



Press Advisory

Prince Edward Island Premier Wade MacLauchlan will host the 41st Conference of New England Governors and Eastern Canadian Premiers in Charlottetown, PEI, on August 28, 2017.

CO-CHAIRS

Hon. Wade MacLauchlan, Premier of Prince Edward Island
Hon. Philip B. Scott, Governor of Vermont

BACKGROUND

The Conference of New England Governors and Eastern Canadian Premiers is an inter-regional, bi-national, trans-border organization established in 1973 in recognition of the special bond that exists between the six New England states and the five Eastern Canadian provinces. Its members are the governors and the premiers of those states and provinces. The meetings are held alternately in New England and Eastern Canada. The last meeting was held in Boston, MA in 2016.

MEETING SITE

[Prince Edward Island Convention Centre and Delta Prince Edward by Marriott](#)

18 Queen Street
Charlottetown, PE C1A 4A1
Toll Free Phone: 1-800-268-1133

PROGRAM

Monday, August 28, 2017
9:15 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Sir John A. Macdonald Meeting Room (1st Level)

Press conference:

3:35 p.m.
Coles Room (1st level)

Registered media can join the press conference via teleconference:

Toll free: 1-866-206-0153, Code 1899702# (ENGLISH)

The 41st NEG-ECP Conference provides governors and premiers an opportunity to explore themes of common interest. The 2017 conference will add new components designed to build greater interactivity among participants and foster relationship building across jurisdictions. The program includes business-to-business meetings, an Energy Forum as well as a Forum on Food Innovation.

MEDIA WORKROOM

A media workroom will be located in the Coles Room and will be open as follows:

- Sunday, August 27: 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- Monday, August 28: 7:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

The media workroom will be equipped with a television monitor and high-speed internet access.

Parking for satellite trucks and broadcast vehicles is available by special arrangement. Please contact Ann MacRae at amacrae@gov.pe.ca or 902-393-4025.

MEDIA BRIEFING

A media briefing will take place at 8:30 a.m. in the Coles Room on Monday, August 28.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Media representatives are responsible for their own reservations. The conference hotel is fully booked.

ACCREDITATION

Accreditation for this conference is being done online.

Please visit <https://www.sciconline.ca/english/application.asp>

Register using the **access PIN 811445**

All media must register in the 1st floor lobby at the registration desk upon their arrival at Prince Edward Island Convention Centre and Delta Prince Edward by Marriott. As an enhanced security feature at this conference, passes with photo will be provided to media at time of registration. Media must wear them at all times.

SOCIAL MEDIA: #NEGEC2017

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