority

### **Government Enterprises (CIC Crowns)**

Crown Investments Corporation (CIC)  
Saskatchewan Water Corporation

### **Other Boards, Agencies and Commissions**

SPC Superannuation Board

**ALBERTA**

NIL

**BRITISH COLUMBIA**

BC Assessment Authority  
BC Housing Management Commission  
BC Hydro and Power Authority  
BC Immigrant Investment Fund  
BC Investment Management Corporation  
BC Lottery Corporation  
BC Oil and Gas Commission  
BC Pavilion Corporation  
BC Pension Corporation  
BC Rail  
BC Transit  
BC Transmission Corporation  
BC Transportation Financing Authority  
Columbia Basin Trust  
Columbia Power Corporation  
Forest Innovation Investment Ltd  
Insurance Corporation of BC  
Knowledge Network  
Liquor Distribution Branch  
Nechako-Kitamaat Development Fund Authority  
Pacific Carbon Trust  
Partnerships BC  
Provincial Capital Commission  
Provincial Rental Housing Corporation  
Rapid Transit Project 2000 Ltd.  
Royal British Columbia Museum  
Transportation Investment Corporation

**NORTHWEST TERRITORIES**

NIL

**YUKON**

Lotteries Yukon  
Yukon Workers' Compensation, Health and Safety Board  
Yukon Arts Centre Corporation  
Yukon Housing Corporation  
Yukon Human Rights Commission  
Yukon Liquor Corporation

**CANADA**

Atlantic Pilotage Authority <sup>1</sup>  
 Atomic Energy of Canada Limited  
 Business Development Bank of Canada  
 Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation  
 Canada Post Corporation <sup>2</sup>  
 Canadian Broadcasting Corporation <sup>3</sup>  
 Canadian Commercial Corporation  
 Canadian Dairy Commission  
 Canadian Tourism Commission  
 Export Development Canada  
 Farm Credit Canada  
 Federal Bridge Corporation Ltd.  
 Great Lakes Pilotage Authority <sup>1</sup>  
 International Development Research Centre  
 Laurentian Pilotage Authority <sup>1</sup>  
 Marine Atlantic Inc.  
 National Arts Centre Corporation  
 Pacific Pilotage Authority <sup>1</sup>  
 Royal Canadian Mint <sup>2,4</sup>  
 Standards Council of Canada  
 VIA Rail Canada Inc.  
 Fraser River Port Authority  
 Halifax Port Authority  
 Montreal Port Authority  
 Nanaimo Port Authority  
 North Fraser Port Authority  
 Port Alberni Port Authority  
 Prince Rupert Port Authority  
 Quebec Port Authority  
 Saguenay Port Authority  
 Saint John Port Authority  
 Sept-Îles Port Authority  
 St. John's Port Authority  
 Thunder Bay Port Authority  
 Toronto Port Authority  
 Trois-Rivières Port Authority  
 Vancouver Port Authority  
 Windsor Port Authority

- <sup>1</sup> The following procurements shall be excluded from the provisions of this Annex: contracts entered into by any of the federal Pilotage Authorities for the procurement of pilot services and pilot boat operations and services to ensure compliance with safety. **4**
- <sup>2</sup> This Annex does not apply to the procurement of services by Canada Post Corporation and the Royal Canadian Mint. However, the federal government shall strongly encourage both entities to adopt procurement practices that are consistent with the provisions of this Annex for services covered under Canada's international trade agreements.
- <sup>3</sup> The following procurements shall be excluded from the provisions of this Annex: procurement by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation of the following services: communications services, polls, surveys, audience measurements, and analysis.
- <sup>4</sup> The following procurements shall be excluded from the provisions of this Annex: contracts of the Royal Canadian Mint for goods and services for use in producing anything other than Canadian circulation coins.

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**D. Buying Groups**

1. Entities subject to this Annex who participate in group purchasing activities through Buying Groups shall ensure that the activities of such buying groups are carried out in a manner consistent with this Annex.
2. Buying Group means an organization, involving two or more entities, created to achieve efficiencies and economies of scale by combining the purchasing requirements and activities of the members of the group into one joint procurement process. Buying Groups include cooperative arrangements in which individual members administer the procurement function for specific contracts for the group, and more formal corporate arrangements in which the organization administers procurement for group members. Buying groups may involve a variety of entities, including public sector, private sector and not-for-profit organizations.
3. The Parties agree not to direct the procurement activities of Buying Groups so as to discriminate against out-of-province suppliers for procurement covered by this Annex.