



AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Legislative Assembly of Yukon

I have audited the consolidated statement of financial position of the Government of Yukon as at March 31, 2008 and the consolidated statements of operations and accumulated surplus, change in net financial resources and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Government. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the Government, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In my opinion, these consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Government as at March 31, 2008 and the results of its operations, the change in its net financial resources, and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

During the year ended March 31, 2008, as described in note 8, the Government invested a total of \$223 million in non-bank asset-backed commercial paper. These investments did not comply with the investment policies included in subsection 39(1) of the *Financial Administration Act*.

Further, in my opinion, except as described in the above paragraph, the transactions of the Government and of those organizations listed in note 2(a) to the consolidated financial statements that have come to my notice during my audit of the consolidated financial statements have, in all significant respects, been in accordance with the Government's powers under the *Yukon Act* and the *Financial Administration Act* and regulations and the legislative authorities and by-laws governing the organizations listed in note 2(a).

Sheila Fraser, FCA
Auditor General of Canada

Vancouver, Canada
September 10, 2008, except as to note 8 which is as of September 25, 2008