

## BRIEFS

### AG report raises red flags for Opposition

**St. John's** — Liberal MHA Kelvin Parsons wants the provincial government to provide the names of three companies identified by the auditor general as having improperly received investments of more than \$1 million in public funds, and to provide details about how the funding was approved.



Kelvin Parsons

Parsons, the opposition industry critic and MHA for Burgeo-Lapoile, noted the AG's report concluded the Department of Industry, Trade and Development didn't act in compliance with the Financial Administration Act when providing funding to the companies. Concerns were raised there was no documented procedures for approving, disbursing and monitoring such investments, he said.

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