## **MOTION**

No. 30

## **Ombudsperson**

Peter Bevan-Baker gives notice that tomorrow he will move, seconded by Hal Perry, the following Motion:

WHEREAS Prince Edward Island is the only Canadian province without an ombudsperson;

**AND WHEREAS** this House considered in 1999 a bill to establish a provincial ombudsperson;

**AND WHEREAS** an ombuds office would help this government meet its goal of increasing accountability and transparency;

**AND WHEREAS** the ombudsperson for the province of Nova Scotia also has a child and youth advocacy mandate;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Legislative Assembly urge Government to create an ombuds office for Prince Edward Island;

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that Government consider including child and youth advocacy in the mandate of an ombudsperson.

Signed by: Peter Bevan-Baker

Signed by: Hal Perry

7 December 2017