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COMMISSION
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Presented pursuant to the Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act (13 Elizabeth II, chapter 31). Présenté conformément à la Loi sur la revision des limites des circonscriptions électorales (13 Élisabeth II, chapitre 31).

- 1. The Electoral Boundaries Commission for New Brunswick, established under the *Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act*, 1964, presents this report in pursuance of sections 12, 13 and 18 of that Act (hereinafter referred to as the "said Act").
- 2. The members of the Commission, appointed in accordance with sections 5, 6 and 7 of the said Act, are:

Chairman	Mr. Justice W. A. I. Anglin Saint John, N. B.
Deputy Chairman	A. J. Boudreau Moncton, N. B.
Commissioner	E. M. Lyons Fredericton, N. B.
Commissioner	N. Castonguay Ottawa, Ont.

At its first meeting on January 25, 1965, the Commission appointed W. S. Turnbull, Rothesay, N. B., as its Secretary.

3. The copy of the return by the Dominion Statistician sent to the Commission by the Representation Commissioner, pursuant to section 11 of the said Act, showed for New Brunswick:

Ten Present Electoral Districts	Population 1961 Census
Charlotte	. 23,285
Gloucester	. 66,343
Kent	. 26,667
Northumberland-Miramichi	. 50,035
Restigouche-Madawaska	. 79,956
Royal	. 37,548
Saint John-Albert	. 101,736
Victoria-Carleton	. 43,219
Westmorland	. 93,679
York-Sunbury	. 75,468
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- 4. The statement published in the Canada Gazette by the Representation Commissioner, pursuant to section 12 of the said Act, showed that he had calculated that ten members of the House of Commons be assigned to New Brunswick. The Commission then took the electoral quota to be 59,794 for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of section 13 of the said Act.
- 5. In compliance with section 8 of the Representation Commissioner Act, 1963, the Representation Commissioner supplied the Commission with eight maps setting out alternative proposals respecting the readjustment of the boundaries of electoral districts in the province. These proposals were extremely valuable in the work of the Commission, but no one proposal was entirely acceptable.
- 6. There were then made and considered other maps which complied in various ways with the provisions of section 13 of the said Act. On April 2, 1965, the Commission adopted as its proposal for the purposes of advertisement, pursuant to section 17 of the said Act, the map and schedule of boundaries published in the *Canada Gazette* of May 8, 1965, and in all daily and weekly newspapers in the province. There was published therewith in English and French notice of sittings of the Commission at Fredericton, Bathurst, Edmundston, Moncton and Saint John to hear representations made in accordance with section 17 (4) of the said Act.
- 7. Three representations were heard by the Commission at its public sittings. These representations were acceded to by the Commission and they may be summarized as follows:
  - (i) That the Parishes of Wicklow and Kent in the County of Carleton be transferred from the proposed electoral district of Madawaska —Victoria to the proposed electoral district of Charlotte— Carleton.
  - (ii) That the proposed electoral district of Charlotte—Carleton be renamed Carleton—Charlotte.
  - (iii) That the Parish of Westfield in the County of Kings be transferred from the proposed electoral district of Carleton—Charlotte to the district of Fundy—Royal.
  - (iv) That the Parish of Petersville in the County of Queens and the Parishes of Blissville and Gladstone in the County of Sunbury be transferred from the district of Carleton—Charlotte to the district of York—Sunbury.

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There was no representation with respect to the Parish of New Maryland in the County of York, but as no persons live southwest of Rooth Station in that parish, and as a result of (iv), the Commission has revised its initial proposal in order to include the entire parish in the district of York—Sunbury.

8. In the result, the following are the names and populations of the electoral districts into which it is now proposed that the province be divided:

Proposed District	Population	Departure from Quota
Carleton—Charlotte	. 56,554	Minus 3,240 or 5.4%
Fundy—Royal	. 58,160	Minus 1,634 or 2.7%
Gloucester	. 57,076	Minus 2,718 or 4.5%
Madawaska—Victoria	. 58,695	Minus 1,099 or 1.8%
Moneton	. 69,806	Plus 10,012 or 16.7%
Northumberland—Miramichi	. 53,055	Minus 6,739 or 11.3%
Restigouche	. 50,240	Minus 9,554 or 16.0%
Saint John—Lancaster		Plus 13,673 or 22.9%
Westmorland—Kent	. 54,363	Minus 5,431 or 9.1%
York—Sunbury	. 66,520	Plus 6,726 or 11.2%

- 9. A minority report by the Chairman is hereto attached as Appendix D certified by the Secretary.
- 10. In compliance with section 12 of the said Act, the Commission respectfully presents this report and recommends that the ten electoral districts in New Brunswick, each of which would be represented by one member in the House of Commons, be respectively named and bounded as described in the schedule hereto attached as Appendix A. In the accompanying pocket are the maps (Appendices B and C) showing such districts.

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SIGNED this 5th day of January, 1966, by the members of the Electoral Boundaries Commission for New Brunswick.

W. A. I. ANGLIN

Chairman

A. J. BOUDREAU

Deputy Chairman

E. M. LYONS

Commissioner

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W. S. TURNBULL Secretary

In the following descriptions reference to roads signifies the centre line of said roads unless otherwise described.

- 1. CARLETON—CHARLOTTE consisting of:
- (a) the county of Carleton;
- (b) the county of Charlotte;
- (c) that part of the county of Saint John included in the parishes of Musquash and Lancaster (except the city of Lancaster);
- (d) that part of the county of York included in the parishes of Canterbury, McAdam, Manners Sutton and North Lake.
- 2. FUNDY-ROYAL consisting of:
- (a) that part of the county of Albert included in the parishes of Alma, Elgin, Harvey, Hillsborough and Hopewell;
- (b) that part of the county of Saint John included in the parishes of St. Martins and Simonds (except that part of the unincorporated area of East Saint John bounded as follows: commencing at the intersection of Loch Lomond Road and Bayside Drive; thence northerly along Russell Street and Rothesay Avenue to the southwesterly limit of Fernhill Cemetery; thence southeasterly along said limit to Old Westmorland Road; thence northeasterly along Old Westmorland Road to the road on the southwesterly limit of St. Joseph's Cemetery; thence southeasterly along said road to Loch Lomond Road; thence southwesterly along Loch Lomond Road to the northwesterly production of Virginia Street: thence southeasterly along said production, Virginia Street and Tenth Street to River Avenue; thence southwesterly along River Avenue to Bayside Drive; thence northwesterly along Bayside Drive to the point of commencement);
- (c) the county of Kings;
- (d) that part of the county of Queens included in the parishes of Brunswick, Cambridge, Canning, Chipman, Gagetown, Hampstead, Johnston, Waterborough and Wickham;

- (e) that part of the county of Sunbury included in the parish of Northfield.
- 3. GLOUCESTER consisting of that part of the county of Gloucester included in the parishes of Allardville, Bathurst, Caraquet, Inkerman, New Bandon, Paquetville, St. Isidore, Saumarez and Shippegan, and the towns of Bathurst, Caraquet and Shippegan.
  - 4. MADAWASKA-VICTORIA consisting of:
  - (a) the county of Madawaska;
  - (b) the county of Victoria.
  - 5. MONCTON consisting of:
  - (a) that part of the county of Albert included in the parish of Coverdale;
  - (b) that part of the county of Westmorland included in the parishes of Moncton and Salisbury, the city of Moncton and the town of Dieppe.
- 6. NORTHUMBERLAND MIRAMICHI consisting of:
  - (a) the county of Northumberland;
  - (b) that part of the county of Kent included in the parishes of Acadieville and Carleton.
  - 7. RESTIGOUCHE consisting of:
  - (a) the county of Restigouche;
  - (b) that part of the county of Gloucester included in the parish of Beresford.
- 8. SAINT JOHN-LANCASTER consisting of that part of the county of Saint John included in the cities of Saint John and Lancaster, and that part of the unincorporated area of East Saint John bounded as follows: commencing at the intersection of Loch Lomond Road and Bayside Drive; thence northerly along Russell Street and Rothesay Avenue to the southwesterly limit of Fernhill Cemetery; thence southeasterly along said limit to Old Westmorland Road; thence northeasterly along Old Westmorland Road to the road on the southwesterly limit of St. Joseph's Cemetery; thence southeasterly along said road to Loch Lomond Road; thence southwesterly along Loch Lomond Road to the northwesterly production of Virginia Street; thence southeasterly along said production, Virginia Street and Tenth Street to River Avenue; thence southwesterly along River Avenue to Bayside Drive; thence northwesterly along Bayside Drive to the point of commencement.

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    - c) du comté de Kir
    - d) de la partie du conant les paroisse bridge, Canning Hampstead, John Wickham;

- 9. WESTMORLAND-KENT consisting of:
- (a) that part of the county of Kent included in the parishes of Dundas, Harcourt, Huskisson, Richibucto, St. Charles, St. Louis, St. Mary, St. Paul, Weldford and Wellington;
- (b) that part of the county of Westmorland included in the parishes of Botsford, Dorchester, Sackville, Shediac and Westmorland, the towns of Sackville and Shediac, and the village of Port Elgin.
- 10. YORK—SUNBURY consisting of:
- (a) that part of the county of York included in the parishes of Bright, Douglas, Dumfries, Kingsclear, Prince William, Queensbury, St. Mary's, Southampton, Stanley and New Maryland, and the city of Fredericton and the town of Marysville;
- (b) that part of the county of Sunbury included in the parishes of Blissville, Burton, Gladstone, Lincoln, Maugerville and Sheffield;
- (c) that part of the county of Queens included in the parish of Petersville.

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W. S. TURNBULL Secretary

- 9. WESTMORLAND-pose:
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### MINORITY REPORT BY CHAIRMAN

I did not concur with my fellow Commissioners in their recommendations made in compliance with section 12 of the *Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act*, 1964. Hereto attached as Appendix X are the descriptions of the boundaries of the ten electoral districts into which I would propose that New Brunswick be divided under that Act. In the accompanying pocket are the maps (Appendices Y and Z) showing such districts.

The following are the names and populations of those districts:

$Proposed\ District$	Population	Depart	ure from	Quota
Charlotte—Lancaster	. 50,043	Minus	9,751 or	16.3%
Fundy—Royal	. 54,470	Minus	5,324 or	8.9%
Gloucester	0001	Plus	3,551 or	5.9%
Moneton	. 65,455	Plus	5,661 or	9.5%
Northumberland—Miramichi	. 58,224	Minus	1,570 or	2.6%
Restigouche—Madawaska	. 69,137	Plus	9,343 or	15.6%
Saint John—Simonds	. 65,388	Plus	5,594 or	9.4%
Victoria—Carleton	. 52,938	Minus	6,856 or	11.5%
Westmorland—Kent	. 57,383	Minus	2,411 or	4.0%
York—Sunbury	. 61,553	Plus	1,759 or	2.9%

I respectfuly present this minority report and recommend that such ten electoral districts in New Brunswick be named and bounded as above stated.

SIGNED this 5th day of January, 1966, by the Chairman of the Electoral Boundaries Commission for New Brunswick.

### W. A. I. ANGLIN Chairman

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#### APPENDIX X

There shall be in the province of New Brunswick ten electoral districts, each of which shall return one member. The Chairman of the Commission proposes that the electoral districts be named and described as follows.

In the following descriptions reference to roads signifies the centre line of said roads unless otherwise described.

- 1. CHARLOTTE—LANCASTER consisting of:
  - (a) the county of Charlotte;
  - (b) that part of the county of Saint John included in the parishes of Musquash and Lancaster (including the city of Lancaster);
  - (c) that part of the county of Kings included in the parish of Westfield except that portion of the parish of Westfield lying easterly of the Saint John River;
  - (d) that part of the county of Queens included in the parish of Petersville;
  - (e) that part of the county of Sunbury included in the parishes of Blissville and Gladstone;
  - (f) that part of the county of York included in the parishes of McAdam, Manners Sutton and that part of the parish of New Maryland southwest of the Canadian Pacific Railway line (except the unincorporated area of Rooth Station and the said railway line).
  - 2. FUNDY-ROYAL consisting of:
  - (a) that part of the county of Albert included in the parishes of Alma, Elgin, Harvey, Hillsborough and Hopewell;
  - (b) that part of the county of Westmorland included in the parish of Salisbury;
  - (c) that part of the county of Saint John included in the parishes of St. Martins and Simonds except that part bounded as follows: commencing at the point where the eastern boundary line of the City of Saint John intersects the southern boundary line of the county of Kings; thence northeasterly along the said county line to a point where the county line is intersected by the transmission lines of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission; thence southwesterly along such transmission lines to the northwest bank of Lawlor Lake; thence southeasterly to the intersection of Golden Grove Road and Cold Brook at about five hundred vards northeasterly from the junction of Golden Grove and Old Westmorland

Roads; thence easterly and northeasterly along Cold Brook to its intersection with Frog Pond Road; thence southeasterly on a straight line to the intersection of highway 29 and a road about one thousand yards northeasterly along said highway from Blindman Lake; thence southeasterly along the said road to the Latimer Lake Road; thence southwesterly along Latimer Lake Road, Lower Loch Lomond Road, Grandview Avenue and a prolongation thereof until such line meets the eastern boundary line of the City of Saint John; thence along the said city boundary line to the point of commencement;

- (d) that part of the county of Kings included in the parishes of Cardwell, Greenwich, Hammond, Hampton, Havelock, Kars, Kingston, Norton, Rothesay, Springfield, Studholm, Sussex, Upham, Waterford and that portion of the parish of Westfield lying easterly of the Saint John River;
- (e) that part of the county of Queens included in the parishes of Brunswick, Cambridge, Canning, Chipman, Gagetown, Hampstead, Johnston, Waterborough and Wickham;
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- (b) that part of the county of Restigouche included in the parishes of Colborne and Durham.
- 4. MONCTON consisting of:
- (a) that part of the county of Westmorland included in the parish of Moncton;
- (b) that part of the county of Albert included in the parish of Coverdale.

## 5. NORTHUMBERLAND—MIRAMICHI consisting of:

- (a) the county of Northumberland;
- (b) that part of the county of Gloucester included in the parish of Saumarez.
- 6. RESTIGOUCHE—MADAWASKA consisting of:
  - (a) that part of the county of Restigouche included in the parishes of Addington, Balmoral, Dalhousie, Eldon, Grimmer and St. Quentin;

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- (b) that part of the county of Madawaska included in the parishes of Baker Brook, Baker Lake, Clair, Madawaska, Notre-Dame-de-Lourdes, Rivière-Verte, Ste. Anne, St. Basil, St. Francis, St. Hilaire, St. Jacques and St. Joseph.
- 7. SAINT JOHN-SIMONDS consisting of that part of the county of Saint John included in the city of Saint John and that portion of the parish of Simonds bounded as follows: commencing at the point where the eastern boundary line of the city of Saint John intersects the southern boundary line of the county of Kings; thence northeasterly along the said county line to a point where the county line is intersected by the transmission lines of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission; thence southwesterly along such transmission lines to the northwest bank of Lawlor Lake; thence southeasterly to the intersection of Golden Grove Road and Cold Brook at about five hundred yards northeasterly from the junction of Golden Grove and Old Westmorland Roads; thence easterly and northeasterly along Cold Brook to its intersection with Frog Pond Road; thence southeasterly on a straight line to the intersection of highway 29 and a road about one thousand yards northeasterly along said highway from Blindman Lake; thence southeasterly along the said road to the Latimer Lake Road; thence southwesterly along Latimer Lake Road, Lower Loch Lomond Road, Grandview Avenue and a prolongation thereof until such line meets the eastern bound-

ary line of the city of Saint John; thence along the said city boundary line to the point of commencement.

- 8. VICTORIA—CARLETON consisting of:
- (a) the county of Victoria;
- (b) the county of Carleton;
- (c) that part of the county of York included in the parishes of Canterbury, North Lake and Southampton;
- (d) that part of the county of Madawaska included in the parishes of St. André and St. Léonard.
- 9. WESTMORLAND-KENT consisting of:
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- (b) that part of the county of Sunbury included in the parishes of Burton, Lincoln, Maugerville and Sheffield, and the town of Oromocto.

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