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COLLEGE'S NARRATIVE REPORT FOR 2021-2022

INTRODUCTION

The Access to Information Act (the Act) provides Canadian citizens, permanent residents or any person or corporation present in Canada with a right of access to records under the control of a government institution, subject to specific and limited exceptions. The purpose of the Act is to enhance the accountability and transparency of federal institutions in order to promote an open and democratic society and to enable public debate on the conduct of those institutions. This report is tabled in Parliament in accordance with section 94(2) of the Access to Information Act. This report describes the activities that support compliance with the Access to Information Act commencing November 23, 2021 and ending March 31, 2022.

Overview of the College of Immigration and Citizenship Consultants

The College of Immigration and Citizenship Consultants (the College) is the authority mandated by the Government of Canada to regulate the practice of Regulated Canadian Immigration Consultants (RCICs) and Regulated International Student Immigration Advisors (RISIAs). Its role, authority and powers are established in the *College of Immigration and Citizenship Consultants Act* (Canada). The College sets and enforces the licensing, education and ethical standards of the profession, in the public interest.

The College regulates immigration and citizenship consultants in the public interest and protects the public by:

- Establishing and administering qualification standards, standards of practice, and continuing education requirements for licensees.
- Ensuring compliance with the Code of Professional Conduct; and
- Undertaking public awareness activities.

The College's transition from the Council

The College was created by the *College of Immigration and Citizenship Consultants Act* (Canada) (the College Act), passed by Parliament in June 2019. Pursuant to an order of the Minister of Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship of Canada, the Immigration Consultants of Canada Regulatory Council (ICCRC) was continued as the College on November 23, 2021.

ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

The College is a relatively small organization, with less than 100 full-time employees, which has recently become subject to the *Access to Information Act* (ATIA) and the *Privacy Act*. Because of its size, the College does not have a formalized Access to Information and Privacy (ATIP) office, but rather the Chief Operating Officer assumes the role of ATIP Coordinator and is supported in this capacity by various staff across its operations. During the reporting period, the College undertook recruitment efforts related to resourcing privacy and access to information services. Progress with this initiative will be included in the subsequent annual report.

The College did not enter into any service agreements under section 96 of the Act during the reporting period.

DELEGATION ORDER

Pursuant to section 95(1) of the *Access to Information Act*, the President & Chief Executive Officer has delegated the power, duties and functions of the administration of the Act to the Chief Operating Officer. The College intends to develop a formal delegation order.

PERFORMANCE 2021-2022: STATISTICAL REPORT AND INTERPRETATION

The College's statistical report for 2021-2022 is attached to and forms part of this annual report (Appendix A). During the period of this report, the College did not receive any requests for access to information under the ATIA. Next year will be the first full-year reporting period for the College. As this is the College's first reporting period, there are no requests which have been carried over from previous years. The College was not impacted by COVID-19-related measures since there were no requests received during the reporting period.

TRAINING AND AWARENESS

During the reporting period, the College sought out external support from the Treasury Board of Canada Secretariat, Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada, external legal counsel, and consultants to understand the legal compliance requirements of the ATIA.

POLICIES, GUIDELINES, PROCEDURES AND INITIATIVES

The College is taking the initiative to understand and implement policies and procedures to comply with the ATIA. The College is developing a process to publish and monitor travel and hospitality expenses as per proactive publication requirements of the ATIA.

COMPLAINTS, INVESTIGATIONS AND APPEALS

There were no complaints of relevance to the ATIA received or concluded by the College during the reporting period.

MONITORING COMPLIANCE

Monitoring compliance was not required as the College did not receive any access to information requests during the reporting period.

COLLEGE'S STATISTICAL REPORT ON THE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT FOR 2021-2022

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Statistical Report on the Access to Information Act

Name of institution: College of Immigration and Citizenship Consultants

Reporting period: 2021-04-01 to 2022-03-31

Section 1: Requests Under the Access to Information Act

1.1 Number of requests

Received during reporting period		0				
Outstanding from previous reporting periods	0					
Outstanding from previous reporting period	0					
Outstanding from more than one reporting period	0					
Total		0				
Closed during reporting period		0				
Carried over to next reporting period		0				
Carried over within legislated timeline	0					
Carried over beyond legislated timeline	0					

1.2 Sources of requests

Source	Number of Requests
Media	0
Academia	0
Business (private sector)	0
Organization	0
Public	0
Decline to Identify	0
Total	0

1.3 Channels of requests

Source	Number of Requests
Online	0
E-mail	0
Mail	0
In person	0
Phone	0
Fax	0
Total	0

Section 2: Informal Requests

2.1 Number of informal requests

		Number of Requests
Received during reporting period	0	
Outstanding from previous reporting periods		0
Outstanding from previous reporting period	0	
Outstanding from more than one reporting period	0	
Total		0
Closed during reporting period		0
Carried over to next reporting period		0

2.2 Channels of informal requests

Source	Number of Requests
Online	0
E-mail	0
Mail	0
In person	0
Phone	0
Fax	0
Total	0

2.3 Completion time of informal requests

l		Completion Time									
	1 to 15 Days	16 to 30 Days	31 to 60 Days	61 to 120 Days	121 to 180 Days	181 to 365 Days	More Than 365 Days	Total			
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			

2.4 Pages released informally

Less Than 100 Pages Released		100-500 Pages Released			1000 Released	1001-5000 Pages Released			han 5000 Released
Number of Requests	Pages Released	Number of Requests	Pages Released	Number of Requests	Pages Released	Number of Requests	Pages Released	Number of Requests	Pages Released
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2.5 Pages re-released informally

Less Than 100 Pages Re-released		100-500 Pages Re-released			-1000 released	1001-5000 Pages Re-released			han 5000 released
Number of Requests		Number of Requests	Pages Re- released	Number of Requests	Pages Re- released		Pages Re- released	Number of Requests	Pages Re- released
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Section 3: Applications to the Information Commissioner on Declining to Act on Requests

	Number of Requests
Outstanding from previous reporting period	0
Sent during reporting period	0
Total	0
Approved by the Information Commissioner during reporting period	0
Declined by the Information Commissioner during reporting period	0
Withdrawn during reporting period	0
Carried over to next reporting period	0

4.1 Disposition and completion time

	Completion Time							
Disposition of Requests	1 to 15 Days	16 to 30 Days	31 to 60 Days	61 to 120 Days	121 to 180 Days	181 to 365 Days	More Than 365 Days	Total
All disclosed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disclosed in part	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All exempted	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No records exist	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Request transferred	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Request abandoned	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neither confirmed nor denied	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Declined to act with the approval of the Information Commissioner	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

4.2 Exemptions

Section	Number of Requests	Section	Number of Requests	Section	Number of Requests	Section	Number of Requests
13(1)(a)	0	16(2)	0	18(a)	0	20.1	0
13(1)(b)	0	16(2)(a)	0	18(b)	0	20.2	0
13(1)(c)	0	16(2)(b)	0	18(c)	0	20.4	0
13(1)(d)	0	16(2)(c)	0	18(d)	0	21(1)(a)	0
13(1)(e)	0	16(3)	0	18.1(1)(a)	0	21(1)(b)	0
14	0	16.1(1)(a)	0	18.1(1)(b)	0	21(1)(c)	0
14(a)	0	16.1(1)(b)	0	18.1(1)(c)	0	21(1)(d)	0
14(b)	0	16.1(1)(c)	0	18.1(1)(d)	0	22	0
15(1)	0	16.1(1)(d)	0	19(1)	0	22.1(1)	0
15(1) - I.A.*	0	16.2(1)	0	20(1)(a)	0	23	0
15(1) - Def.*	0	16.3	0	20(1)(b)	0	23.1	0
15(1) - S.A.*	0	16.4(1)(a)	0	20(1)(b.1)	0	24(1)	0
16(1)(a)(i)	0	16.4(1)(b)	0	20(1)(c)	0	26	0
16(1)(a)(ii)	0	16.5	0	20(1)(d)	0		•
16(1)(a)(iii)	0	16.6	0		•	•	
16(1)(b)	0	17	0				
16(1)(c)	0		-	•			
16(1)(d)	0	*I.A.: Inter	national Affairs Def.:	Defence of Canada 8.A.:	Subversive Activities		

4.3 Exclusions

Section	Number of Requests	Section	Number of Requests	Section	Number of Requests
68(a)	0	89(1)	0	69(1)(g) re (a)	0
68(b)	0	89(1)(a)	0	69(1)(g) re (b)	0
68(c)	0	89(1)(b)	0	69(1)(g) re (c)	0
68.1	0	89(1)(c)	0	69(1)(g) re (d)	0
68.2(a)	0	89(1)(d)	0	69(1)(g) re (e)	0
68.2(b)	0	89(1)(e)	0	69(1)(g) re (f)	0
	•	89(1)(f)	0	69.1(1)	0

4.4 Format of information released

Paper	E-record	Data set	Video	Audio	Other
U	U	0	0	0	U

4.5 Complexity

4.5.1 Relevant pages processed and disclosed for paper and e-record formats

Number of Pages Processed	Number of Pages Disclosed	Number of Requests
0	0	0

4.5.2 Relevant pages processed per request disposition for paper and e-record formats by size of requests

	Less Than 100 Pages Processed		100-500 Pages Processed		501-1000 Pages Processed		1001-5000 Pages Processed		More Than 5000 Pages Processed	
Disposition	Number of Requests	Pages Processed	Number of Requests	Pages Processed	Number of Requests	Pages Processed	Number of Requests	Pages Processed	Number of Requests	Pages Processed
All disclosed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disclosed in part	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All exempted	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Request abandoned	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neither confirmed nor denied	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Declined to act with the approval of the Information Commissioner	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

4.5.3 Relevant minutes processed and disclosed for audio formats

Number of Minutes Processed	Number of Minutes Disclosed	Number of Requests
0	0	0

4.5.4 Relevant minutes processed per request disposition for audio formats by size of requests

	Less Than 60 Minutes Processed		60 - 120	60 - 120 Minutes Processed		120 Minutes Processed
Disposition	Number of Requests	Minutes Processed	Number of Requests	Minutes Processed	Number of Requests	Minutes Processed
All disclosed	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disclosed in part	0	0	0	0	0	0
All exempted	0	0	0	0	0	0
All excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0
Request abandoned	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neither confirmed nor denied	0	0	0	0	0	0
Declined to act with the approval of the Information Commissioner	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0

4.5.5 Relevant minutes processed and disclosed for video formats

Number of Minutes Processed	Number of Minutes Disclosed	Number of Requests
0	0	0

4.5.6 Relevant minutes processed per request disposition for video formats by size of requests

	Less Than 60 Minutes Processed		60 - 120	60 - 120 Minutes Processed		120 Minutes Processed
Disposition	Number of Requests	Minutes Processed	Number of Requests	Minutes Processed	Number of Requests	Minutes Processed
All disclosed	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disclosed in part	0	0	0	0	0	0
All exempted	0	0	0	0	0	0
All excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0
Request abandoned	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neither confirmed nor denied	0	0	0	0	0	0
Declined to act with the approval of the Information Commissioner	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0

4.5.7 Other complexities

Disposition	Consultation Required	Legal Advice Sought	Other	Total
All disclosed	0	0	0	0
Disclosed in part	0	0	0	0
All exempted	0	0	0	0
All excluded	0	0	0	0
Request abandoned	0	0	0	0
Neither confirmed nor denied	0	0	0	0
Declined to act with the approval of the Information Commissioner	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0

4.6 Closed requests

4.6.1 Requests closed within legislated timelines

Number of requests closed within legislated timelines	0
Percentage of requests closed within legislated timelines (%)	0

4.7 Deemed refusals

4.7.1 Reasons for not meeting legislated timelines

	Principal Reason					
	1-4					
Number of requests closed past the legislated	Interference with					
timelines	operations/ W orkload	External Consultation	Internal Consultation	Other		
0	0	0	0	0		

4.7.2 Requests closed beyond legislated timelines (including any extension taken)

Number of days past legislated timelines	Number of requests past legislated timeline where no extension was taken	Number of requests past legislated timeline where an extension was taken	Total
1 to 15 days	0	0	0
16 to 30 days	0	0	0
31 to 60 days	0	0	0
61 to 120 days	0	0	0
121 to 180 days	0	0	0
181 to 365 days	0	0	0
More than 365 days	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

4.8 Requests for translation

Translation Requests	Accepted	Refused	Total
English to French	0	0	0
French to English	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

Section 5: Extensions

5.1 Reasons for extensions and disposition of requests

	9(1)(a)	9(1) Consul		
Disposition of Requests Where an Extension Was Taken	Interference With Operations/Workload	Section 69	Other	9(1)(c) Third-PartyNotiœ
All disclosed	0	0	0	0
Disclosed in part	0	0	0	0
All exempted	0	0	0	0
All excluded	0	0	0	0
Request abandoned	0	0	0	0
No records exist	0	0	0	0
Declined to act with the approval of the Information Commissioner	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0

5.2 Length of extensions

	9(1)(a))(b) ultation		
Length of Extensions	Interference With Operations/Workload	Section 69	Other	9(1)(c) Third-PartyNotice	
30 days or less	0	0	0	0	
31 to 60 days	0	0	0	0	
61 to 120 days	0	0	0	0	
121 to 180 days	0	0	0	0	
181 to 365 days	0	0	0	0	
365 days or more	0	0	0	0	
Total	0	0	0	0	

Section 6: Fees

		Fee Collected		Fee W aived	Fee Refunded		
Fee Type	Number of Requests	Amount	Number of Requests	Amount	Number of Requests	Amount	
Application	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	
Other fees	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	
Total	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	

Section 7: Consultations Received From Other Institutions and Organizations

7.1 Consultations received from other Government of Canada institutions and other organizations

Consultations Received during the reporting period Outstanding from the previous reporting period	Other Government of Canada Institutions 0	Number of Pages to Review 0	Other Organizations 0	Number of Pages to Review 0	
Total	0	0	0	0	
Closed during the reporting period Carried over within negotiated timelines	0	0	0	0	
Carried over beyond negotiated timelines	0	0	0	0	

7.2 Recommendations and completion time for consultations received from other Government of Canada institutions

		Numb	er of Days Re	equired to Co	mplete Cons	ultation Req	uests	
Recommendation	1 to 15 Days	16 to 30 Days	31 to 60 Days	61 to 120 Days	121 to 180 Days	181 to 365 Days	More Than 365 Days	Total
Disclose entirely	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disclose in part	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exempt entirely	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exclude entirely	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Consult other institution	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

7.3 Recommendations and completion time for consultations received from other organizations outside the Government of Canada

Number of Days Required to Complete Consultation Requests								
Recommendation	1 to 15 Days	16 to 30 Days	31 to 60 Days	61 to 120 Days	121 to 180 Days	181 to 365 Days	More Than 365 Days	Total
Disclose entirely	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disclose in part	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exempt entirely	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exclude entirely	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Consult other institution	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Section 8: Completion Time of Consultations on Cabinet Confidences

8.1 Requests with Legal Services

		n 100 Pages essed	100-500 Pages Processed Pag							More Than 5000 Pages Processed	
Number of Days	Number of Requests	Pages Disolosed	Number of Requests	Pages Disolosed	Number of Requests	Pages Disclosed	Number of Requests	Pages Disolosed	Number of Requests	Pages Disolosed	
1 to 15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
16 to 30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
31 to 60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
61 to 120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
121 to 180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
181 to 365	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
More than 385	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

8.2 Requests with Privy Council Office

		n 100 Pages essed	100–500 Pag	es Processed	501-1000 Pages Processed		1001-5000 Pages Processed		More Than 5000 Pages Processed	
Number of Days	Number of Requests	Pages Disclosed	Number of Requests	Pages Disclosed	Number of Requests	Pages Disolosed	Number of Requests	Pages Disclosed	Number of Requests	Pages Disolosed
1 to 15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16 to 30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31 to 60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
61 to 120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
121 to 180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
181 to 365	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
More than 385	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Section 9: Investigations and Reports of finding

9.1 Investigations

Section 32 Notice of		
intention to	Subsection 30(5) Ceased	Section 35 Formal
investigate	to investigate	Representations
0	0	0

9.2 Investigations and Reports of finding

	Section 37(1) Initial Repo	rts	Section 37(2) Final Reports			
	Containing			Containing		
	recommendations			recommendations	Containing orders	
	issued by the	Containing orders issued		issued by the	issued by the	
	Information	by the Information		Information	Information	
Received	Commissioner	Commissioner	Received	Commissioner	Commissioner	
0	0	0	0	0	0	

Section 10: Court Action

10.1 Court actions on complaints

Section 41				
Complainant (1)	Institution (2)	Third Party(3)	PrivacyCommissioner (4)	Total
0	0	0	0	0

10.2 Court actions on third party notifications under paragraph 28(1)(b)

Section 44 - under paragraph	
28(1)(b)	
0	

Section 11: Resources Related to the Access to Information Act

11.1 Allocated Costs

Expenditures		Amount
Salaries		\$0
Overtime		\$0
Goods and Services		\$0
Professional services contracts	\$0	
Other	\$0	
Total		\$ 0

11.2 Human Resources

Resources	Person Years Dedicated to Access to Information Activities
Full-time employees	0.000
Part-time and casual employees	0.000
Regional staff	0.000
Consultants and agency personnel	0.000
Students	0.000
Total	0.000

Note: Enter values to three decimal places.

APPENDIX A (2021-2022 SUPPLEMENTAL STATISTICAL REPORT ON THE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT AND THE PRIVACY ACT)



Supplemental Statistical Report on the Access to Information Act and the Privacy Act

Name of institution: College of Citizenship and Immigration Consultants

Reporting period: 2021-04-01 to 2022-03-31

Section 1: Capacity to Receive Requests under the Access to Information Act and the Privacy Act

Enter the number of weeks your institution was able to receive ATIP requests through the different channels.

	Number of Weeks
Able to receive requests by mail	18
Able to receive requests by email	18
Able to receive requests through the digital request service	18

Section 2: Capacity to Process Records under the Access to Information Act and the Privacy Act

2.1 Enter the number of weeks your institution was able to process paper records in different classification levels.

_	No Capacity	Partial Capacity	Full Capacity	Total
Unclassified Paper Records	34	0	18	52
Protected B Paper Records	34	0	18	52
Secret and Top Secret Paper Records	34	0	18	52

2.2 Enter the number of weeks your institution was able to process electronic records in different classification levels.

	No Capacity	Partial Capacity	Full Capacity	Total
Unclassified Electronic Records	34	0	18	52
Protected B Electronic Records	34	0	18	52
Secret and Top Secret Electronic Records	34	0	18	52

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Section 3: Open Requests and Complaints Under the Access to Information Act

3.1 Enter the number of open requests that are outstanding from previous reporting periods.

Fiscal Year Open Requests Were Received	Open Requests that are Within Legislated Timelines as of March 31, 2022	that are Beyond Legislated Timelines as of	Total
Received in 2021-2022	0	0	0
Received in 2020-2021	0	0	0
Received in 2019-2020	0	0	0
Received in 2018-2019	0	0	0
Received in 2017-2018	0	0	0
Received in 2016-2017	0	0	0
Received in 2015-2016 or earlier	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

Row 8, Col. 3 of Section 3.1 must equal Row 7, Col. 1 of Section 1.1 of the 2021-2022 Statistical Report on the Access to Information Act

3.2 Enter the number of open complaints with the Information Commissioner of Canada that are outstanding from previous reporting periods.

Fiscal Year Open Complaints Were Received by Institution	Number of Open Complaints
Received in 2021-2022	0
Received in 2020-2021	0
Received in 2019-2020	0
Received in 2018-2019	0
Received in 2017-2018	0
Received in 2016-2017	0
Received in 2015-2016 or earlier	0
Total	0

Section 4: Open Requests and Complaints Under the Privacy Act

4.1 Enter the number of open requests that are outstanding from previous reporting periods.

Fiscal Year Open Requests Were Received	Open Requests that are Within Legislated Timelines as of March 31, 2022	that are Beyond Legislated Timelines as of	Total
Received in 2021-2022	0	0	0
Received in 2020-2021	0	0	0
Received in 2019-2020	0	0	0
Received in 2018-2019	0	0	0
Received in 2017-2018	0	0	0
Received in 2016-2017	0	0	0
Received in 2015-2016 or earlier	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

Row 8, Col. 3 of Section 4.1 must equal Row 7, Col. 1 of Section 1.1 of the 2021-2022 Statistical Report on the *Privacy Act*

4.2 Enter the number of open complaints with the Privacy Commissioner of Canada that are outstanding from previous reporting periods.

Fiscal Year Open Complaints Were Received by Institution	Number of Open Complaints
Received in 2021-2022	0
Received in 2020-2021	0
Received in 2019-2020	0
Received in 2018-2019	0
Received in 2017-2018	0
Received in 2016-2017	0
Received in 2015-2016 or earlier	0
Total	0

Section 5: Social Insurance Number (SIN)

Did your institution receive authority for a new collection or new consistent	
use of the SIN in 2021-2022?	No