



“Paying the Price”

Biography: Dr. Ian McAllister, Dalhousie University

Ian McAllister [retired professor of economics/Dalhousie University] has viewed energy policies and project challenges from the vantage points of two provincial governments [including when economic advisor to Newfoundland] and from within the Canadian Finance Department [he headed the regional development unit]. He has served on two royal commissions, directed the Development Department of the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies [Geneva], has advised a number of overseas governments and other agencies under CIDA, World Bank and IFRC auspices—mostly in parts of Africa, S.E. Asia and Eastern Europe. Author of a number of books, whose titles include *Regional Development and the European*

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