You will read below a letter to Auditor General of Nova Scotia Jacques R. Lapointe, BA, CA.CIA and below the Auditor reply letter you will read the letter from the citizen questioning the Office.

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From: "Claude [OAG] Carter" <CARTERCD@gov.ns.ca>

To: "wcoady" <wcoady@accesswave.ca> Cc: "Jacques Lapointe" <LAPOINJR@gov.ns.ca> Sent: Friday, March 31, 2006 9:35 AM Subject: Re: The Debt of Nova Scotia > Mr. Coady; > > This is to acknowledge and thank you for the information provided in > your message to the Auditor General. Along with other information > available, we take such comments and concerns received into > considerations when deciding audit priorities for the office. > While it would be inappropriate at this time for us to respond to the > specific matters discussed in your message or the linked blog site, we > will consider periodically monitoring such sites in the future. > Thank you. > > Regards > > Claude Carter >>>> wcoady <wcoady@accesswave.ca> 3/30/2006 7:34 AM >>> > March 30, 2006 > > Auditor General of Nova Scotia > > 1888 Brunswick Street, Suite 302 > Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada > B3J 3J8 > Attention: Jacques R. Lapointe, BA, CA.CIA > > Dear Sir: It is a well known fact that when ever a political party > assumes office they always bring up the fact that the province is in > debt and right now we are all aware Nova Scotia's debt is over 12 > billion dollars and growing as we speak. > This debt is always played out in the news media , which is > communicated via either our elected or through the mouth of some well > placed long serving bureaucrat , that this debt belongs to and is the > result of public services. Therefore a group of citizens retired and > with time on our hands have been doing some much needed research on this > debt and what we are finding is a litany of loans made to the private

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> sector over the years has racked up this debt and we the taxpayers are
> on the hook. Secunda Marie ; Clearwater ; Scobey's ; Jodrey Family ;
> Bragg's and many , many more , not to mention the Debt we are carrying
> for EMERA , which is in the hundreds of millions and will not be paid
> out if even ever until 2031.
It appears the party system has used the taxpayer to act as bankers for
their private business friends.
> I am going to suggest that you or someone in "our" department of the
> Auditor General go to this blog site which is pointing out just a few of
> these items and trust "us" this site is being watched by the media. What
> you will see here is just the beginning . There are several other site
> that deal with each department within in this monster we call
> "government " , which are responsible for lining the pockets of their
> party friends.
> It is our hope that the Office of the Auditor General take action and
> get to the bottom of what we can only call the laundering of public
> funds by person of trust and power. This site is one of many ready to be
> linked together so the public can review what is nothing short of
> robbery.
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> My biggest concern is why is this happening and why should the taxation
> laws be used in this way ?
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> Please visit : http://hawkeyenews.blogspot.com/
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> Respectfully
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> Wayne Coady
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> Chronicle Herald .. Steve Proctor
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