

Yukon Legislative Assembly

Standing Committee on Public Accounts 33rd Yukon Legislative Assembly

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PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE HEARING TO BE HELD

Whitehorse – The Standing Committee on Public Accounts of the 33rd Yukon Legislative Assembly will hold a public hearing on Tuesday June 9, 2015. The subject of the hearing will be a report of the Office of the Auditor General of Canada entitled, *Report of the Auditor General to the Yukon Legislative Assembly – 2015: Corrections in Yukon—Department of Justice*. This report was released on March 5, 2015 and can be accessed at http://www.legassembly.gov.yk.ca/pdf/2015_corrections_report_en.pdf

The public hearing will be held in the Yukon Legislative Assembly Chamber and will commence at 10:00 a.m. At that time the Committee members will question witnesses from the Department of Justice. The first part of the hearing will conclude at noon. The hearing will continue from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The public hearing will be broadcast live on 93.5 FM. The audio will also be streamed live (and archived) on the Legislative Assembly's website at: <u>http://www.legassembly.gov.yk.ca/coverage.html</u>

Once they are ready, transcripts of the public hearing will be available on the Public Accounts Committee's webpage at: http://www.legassembly.gov.yk.ca/comm_publicaccounts.html

For further information, the document *Procedures and Practices of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts* is attached.

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