

## ***Adult Guardianship and Trusteeship Act Regulations***

The Department of Justice and Public Safety is proposing new regulations under the *Adult Guardianship and Trusteeship Act*. The Guardianship and Trusteeship Regulations and the Capacity Assessment Regulations will address areas that are to be prescribed under the Act:

1. rules for capacity assessments under the Act, including the form and content of a capacity assessment report that is to be used by practitioners and considered by the Supreme Court;
2. contents and access to the records held in the Register maintained by the Prothonotary in respect of guardianship and trusteeship orders made under the Act;
3. various provisions that address matters that are to be prescribed by regulation including, but not limited to, service requirements in respect of minors, records to be kept by trustees and prescribed reportable criminal offences in respect of prospective or current guardians or trustees.

The Department expects that the *Adult Guardianship and Trusteeship Act* will come into force in 2025, following finalization of the Regulations under the Act and pre-implementation notice to affected stakeholders. Feedback from the public and other stakeholders will be reviewed and considered before the Regulations are finalized.

We encourage you to provide comments on the proposed Regulations under the *Adult Guardianship and Trusteeship Act* by October 31, 2024. You can contact us to provide your comments or questions about this document by mail or e-mail to:

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