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UNIT 4: Section 1: workbook 15

# Government Involvement in the Economy

Complete the **first six rows** of the following chart based on what you read on **pages 205, 206, and 208** of your textbook, *Issues for Canadians*.

**Note:** You will return to the chart later in the lesson and add more information.

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|  | Canada | United States |
| How is the Public Good achieved? | < > | < > |
| What have governments done to assist the public good? | < > | < > |
| What are similarities in the economic systems? | < > | |
| What are differences in the economic systems? | < > | |
| Why do governments get involved? | < > | |
| My thoughts on government involvement in the economy | < > | |
| My thoughts on Crown corporations | < > | |
| How would economy and quality of life be affected in government was not involved? | < > | |
| To what extent do you agree with the involvement of government in each of the examples on pages 214 and 215 of the textbook? | < > | |

Save this chart to your **Activities** folder.