

### **Atlanta Flames Phil Myre game used goalie stick.**

The Montreal Canadiens selected Phil Myre in the 1966 NHL Draft. However, it wasn't until the 1969-70 season that Myre saw limited action with the Canadiens. He was used as a backup for the next two seasons, but after the arrival of Ken Dryden, the Canadiens left him unprotected in the 1972 Expansion Draft. The Atlanta Flames selected the Quebec native as their first choice. For the next five seasons, Myre and Dan Bouchard shared the goaltending duties. Midway through the 1977-78 season, Myre was traded along with Curt Bennett and Barry Gibbs to the St. Louis Blues in exchange for Yves Belanger, Dick Redmond, Bob MacMillan and 1979 second-round draft pick. This CCM Custom Pro stick shows good game use. It bears numerous puck marks on the paddle and the black friction tape is in good condition. The first tape layer comprising the knob was in white, followed by the black. There appears to be a team repair to the tip of the blade underneath what appears to be a newer layer of friction tape. It was acquired from another collector who obtained it directly from the collection of Bert Bracegirdle, one of the NHL off-ice officials who worked all eight seasons the Flames were at the Omni.

