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Press Release

Canadian Superior Courts Judges Association

New Resource – Judges in Canada

The Canadian Superior Courts Judges Association (CSCJA), which represents nearly all of the federally appointed judges in Canada, is pleased to announce the release of a new educational video and YouTube channel entitled Judges in Canada.

A critical piece in maintaining, preserving and enhancing the Canadian system of justice is educating the public. This is also one of the objectives of the Association. Ensuring that Canadians understand what to expect and how the system functions helps to promote effective and timely access to justice for all.

The video teaching tool, aimed at new and young Canadians as well as the public in general, illustrates what they are entitled to expect from Judges in Canadian Courts. The video covers principles fundamental to our Justice System; concepts such as *Judicial Independence and the Rule of Law*.

“We are very excited to share this video and its message with the public. It was created through the hard work of our member Judges and effectively explains what Canadians should expect from the judicial system through the fictional case study of a young man facing the court system.”: Julie Dutil, President, CSCJA.

**The new video can be found in both English and French at: www.cscja.ca/judges
<https://www.youtube.com/judgesincanadalesjugesaucaanda>**

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