

CPA Activities: The Canadian Scene

Regional Conference Meeting

The 47th Conference of the Canadian Region of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association will take place in Toronto from July 19-24, 2009.

The Conference will be held at Queen's Park in the Ontario Legislative Assembly and will consist of eight business sessions on a variety of topics of interest to federal, provincial and territorial legislators. There will also be an activity day on Wednesday July 22, which will include a visit to Niagara Falls and to Niagara-on-the-Lake. Delegates will also have an opportunity to attend a

baseball game on July 22 between the Toronto Blue Jays and the Cleveland Indians.

Commonweath Women Parliamentarians Meeting

As has been the practice in recent years a meeting of the Commonwealth Women Parliamentarians will take place immediately before the Regional Conference on Sunday July 19, 2009. Three business sessions will be held on topics of particular interest to women legislators. Business sessions are open to all delegates and will take place at the Sutton Place Hotel.

Regional Council Meeting

The Executive of the Canadian Region of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, the Canadian Regional Council, will hold its annual meeting on Monday July 20, 2009. Among other things the Council approves the activities and budget of the Region for the coming year and receives reports on activities during the past year.

Regional Seminar

In October 2009, the Canadian Regional Seminar of the CPA will take place in Yellowknife, Northwest Territories.