



INTEGRITY COMMISSIONER REPORT FOR ACTION

OFFICE OF THE INTEGRITY COMMISSIONER REPORT ON ACTIVITY JULY 1, 2015 - DECEMBER 31, 2015

Date: January 28, 2016
To: City Council
From: Valerie Jepson, Integrity Commissioner
Wards: All
Reference:

SUMMARY

The Integrity Commissioner reports annually to City Council on the work of the Office. This Report for Action transmits to City Council a Report on Activity of the Office for the last six months of 2015 (July 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015). The reason the Integrity Commissioner is filing a Report on Activity for a six month period instead of 12 is to transition the Office's reporting period to the calendar year. The next report on activity from the Office of the Integrity Commissioner will be its 2016 Annual Report.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Integrity Commissioner recommends that:

1. City Council receive the Office of the Integrity Commissioner Report on Activity for the period July 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 for information.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

This report will have no financial impact on the City of Toronto.

DECISION HISTORY

Section 3-7 of Chapter 3 of the *Toronto Municipal Code* requires the Integrity Commissioner to report to Council annually on the activities of the Office and the discharge of the Commissioner's duties. The last annual report was filed on June 30, 2015 for the period July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015.

COMMENTS

The Integrity Commissioner encourages and oversees compliance with the standards of conduct expected of elected and appointed officials at the City of Toronto. This Report on Activity provides members of Council and the public with information to assist with understanding the role of the Integrity Commissioner and the work of the Office.

The Office of the Integrity Commissioner is converting its annual reporting period from July 1 - June 30 to January 1 - December 31 (the calendar year). The last annual report from the Integrity Commissioner was filed in July 2015 with respect to the period July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015. This Report for Action transmits to City Council a Report on Activity for the last six months of 2015 (July 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015) and positions the Office to file its next annual report for the 2016 calendar year.

The Report on Activity focuses on activities completed in the last six months of 2015 but also contains complete statistical information for the entire 2015 calendar year to establish a baseline for future reports.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Office of the Integrity Commissioner Report on Activity
July 2015 to December 2015 with appendices (50 pages)