

TREASURY BOARD DIRECTIVE

TO: The Attorney General and Minister of Justice

DIRECTIVE NO.: 1/15

SUBJECT: Settlements of claims and payments into court proposed to be certified under section 14 of the *Crown Proceeding Act* in amounts greater than \$500,000.


AUTHORITY: This directive is issued pursuant to section 4 and 27(1)(b) of the *Financial Administration Act*

APPLICATION: This directive applies to settlements of claims and to payments into court greater than \$500,000 proposed to be certified under section 14 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*

DIRECTIVE: As a condition of payment, Treasury Board approval is required for any amount greater than \$500,000 to be certified under section 14 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, whether in the settlement of a claim or as a payment into court. This condition applies whether the appropriation to be relied upon to make the payment is the statutory appropriation in section 14 of the *Crown Proceeding Act* or a voted appropriation.

REPEAL: Treasury Board Directive No. 1/99 (a) (which set a \$250,000 threshold) is repealed.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 2, 2014



Honourable Michael de Jong, Q.C.
Chair, Treasury Board