2022 Judicial Compensation Commission Final Report in Respect of Provincial Court Judges and Judicial Justices November 28, 2023

The Judicial Compensation Commission is an independent, constitutionally required body mandated by the *Judicial Compensation Act* (the Act) to report on and make recommendations respecting remuneration, allowances, and benefits of Provincial Court judges and judicial justices. The recommendations of the 2022 Judicial Compensation Commission (the 2022 Commission) cover the period from April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2027.

The 2022 Judicial Compensation Commission

In accordance with section 2 of the Act, as modified for the 2022 Commission by Bill 30-2021, the members of the 2022 Commission were appointed on or before September 1, 2022. The 2022 Commission members were the Honourable Lynn Smith, OC, KC (Chairperson); Vern Blair, FCPA, FCA, FCBV, FRICS; Eric Gottardi, KC; Lisa Castle; and Robert Lapper, KC.

Legislative Assembly Outcome

As the Legislative Assembly did not reject the recommendations of the 2022 Commission within the statutory time limits set out in section 6(2) of the Act, pursuant to section 6(3) of the Act, Provincial Court judges and judicial justices are entitled to receive the remuneration, allowances and benefits recommended by the 2022 Commission for the period from April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2027.