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96.1 Trucking Standards and Highway Safety

- a) mandatory training/certification for tire and wheel installers
- b) require licensed Class "A" and trailer mechanics to upgrade skills and be certified to install heavy truck wheels
- c) prosecutors and judiciary educated on consequences of mechanical and load infractions, endangering public safety, and
- d) fraudulent use of annual inspection certificate.

96.2 Preventing Social Assistance Dependency

- a) design measures which help people avoid reliance on social assistance, i.e., more practical training for teenagers, encouragement to complete school using co-op education program.

96.3 Teacher/Child Ratio for Junior and Senior Kindergarten

- a) replace teacher to child ratio in Junior and Senior Kindergartens to 1 to 15

96.4 Posting of Voters Lists

- a) amend Elections Act to eliminate posting of electors' lists in conspicuous place in each polling division and
- b) require instead they be available for public inspection in returning office

96.5 Idling of Internal Combustion Engines

- a) develop and publish regulations prohibiting idling of motor vehicle engines beyond specified time period and
- b) also prohibiting construction site machinery from idling unnecessarily.

96.6 Native Studies in Ontario Schools

- a) Make this a mandatory component of social studies and history curricula in all elementary and secondary schools
- b) cooperate with province's aboriginal organizations to develop study materials reflecting native history and culture for use in Ontario schools
- c) develop and distribute in cooperation with Ontario Council of Elders, speakers' list of native elders who would be willing to visit Ontario schools