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The Standing Committee on Statutory Instruments has the honour to present its

FIRST REPORT

On March 9, 1977, the Yukon Legislative Assembly ordered
"THAT a Standing Committee on Statutory
Instruments be established to review all
regulations as they are published.

THAT Messrs. Fleming, McCall and Berger be appointed to the said Committee.

THAT the Committee have the power to report from time to time; to call for persons, papers and records; to print such papers and documents as may be ordered by the Committee; to arrange for verbatim transcripts; and to sit during the intersessional periods.

THAT the Clerk of Assembly be responsible for providing the necessary support staff to the said Committee."

On March 17, 1977, the Yukon Legislative Assembly ordered

"THAT a draft paper entitled "Recreation

Grants Regulations" be referred to the

Standing Committee on Statutory

Instruments for review and report back

to this House on or before March 22,

1977."

Your Committee is to ensure that statutory instruments are authorized by the Ordinance pursuant to which they are made and that such instruments do not constitute an unusual or unexpected use of the authority. Bill #12, Recreation Development Ordinance, is currently before this House for consideration. Your Committee, not having a statute base from which to work, finds itself unable to determine whether the Recreation Grants Regulations are either "ultra vires" or "intra vires" of its parent legislation.

Your Committee, therefore, recommends that upon Royal Assent being given to the Recreation Development Ordinance any regulations made pursuant to the said Ordinance be examined by your Standing Committee on Statutory Instruments.

Respectively submitted,

Bob Fleming Chairman