

Public Agenda

Bencher Meeting #520

September 26, 2024

9:00 a.m.

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Item		Purpose	Presenter
CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTION			
1	Opening Remarks from the President	Introduction	Deanna Steblyk
2	Leadership Report	Information	Elizabeth Osler
STRATEGIC AND POLICY ITEMS			
3	Articling Survey Presentation	Information	Svitlana Winters
4	Federation of Law Societies of Canada (FLSC) Model Code Consultation – Truth and Reconciliation Commission Call to Action 27	Discussion	Jennifer Freund/ Jonathan Griffith
5	Rule 58.1 – The Executive Director’s Authority to Extend Student-at-Law Registration	Decision	Noria Neuhart/ Erica Pridham
6	Amend Bencher Vacancy Policy	Decision	Jennifer Freund
7	Anti-Money Laundering Education and Client ID Verification Rule Amendments 7.1 Education 7.2 Rule Amendments	Decision	Bernadette Charan/ Jennifer Freund
STRATEGIC REPORTS			
8	Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Committee Update	Information	Stacy Petriuk
9	Lawyer Competence Committee Update	Information	Bud Melnyk
10	Policy and Regulatory Reform Committee Update	Information	Sandra Petersson
11	Federation of Law Societies of Canada Update	Information	Carsten Jensen



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INFORMATION ITEMS		
12	Audit and Finance Committee Update	Information Jim Lutz
13	Real Estate Practice Advisory Update	Information Ryan Anderson
CONSENT AGENDA		
14	14.1 June 7, 2024 Public Bencher Meeting Minutes 14.2 2026 Bencher Meeting Dates 14.3 Amendment to Rule 49.2 - Articling Recruitment Activity 14.4 Amendment to Rule 49.3 - First Year Summer Student Recruitment Activity	
EXTERNAL REPORTS		
15	15.1 Alberta Law Reform Institute Report	Presenter: Sandra Petersson Bencher Representative: Stacy Petriuk
	15.2 Alberta Lawyers' Assistance Society Report	Presenter: Loraine Champion Bencher Representative: Erin Runnalls
	15.3 Canadian Bar Association Report	Christopher Samuel
	15.4 Canadian Centre for Professional Legal Education Report	Liza Worthington
	15.5 Legal Education Society of Alberta Report	Presenter: Christine Sanderman Bencher Representative: Scott Matheson
	15.6 Pro Bono Law Alberta Report	Hyder Hassan
OTHER BUSINESS		Deanna Steblyk