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OAA Special News Bulletin

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Update on Legislative Amendments OAA Makes Formal Submission; Register to Attend Association's Virtual Meeting Next Week

The OAA is emailing to let you know of further updates with respect to legislative amendments that would address the outcomes from last year's Court Order. (As always, you can read more on the [OAA Website](#).)

The OAA has made its formal submission to [the Standing Committee on Justice Policy](#) regarding [Bill 157, Enhancing Access to Justice Act, 2023](#), Schedule 1. You can read this submission on the [OAA Website](#).

The Association continues to await confirmation as to its request to appear in person before the Standing Committee. Public hearings are scheduled for **February 21** and **22**.

As conveyed in the OAA's [January 17](#) communication, Schedule 1 will achieve the regulatory foundation for the OAA to issue Limited Licences and reinstate the OAA Technology Program. This is a critical step in the efforts toward getting licences back to those who formerly held status with the OAA as a Licensed Technologist.

You are once again encouraged to [lend your support](#) for Schedule 1—the Ministry of the Attorney General has requested you respond as quickly as possible. (The OAA has also provided [briefing notes](#) to MPPs, which provide helpful information.)

As a reminder, OAA President Settimo Vilardi invites all former LicTechOAs, Intern Technologists, and Student Technologists to join him for a virtual information session on Tuesday, February 6 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm. To attend, you must sign up before Friday, February 2 at 4:30 pm.

[Click here to register.](#)

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