

# In Kildonan St. Paul, a choice to clean up Canada with democracy

## Big Picture Questions

### ***What Agenda Are Harper And Martin Hiding?***

**Compare:** the Sponsorship Scandal, \$350 Million! Gun-registry boondoggle, \$2 Billion and Federal government's last annual revenues? **\$211 Billion!!!!**

With **all sponsorship** monies, (good and bad) being **less than 2/10's of one per cent** of federal income, **what even bigger issues** do neither Harper, nor Martin, nor their parties, want you to focus and become troubled with?

From Conservative Mulroney forward, including the Chretien/Martin Liberals, the big business tax share has dropped like a rock whiled through down-sizing government and "free trade agreements" much of Canada's economy is being privatized, leaving citizens with a higher tax share and fewer public dollars for health-care, education, roads,...!

Mulroney condemned liberal patronage! When **conservative Harper** now beats his breast and calls the ad-scam a sponsorship scandal, what is the real difference between **liberal sponsorship** and **Mulroney's patronage**?

Let us remember Tommy Douglas' words. If we are mice, is it not time to quit voting

between blue cats and red cats and elect a real MP who advances honest **democratic self-government**, one that is of, by and for the people? Why choose party candidates, who in exchange for the plum of being party candidates make Faustian Bargains which hand-cuff their hands behind their backs? (Please see other side for example.)

### ***Central plank of Eduard Hiebert (Independent)***

My word and record is my bond **Yes!** Stop tax loop-holes for big business and the rich!

**Yes!** Stop all personal tax claw-backs. Instead, adopt more progressive tax structure. Raise the basic tax minimum.

**Yes!** Adopt taxable income parity: \$1 *net* income, regardless of source; wage-earnings or capital-earnings.

**Yes!** Stop tax holidays.

**Yes!** Systemic crime solutions.

**No!** Harper's "tough on crime" is a fortress mentality, trying to protect the rich by walling in the poor.

**Yes!** National day care!

**No!** Harper increasing children's allowance as tax credit for the rich and calling it day care.

Canada's democratic self-rule must be reasserted with citizens democratically, not big-business privately running Canada.

Together, we can ferret out and mitigate the harm done by corporate-friendly citizen-unfriendly Trojan Horses called

WTO, IMF..., who together with their hand-maidens, our Conservative and Liberal governments, one-sided business-friendly citizen-unfriendly trade deals and through stealth and the back-door, keep de-regulating public Canada and re-regulating Canada as private, for profit and under corporate control.

### ***The Democratic Deficit***

Paul Martin speaks of the "democratic deficit". Yet neither he nor Harper act to correct it. Ask yourself, if a democratic deficit accrues to Canada's citizens, who gets the surplus? And who in our "first past the gate-post" electoral system, gains inside advantage through electoral vote-splitting?

Anyone besides big-business and a party system run by big-business rules? A preferential ballot stops this!

On January 23, 2006 In Kildonan St. Paul

**VOTE EDUARD HIEBERT (Independent)**