

of obtaining a fair return for their labour and investment, and to provide consumers with a continuous and adequate supply of high-quality dairy products.

Minister responsible:
Minister of Agriculture

Canadian General Standards Board

Phase III
9C1 Place du Portage
Hull, Quebec
(Mail: Ottawa, Ontario K1A 1G6)
Information: Ottawa/Hull (819) 956-0432.

The Canadian General Standards Board, by means of a voluntary consensus process, provides standards and certification-listing programs covering various products, services and systems, to all levels of government and the private sector.

Minister responsible:
Minister of Supply and Services

Canadian Government Publishing Centre

45 Sacre Coeur Boulevard
Hull, Quebec K1A 0S7
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The Canadian Government Publishing Centre co-ordinates the publishing activities of departments and agencies of the Government of Canada, with the objective of effectively and efficiently maximizing public awareness of government policies, programs and services. These activities include managing the associated bookstores program which enables Canadians to purchase federal government publications through commercial and university bookstores across Canada. It is equally responsible for the Depository Services Program whereby these publications may be consulted in over 800 public and university libraries throughout the country. The Centre's activities also include a telephone referral service called Reference Canada which enables Canadians nationwide to call the federal government and obtain information on government services and programs, free of charge. It is also responsible for the publication of the *Canada Gazette*, the official medium for informing the Canadian public of all legally binding decisions made by the Government of Canada.

Minister responsible:
Minister of Supply and Services

Canadian Grain Commission

Head office
303 Main Street, Suite 600
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3C 3G8
Regional offices: throughout British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Ontario and Quebec.
Information: Winnipeg (204) 983-2770.

The Canadian Grain Commission is responsible for the official inspection and grading of grain, and the establishing of grade specifications and standards. It issues licences to grain elevator operators and grain dealers, supervises bonding of licensees and insurance coverage on grain in licensed elevators, provides registration and documentation services, compiles and publishes grain-handling statistics, maintains a laboratory for basic and applied research relating to cereal grains and oilseeds, and supervises weighing of grain at terminal and transfer elevators. The Commission is also responsible for supervision of trading in grain futures.

Minister responsible:
Minister of Agriculture

Canadian Human Rights Commission

National office
Royal Bank Centre
90 Sparks Street, 4th Floor
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 1E1
Regional offices: Vancouver, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Halifax.
Information: Ottawa/Hull (613) 995-1151:
Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) (613) 996-5211. (Collect calls are accepted throughout Canada.)

The Commission's mandate is to foster the principle that every individual should have an equal opportunity to participate in all spheres of Canadian life, consistent with his or her duties and obligations as a member of society.

This mandate is carried out in two ways. First it deals with complaints of discrimination in employment or in the provision of goods, services, facilities or accommodation based on 10 prohibited grounds of discrimination: race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, age, sex, marital status, family status, disability, or conviction of an offence for which a pardon has been granted. Its jurisdiction includes federal government departments and agencies, Crown corporations and institutions such as chartered banks, airlines, inter-provincial transportation systems, as well as the