# Toronto Local Appeal Body Public Guide Information Session 2017

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# Toronto Local Appeal Body – Court Services

- Provide Information about TLAB, its processes to public.
- Available online in PDF format with interactive Table of Contents
- Future enhancements include links to instructional videos
- Does not replace the Rules of Practice and Procedure

#### **Table of Contents**

Interactive table of contents

- Hyperlinked titles and page numbers when the guide is viewed in PDF format
- Allows people to easily access areas of interest without having to read the entire document



#### Part 1 - About TLAB

#### Overview

- Members
- Mandate
- History
- TLAB as an appeal Body
- Proceedings
- Forms



# Part 2 – Filing an Appeal

- How to you know if you can appeal?
- How do you know if your appeal is to TLAB?
- Know your appeal type
- Fill out your appeal form
- Submit your appeal to Committee of Adjustment
- Pay your appeal fees
- Screening Processes
- After you file your appeal



# Part 3 - Roles in A Hearing

- Parties
- Participants
- Representatives
- General public



# Part 4 – Types of Meetings

- Mediation
- Prehearing
- Motions
- Hearings
- Public Meetings



### Part 5 – Preparing for a Hearing

- Review Rules of Practice and Procedure
- Hiring a lawyer or representative
- Summonsing a witness
- Disclosure
- Evidence
- Accessibility



### Part 6 – The Hearing Process

- How is a TLAB hearing Held?
- Recording a Hearing
- What usually happens at a hearing?
- Presenting Evidence
- Do I need representation at the hearing?
- After the hearing decisions and orders
- Decision reviews and appeals



# Part 7 – Digital Requirements

- Email Requirements
- Documents and Evidence
- Naming Conventions of Electronic Files
- During A Hearing



#### Part 8 – Fee Schedule

- Includes fees in effect as of May 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Also a separate tab on the web page



#### Part 9 - Miscellaneous

- General Information provides information on calculation of time, hearing dates, format of documents, presentation of visual evidence and says documents can be served/filed
- Glossary provide basic definition of terms
- Acknowledgement & Contact Information



#### Questions

