



Undertaking of Confidentiality

The Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General is working on a possible legislative amendment to the *Police Act* relating to the police complaint process.

To ensure the accuracy and workability of any such amendment, it would be of assistance if the undersigned, on behalf of the Office of the Police Complaint Commissioner, reviews the legislative proposal in the form of draft legislation.

To facilitate that review, the undersigned person agrees to review the legislative proposal in the form of draft legislation on the understanding that the undersigned undertakes:

- not to discuss with any person the fact that he or she has engaged in discussions held with staff of the Ministry in relation to the draft legislation or matters that may be included in the draft legislation;
- not to discuss or disclose the contents of the draft legislation before the government presents the legislation to the Legislative Assembly;
- not to discuss or disclose the contents of the draft legislation after the government presents the legislation to the Legislative Assembly, except as expressly permitted by staff of the Ministry;
- not to disclose the content of discussions held with staff of the Ministry in relation to the draft legislation or matters that may be included in the draft legislation;
- not to make copies of the draft legislation;
- to keep the draft legislation secure while it is in the undersigned's possession; and
- to return the draft legislation to staff of the Ministry, if staff so directs, or to destroy it when the review is completed, or earlier if staff so directs.

This undertaking does not preclude discussions of the draft legislation and any other matters noted above between the undersigned and staff of the Ministry and Legislative Counsel, or any other persons identified by staff of the Ministry as having given this undertaking.

This undertaking does not preclude discussions of any draft legislation and any other matters noted above between the undersigned and other person, if expressly permitted by staff of the Ministry and those discussions are then conducted on the terms and conditions that those staff may direct.

This undertaking does not preclude discussions of various legislative options with parties that may be affected by the proposed legislation, if those discussions are intended to provide information about the implications of those options and to solicit the views of the parties, and do not disclose the content of the draft legislation.

I, the undersigned, give the undertakings set out above.

Print Name

Signature

Position

Date