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CANADA'S AUDITOR GENERAL TO OPEN 2010 GAMES

The Glengarry Highland Games is pleased to announce that Sheila Fraser, Canada's Auditor General, will be the Guest of Honour at the 64th edition of the Games on Saturday, July 31, 2010.

Ms. Fraser was appointed Auditor General of Canada on May 31, 2001. Born in Dundee, Quebec, Ms. Fraser earned a Bachelor of Commerce degree from McGill University in 1972 and became a Chartered Accountant in 1974. Before joining the Office as Deputy Auditor General in January 1999, Ms. Fraser enjoyed a fruitful and challenging career with the firm of Ernst & Young, where she became a partner in 1981. In its Québec City office, she was responsible for a wide range of private and public sector clients.

Ms. Fraser has always been active in her profession, at both the provincial and national levels, and has served on the boards and committees of various accounting and auditing organizations. She has received many awards for her noteworthy service to the auditing and accounting professions. Ms. Fraser has also been awarded several honorary Doctor of Laws degrees.

As Auditor General, Ms. Fraser has focused the Office's efforts on serving the needs of parliamentarians and ensuring they have objective and reliable information with which to scrutinize government activities and hold the government to account for its stewardship of public funds.

Glengarry Highland Games President Donaldson MacLeod states that he is delighted to have Ms. Fraser open the 2010 Games. "She is a very distinguished Canadian and dedicated public servant". He also noted that she is the second Auditor General of Canada to open the Highland Games, the first being James J. MacDonell in 1979.

The Glengarry Highland Games, one of the largest celtic festivals in North America, welcomes tens of thousands annually to Maxville, Ontario in a celebration of Scottish tradition, music, dancing and athletic events. This year's Games will be held Friday, July 30th and Saturday, July 31st, 2010.

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