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MEDIA ADVISORY Itinerary for the Supreme Court of Canada Visit to Quebec City

OTTAWA, September 7, 2022 – The Supreme Court of Canada will be in Quebec City from September 12-16, 2022.

Members of the Court will hear two cases at the Palais de justice, meet local students, host a free public event and engage with the local legal community. Members of the media who plan to cover the visit should consult the schedule and details below:

Monday September 12

10-10:30 a.m. – Media Availability

Chief Justice Richard Wagner will make brief remarks and answer questions from reporters. Palais de justice, Room 4.01, 300 Jean-Lesage Blvd., Quebec, QC

Afternoon – Visits to local high schools, closed to media.

Wednesday September 14

9:30 a.m. – Hearing of *His Majesty the King v. Pascal Breault*, open to media.

Chief Justice Wagner will make brief remarks about the importance of courts being accessible to Canadians before the hearing officially begins. For more information about the case being heard, please consult the <u>Case Pre-Brief</u>. Please be advised that the hearing will be <u>streamed live</u> on the Supreme Court website as well as <u>www.cpac.ca</u>

Palais de justice, Room 4.01, 300 Jean-Lesage Blvd., Quebec, QC

3 p.m. – Public event at the Museum of Civilization, open to media.

After short remarks from Quebec Chief Justice Manon Savard and Canada's Chief Justice Richard Wagner, moderator Isabelle Richer will facilitate a public question and answer period with all nine judges.

Musée de la civilisation, Roland-Arpin auditorium, 85 Rue Dalhousie, Quebec, QC *Please be advised judges will not be available for any interviews*.

Thursday September 15

9:30 a.m. – Hearing of *Janick Murray-Hall v. Attorney General of Quebec*, open to media.

For more information about the case being heard, please consult the <u>Case Pre-Brief</u>. Please be advised that the hearing will be <u>streamed live</u> on the Supreme Court website as well as <u>www.cpac.ca</u>

Palais de justice, Room 4.01, 300 Jean-Lesage Blvd., Quebec, QC

Friday September 16

8 a.m. – Round table discussions with Université Laval faculty and students, closed to media.

Notes for the media

- Official photos of judges and many other resources can be found on the <u>Quebec City</u> Visit microsite.
- Upon arrival at the courthouse, present your news outlet ID card at the media sign-in table.
- Seats are being reserved for reporters in the courtroom but space is limited. There will also be an overflow room for members of the public and media.
- Once the hearings are officially underway, no cameras will be permitted in the courtroom.

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