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### **AUDITOR GENERAL RELEASES REPORT SUMMARIZING RECENT PROJECTS**

VICTORIA – Auditor General John Doyle has released his latest report, *Summary Report: results of completed projects*, a new format of report which is comprised of summaries of several recent projects.

“While my traditional public reports are the most visible output of my office’s efforts, they do not account for all the work that is done,” said Doyle. “In some cases, the outcome of our work doesn’t fit within the boundaries of a public report. This prompted me to create a new type of report which could communicate a broader range of my office’s projects.”

In total, seven recent projects are summarized in the report:

- Hand hygiene self-assessments completed by the Ministry of Health Services and the health authorities.
- An examination of School District 35’s (Langley) board governance, internal controls and long-term planning.
- ICBC’s progress in responding to the 2008 Material Damage Research and Training Facility incident.
- Guidelines developed for public sector institutions to create relevant key performance indicators.
- A preliminary review of government’s management of B.C.’s natural resource information.
- An assessment of the management of oil and gas royalty programs.
- An audit of government’s identification and assessment of IT security risks.

“A summary report gives me the means to not only communicate a greater wealth of information to British Columbians and their elected representatives,” said Doyle, “but also to recognize the good work being done in government, which may not otherwise be introduced in the public realm.”

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