

# REPORT ON THE LAW OF CHARITIES

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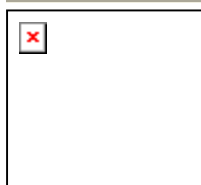
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I have the honour to submit the Ontario Law Reform Commission's *Report on the Law of Charities*.

John D. McCamus

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