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Via email: [john.pecman@cb-bc.gc.ca](mailto:john.pecman@cb-bc.gc.ca)

Mr. John Pecman  
Commissioner of Competition  
Competition Bureau  
50 Victoria Street  
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Dear Commissioner Pecman:

**Re: Competition and Compliance Framework Bulletin**

I am writing on behalf of the National Competition Law Section of the Canadian Bar Association in response to the Competition Bureau's May 20, 2015 request for comments on its draft Competition and Compliance Framework Bulletin.

The CBA Section does not have any specific comments on the draft Bulletin.

We commend the Bureau's efforts to update the Bulletin, which outlines the various outreach enforcement and advocacy approaches used by the Bureau to help businesses understand its comprehensive and integrated approach to promoting compliance with the *Competition Act*, among others. We support all efforts by the Bureau to promote transparency in its various activities and to develop a more cost-effective and responsive agency.

Yours truly,

*(original letter signed by Tamra L. Thomson for R. Jay Holsten)*

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