Pursuant to subsection 28(3) of the Engineering Profession Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988 Cap. E-8.1, Council approved amendments to the following bylaws, as submitted by the Association:

- Bylaw 2 Membership
- Bylaw 3 Licensing
- Bylaw 5 Fees and Dues
- Bylaw 6 Management
- Bylaw 7 Meetings
- Bylaw 8 Council
- Bylaw 9 Committees
- Bylaw 10 Amendments to the By-laws

Council noted that the amendments had been ratified by the membership of the Association in accordance with subsection 28(2) of the Act.

A copy of the amendments to the bylaws is on file in the Office of the Clerk of the Executive Council.

Pursuant to clause 10(a) of the Executive Council Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Premier and the Minister of Community and Cultural Affairs to enter into an agreement with the Government of Canada, as represented by the Minister of State (Infrastructure and Communities) and the Minister of Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency, to provide a joint framework for the transfer of funds to Prince Edward Island for investment in environmentally sustainable municipal infrastructure, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.
Pursuant to subsection 37.1(1) of the Financial Administration Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. F-9, Council approved the transfer from the Department of Health and Social Services:

(a) to the Department of Health of three hundred and thirty-five million, two hundred and thirty-six thousand, four hundred dollars ($335,236,400), being the approved estimates of expenditure for health services in the Province, and fourteen million, seven hundred and ninety-four thousand, one hundred dollars ($14,794,100), being the approved estimates of revenue for health services; and

(b) to the Department of Social Services and Seniors of one hundred and ten million, forty-one thousand, six hundred dollars ($110,041,600), being the approved estimates of expenditure for social services in the Province, and eight million, two hundred and eighty-two thousand, five hundred dollars ($8,282,500), being the approved estimates of revenue for social services.

Council noted that the budget transfers accompany the reorganization of the Department of Health and Social Services, resulting in the creation of the Department of Health and the Department of Social Services and Seniors, effective 8 November 2005.

For budget purposes, this transfer of funds is deemed to have come into force effective 1 April 2005.

Pursuant to section 5 and section 9 of the Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Escondido Holding Company Ltd. of Vernon Bridge, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately thirty-eight (38) acres of land in Lot 57, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Barbara Drake, Administratrix of the Estate of John Kenneth MacLeod, Deceased, Intestate, Executrix of the Estate of Mary Kathleen Gillis, Deceased, Testate and in her own right; Kenneth Gillis, Executor of the Estate of Mary Kathleen Gillis and in her own right; and Wayne Larter and David Larter, Heirs at Law; all of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island PROVIDED THAT the said real property is identified for non-development use pursuant to the Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95) made under the said Act.
EC2005-670
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
GREENISLE ENVIRONMENTAL INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act*
R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Greenisle Environmental Inc. of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately one decimal two six (1.26) acres of land in Lot 35, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Christine Clark of Cornwall, Prince Edward Island.

EC2005-671
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
MARWOOD PROPERTIES INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act*
R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Marwood Properties Inc. of Georgetown, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately ten decimal six (10.6) acres of land at Georgetown, Kings County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Harry Parker of Quispamsis, New Brunswick.

EC2005-672
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
MURRAY’S POULTRY FARM INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act*
R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Murray’s Poultry Farm Inc. of Kensington, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately zero decimal four four (0.44) acres of land in Lot 34, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Peter Vriends and Charlotte Vriends, both of West Covehead, Prince Edward Island.
EC2005-673
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
MURRAY’S POULTRY FARM INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Murray’s Poultry Farm Inc. of Kensington, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately one hundred and thirty-four decimal nine four (134.94) acres of land in Lot 34, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Arnold Vriends and Son. Inc. of West Covehead, Prince Edward Island.

EC2005-674
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
T & L HOLDINGS LTD.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to T & L Holdings Ltd. of Brackley Beach, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately fifty-seven decimal four eight (57.48) acres of land in Lot 33, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Donald Cashen and June Cashen, both of Brackley Beach, Prince Edward Island.

EC2005-675
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PROPERTY NO. 617944, LOT 63, KINGS COUNTY
IDENTIFICATION FOR NON-DEVELOPMENT USE
AMENDMENT

Pursuant to subsection 9(2) of the Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5, Council amended the condition of non-development use made pursuant to section 2 of the Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95) in respect of approximately forty-two (42) acres of land, being Provincial Property No. 617944 located in Lot 63, Kings County, Prince Edward Island and currently owned by Richard Schott and Luzminda Schott, both of Biggerville, Pennsylvania.

Council noted that this amendment will enable subdivision of two parcels of land, one of approximately one (1) acre and the other of approximately eleven (11) acres, and determined that following subdivision, identification for non-development use shall continue to apply to the two new parcels as well as to the remaining land.

This Order-in-Council comes into force on 22 November 2005.
Pursuant to section 21 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council determined that, upon transfer of administration and control to Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada, land and land covered by water located at French River in Lot 21, Queens County, Prince Edward Island, totalling approximately one decimal eight nine (1.89) acres and currently owned by the Government of Prince Edward Island, as represented by the Minister of Transportation and Public Works, NOT be identified for non-development use under the Land Identification Program established by the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95).

A copy of the legal description of the said land and land covered by water is attached to the file copy of this Order in the Office of the Clerk of the Executive Council.

**EC2005-677**

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS REGULATING THE LAYING OUT, ALTERING, AND CLOSING OF HIGHWAYS
ROAD CLOSURES
(TO RESCIND)

Council, having under consideration Orders-in-Council dated September 8, 1892, June 24, 1897 and October 8, 1897, issued pursuant to section 18 of *An Act to Amend the Laws Regulating the Laying Out, Altering, and Closing of Highways*, 44 Victoria, Cap. 6, rescinded the said Orders, thus rescinding the closure of those portions of the Old Queens Road from Naufrage Bridge East to the north end of the Bear River Line Road, Lot 43, Kings County; from Black Bush to St. Margaret’s Cemetery, Lots 44 and 45, Kings County; and from the Souris Line Road to the shore of Bear River, Lots 44 and 45, Kings County; Prince Edward Island.
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL __________________________ 22 NOVEMBER 2005

EC2005-678

PUBLIC DEPARTMENTS ACT
ACTING DEPUTY MINISTER APPOINTMENT
(TO RESCIND)

Council, having under consideration Order-in-Council EC2005-546 of 4 October 2005, rescinded the said Order, thus rescinding the appointment of Ken MacRae as Acting Deputy Minister of Education effective 21 November 2005.

EC2005-679

PUBLIC HEALTH ACT
SLAUGHTER HOUSE REGULATIONS AMENDMENT

Pursuant to section 23 of the Public Health Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. P-30, Council made the following regulations:

1. Section 34 of the Public Health Act Slaughter House Regulations (EC478/62) is revoked and the following substituted:

34. (1) For the purposes of this section, “dead animal” means an animal that is dead on arrival at a slaughter house.

(2) Every operator of a slaughter house shall ensure that no dying animal is permitted entry into any slaughter house.

(3) Every operator of a slaughter house shall ensure
(a) that no dead animal is permitted entry into a slaughter house; and
(b) that no dead animal is processed at a slaughter house, unless the owner of the animal has provided to the operator a completed Special Circumstances Slaughter Report, as shown in Form 3 of these regulations, signed by the owner of the animal and a veterinarian.

(4) Where the operator of a slaughter house has permitted the entry of a dead animal, the operator shall ensure that the animal is processed within two hours of its slaughter.

(5) Every operator of a slaughter house shall, within 30 days of receipt, provide a completed Special Circumstances Slaughter Report to the Chief Health Officer.
2. The regulations are amended by the addition of the following after Form 2:

FORM 3

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
SLAUGHTER HOUSE REGULATIONS

Special Circumstances Slaughter Report

I. Animal Owner: ........................................................... Address: ………………………….
Telephone: .................................. Date/Time: …………………. Animal ID# ………………
This animal is free of veterinarian drug residual. I have read and understand the terms and
conditions on the reverse of this form.
Animal Owner’s Signature: …………………………………………………………………………………

PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR CONDITIONS TO BE MET

II. Veterinarian: ................................................................. Clinic: …………………………
Telephone: .................................. Date/Time Animal Slaughtered: …………………….
Animal Species: ................................................. Age: ………………………….
Animal Status:  
□ Acutely injured  
□ Escaped  
□ Too dangerous to transport  
Animal ID # verified:  
□ Yes  
□ No
Ante-Mortem results:  
□ Acceptable  
□ Condemned
Bled on farm: Yes  
□ No
(a) To the best of my knowledge, the Published Meat Withdrawal Guidelines
respecting veterinary drugs have been respected.
(b) This animal was humanely slaughtered.
Veterinarian’s Signature: …………………………………………………………………………………

OR

To the best of my knowledge, this animal must be held at the slaughter house for veterinary
drug residual testing.
Veterinarian’s Signature: …………………………………………………………………………………

III. Slaughter House Owner: ..........................................................
Address ................................................. Date/Time Animal Processed: ……………………
Animal ID verified:  
□ Yes  
□ No
Animal must be processed within two (2) hours of slaughter.
Signature of Slaughter House Operator: …………………………………………………………………

IV. Post-Mortem Inspection
Veterinarian: .......................................................... Date/Time: …………………….
Animal ID# Verified:  
□ Yes  
□ No  
□ Approved  
□ Condemned  
□ Held
Veterinarian’s Signature: …………………………………………………………………………………
 TERMS AND CONDITIONS
The Special Circumstances Slaughter Report must be completed as follows:

• Section I completed by the animal owner.
• Section II completed by the veterinarian conducting the ante-mortem inspection.
• Section III completed by the slaughter house operator.
• Section IV completed by the veterinarian conducting the post-mortem inspection.

• All sections of this form must be completed for this permit to be valid.
• “Acutely injured animal” means an otherwise healthy animal that, as a result of an accident or an injury, has been rendered “non ambulatory”.
• “Too dangerous to transport” means an animal that, due to its nature, cannot safely be transported.
• “Escaped” means an animal that accidentally becomes loose during transport or at the slaughter house.
• As outlined by regulation, the animal is subject to slaughter house post-mortem inspection.
• Veterinarian, for the purposes of the ante-mortem inspection, means a veterinarian in good standing, licensed to practice by the PEI Veterinary Medical Association.
• The animal must be transported in a clean, covered vehicle immediately upon humane slaughter to a licensed slaughter house.
• If there is suspicion of residue of veterinarian drug, the animal shall be held at the slaughter house pending required laboratory testing.
• The owner of the animal assumes all costs to ensure the animal poses no threat to public health including ante-mortem and post-mortem inspection and drug residual testing.
• The conditions outlined in this report are in addition to, and do not replace, any requirements of the Canadian Food Inspection Agency.

3. These regulations come into force on December 3, 2005.

EXPLANATORY NOTES
The amendment authorizes an exception for the processing of a dead animal in a slaughter house. A new Form 3 to the regulations must be provided by the owner of the animal to the operator of a slaughter house at the time the dead animal is received, and the form must be signed by the owner of the animal, a veterinarian (ante-mortem), the operator of a slaughter house after the animal has been processed, and a veterinarian (post-mortem). The operator must provide the completed Special Circumstances Slaughter Report to the Chief Health Officer.