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Amended:

1992 c.52 s.7(2); 1993 c53 s9; 1993 c56; 1995 c21; 1998 c6 s9;  
1998 c13; 2001 cN-3.1 s2; 2004 c44 s3; 2004 c47 s13;  
2007 cH-10.1 s70; 2007 c22; 2011 cC-37.00001 s50 (not in force - therefore not included here); 2013 c13  
s3; 2013 c16 s25; 2014 c22; 2014 cC-10.1 s60

# **CHAPTER E-3.1**

## **AN ACT RESPECTING ELECTIONS, CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS AND ELECTION FINANCING**

*(Assented to June 11, 1992)*

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## **PART IV ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

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**Advisory committee**

332. (1) An advisory committee on the political process is established.

(2) The advisory committee shall consist of the Chief Electoral Officer and 2 representatives of each registered party that had official candidates in at least 1/2 of all electoral districts at the immediately preceding general election.

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**Party representatives**

333. (1) Each registered party that had official candidates in at least 1/2 of all electoral districts in the immediately preceding general election shall, within 15 days after the commencement of the 1st session of the Legislature following a general election, designate that party's representatives on the advisory committee by a certificate signed by the leader and filed with the Chief Electoral Officer.

(2) A member of the House of Assembly is not eligible to be a member of the advisory committee.

(3) The persons appointed to the advisory committee under subsection (1) shall continue as members until 15 days following the commencement of the 1st session of the Legislature following a general election.

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**Chairperson**

**334.** The Chief Electoral Officer shall serve as the chairperson of the advisory committee.

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### **Members' expenses**

**335.** The members of the advisory committee other than the Chief Electoral Officer shall be reimbursed for reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of their duties in accordance with a scale prescribed by the House of Assembly Management Commission continued under section 18 of the *House of Assembly Accountability, Integrity and Administration Act*, for each meeting of the committee.

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### **Meetings of committee**

**336.** At the request of the Chief Electoral Officer or of at least 1/3 of its members the advisory committee shall meet as often as is necessary for the proper exercise of its duties.

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### **Duties of committee**

**337.** (1) The advisory committee shall advise the Chief Electoral Officer on the functioning of this Act and in particular on the functioning of the provisions relating to the financing of the political process.

(2) The Chief Electoral Officer shall consult the advisory committee periodically with regard to the application of this Act.

(3) The advisory committee may make the results of its work public.

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### **RSN 1990 c.E-3 Rep.**

**338.** The *Election Act* is repealed.

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### **Consequential amendments**

**339.** (1) Paragraph 13(b) of the *Conflict of Interest Act* is amended by striking out the words "the *Elections Act* " and substituting the words and figures "the *Elections Act, 1991* ".