

## DELEGATION OF POWERS, DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS

(Personal Information Protection Act)

Pursuant to section 43 of the *Personal Information Protection Act* (PIPA), I delegate to each person who holds a position identified in the attached Delegate Schedule, the powers in PIPA as set out in that schedule.

This delegation may be revoked or amended by an instrument signed by me.

This delegation is effective from the date below and ceases to be effective on the earlier of the date:

- it is revoked by a document signed by me;
- the delegate ceases to be employed in the OIPC; or
- the delegate begins a leave of absence or temporary assignment from the Office.

In the case of a leave of absence or temporary assignment, this delegation becomes effective again on the date on which the delegate resumes employment in the office.

This delegation overrides all delegations previously given to persons under PIPA.

Date of Instrument

Place Instrument Signed:

Michael Harvey Information and Privacy Commissioner for British Columbia

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Victoria, British Columbia

Personal Information Protection Act Delegations											
Section	Summary	Deputy Commissioner	Legal Counsel	Director of Adjudications & Adjudicator	Registrar of Inquiries	Director of Investigations & Director of Audit and Systemic Reviews	Senior Investigator & Investigator	Director of Policy	Senior Policy Analyst & Policy Analyst & Compliance Auditor	Case Review Manager & Case Review Officer	Director of Communications & Senior Communications Officer
31	Grant time extensions to organization	✓			~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$			√	
36(1)(a)	Initiate investigations & audits where reasonable grounds	√		~		~	$\checkmark$	√	~	~	
36(1)(b)	Make an order described in s. 52(3)	✓	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		~	$\checkmark$	√	✓		
36(1)(c)	Inform public about PIPA	✓	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	√	√	√	$\checkmark$
36(1)(d)	Receive comments from public about administration of PIPA	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	V	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	~	~	$\checkmark$
36(1)(e)	Engage in or commission research into anything affecting purposes of PIPA	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		~	$\checkmark$	~	✓	√	$\checkmark$
36(1)(f)	Comment on implications for protection of personal information of organization's	~	✓	$\checkmark$		~	$\checkmark$	√	~	~	$\checkmark$
36(1)(g)	Comment on implications of automated systems for the protection of privacy	✓	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		~	$\checkmark$	√	~		$\checkmark$
36(1)(h)	Comment on privacy implications of data linkages	×	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	~		$\checkmark$
36(1)(i)	Authorize collection of personal information from sources other than the individual to whom the information relates	~		$\checkmark$		√	V	~			
36(1)(j)	Bring to organization's attention failure to meet obligations established by PIPA	~		$\checkmark$	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	~	$\checkmark$	√	×	~	
36(1)(k)	Exchange information with any person who has powers and duties similar to Commissioner under legislation under	~	~	$\checkmark$	~	✓	$\checkmark$	~	~	~	$\checkmark$
36(2)	Investigate and attempt to resolve complaints	✓		$\checkmark$		✓	$\checkmark$	√	√	√	
37	Authority to disregard	✓	~	✓		~	$\checkmark$	✓	✓		
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38(1)(a)	Power to order attendance before the Commissioner	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	√		✓	$\checkmark$	~	✓		
38(1)(b)	Demand production of records	$\checkmark$	~	✓	✓	✓	~	✓		✓	
38(1.1)	Power to apply to the Supreme Court for an order directing compliance with s.38(1)	$\checkmark$	~	~		~	~	√	~		
38(2)(a)	Power to examine records	$\checkmark$	✓	$\checkmark$	√	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	√	✓	✓	
38(2)(c)	Power to enter any premises	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	~	✓	✓		
38(4)	Require individual to resolve dispute before the commissioner begins or continues	$\checkmark$		~		~	~	✓	~	~	
38(7)	Requirement to return documents	$\checkmark$	√	✓	~	✓	√	~	~	~	
38(8)	Requirement to return documents within 10 days upon request	$\checkmark$	~	✓	√	✓	√	~	~	~	
38.1	Maintain order at oral hearing	$\checkmark$	~	✓							
41(2)	Exception to non-disclosure requirement for purposes of conducting	√	~	~	✓	~	~	✓	~	~	
41(6)	Information sharing agreement disclosures	$\checkmark$	√	√		$\checkmark$	~	~	~	~	
46	Accept reviews and complaints, Adjourn to	$\checkmark$	~	✓	✓	✓	~	√	✓	✓	
47	Time extensions for filing reviews	$\checkmark$	~	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	✓	√	$\checkmark$	√	
48	Power to provide copy of review or complaint to appropriate persons	√	~	~	√	~	~	✓	~	✓	
49	Authorize mediator to investigate	$\checkmark$		~		✓	√			√	
50	Inquiry	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$		
50(8)	Specify later date for inquiry		$\checkmark$		✓						
52	Order making powers	$\checkmark$	✓	✓		✓	~	✓	✓		

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