

MEDIA STATEMENT

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<u>Criminal Justice Branch Releases Justice Reform Report and</u> 2014/15 – 2016/17 Strategic Plan

Victoria - Today, the Criminal Justice Branch of the Ministry of Justice released a *Progress Report on Proposals for Reform in Criminal Justice*, which provides details on the completed, and ongoing, reforms undertaken by the Branch in response to government's 2012 *Justice Reform Initiative*.

The Branch is also pleased to release the 2014/15-2016/17 B.C Prosecution Service Strategic Plan for public information. This plan outlines specific ways in which the Branch intends to continue its pro-active commitment to deliver on justice reform initiatives that contribute to long-term, sustainable change and efficiencies in the delivery of criminal justice services.

Both the *Progress Report* and the *Strategic Plan* are available on the Branch's Internet site: http://www.ag.gov.bc.ca/prosecution-service

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Branch Vision:

Courageous, Fair and Efficient – A Prosecution Service that has the Confidence of the Public.