







Hello Canadian WISPs

This is our 10th Annual Conference. It doesn't feel that long ago that we had our first meeting here at the Hilton Lac-Leamy - 7 years ago in the Casino-side with 75 attendees.

As we looked for a theme this for this year's conference we were also hearing about this 'new' thing called Hybrid Networks. The light bulb came on and we realized that WISPs are the original builders of Wireless / Fibre hybrid networks. Wireless powered by Light. For years we've been providing last-mile wireless services either alongside, or powered-by, fibre service.

The last few years have been an incredible validation of the importance of rural internet and WISPs have been the ones carrying the load, installing new customers, adding services and service levels. We didn't come this far to only come this far. It's a cliché for sure, but it applies to our situation.

Thank you to the Board of Directors for their service to the organization and industry. Thanks also to Storm Internet for providing CanWISP with office internet and to Lakeland Networks for allowing Jen French to provide assistance to the organization.

Have a good look around the conference. There's new and updated technology, new vendors and the industry stalwarts that you've worked with for years.

If you have any questions about CanWISP or our work, don't hesitate to contact me.

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Jonathan Black Executive Director CanWISP jblack@canwisp.ca





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Each year at the AGM I personally feel re-energized through the conversations with other members, industry partners, vendors and other attendees through the sharing of stories and knowledge.

CanWISP has been very busy over the past year in several consultations with ISED to ensure our members voices are heard. Some of this work included consultations on 3800MHz Auction, 6GHz, the database for 6GHz and calling out some of the challenges of auctions. We are seeing an increasingly competitive market and its even more important that we communicate on every consultation possible.

We are seeing the fruits of earlier consultations in the newly adopted microwave licensing models. Costs have been reduced dramatically to microwave backhaul and we finally have an affordable path to 10Gbps wireless connectivity.

While there is still much work to do, the future of wireless is incredibly promising and we look forward to accessing new spectrum in 6Ghz and 3900mhz to further complement our existing access and conquer the digital divide in Rural Canada.

Now, please enjoy the show, and thank you all for being a part of this event. Regards

Scott Holmes President

CanWISP



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BOARD & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Scott Holmes **PRESIDENT**

Board Member since 2018

Scott is an entrepreneur who is the founder of Extreme Technology Corporation, a parent organization that has subsidiary companies in software and telecommunications. Scott is the CEO of Niagara Wireless Internet Company (NWIC Inc), a WISP in Niagara which has 27 fiber backhauled POPS to deliver high capacity connectivity to over 2,000 customers in the region. Scott's passion for telecommunications started at the age of 18 when he required higher capacity in rural Niagara to start his business. When Scott is not working he spends time with family and volunteers in his church and the community.



Jonathan Black **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

Jonathan was one of the founding members of CanWISP in 2013 during his time at Storm Internet. He has served the organization in various roles: Board Member. Treasurer, Chair, Conference Organizer and most recently as Executive Director. When he is not working on CanWISP he provides consulting services to WISP's and any other group trying to bring internet to underserved Canadians.



Neil Smellie **TRFASURFR**

Board Member since 2017 Treasurer 2017-2018

Neil Smellie began in the ISP industry in 1995 and is currently President of Core Broadband.



Andre Cleroux **CHAIRMAN**

Board Member since 2020

Andre is the Vice President of Customer Relations & Wireless Networks of TekSavvy Solutions Inc. With 14 years in the telecom industry, he has been instrumental in several initiatives from the development of fibre and wireless networks to overall customer service operations within the contact centre.



Danny Frangione BOARD MEMBER

Danny Francione is the CFO of Storm Internet and is responsible for all corporate financial matters, treasury and risk management. Prior to serving as CFO, he held the roles of controller and accounting manager.

Mr. Frangione has spent 11 years in the telecom industry. Prior to Storm Internet, he was the senior tax accountant at Telesat Canada working specifically on all US and International tax compliance as well as the annual SRED claim. Prior to Telesat, he spent 6 years working in public accounting.

Mr. Frangione is currently a member of the board of CanWISP and serves as Treasurer of the Ottawa Gatineau Internet Exchange (OGIX). He is a certified public accountant and holds a Bachelor's degree from Carleton University in Ottawa.



Jeff Pastuck SECRETARY

Board Member since 2015

Jeff Pastuck is the Wireless Network Manager of Seaside Wireless Communications located in Sydney, Nova Scotia. Seaside Wireless Communications was formed in 2008 and offers wireless broadband and has a sister company Seaside Communications that has been in business for 40 years offering TV, VoIP and Cable Internet. After gaining experience at an enterprise level working at a local university, Jeff moved on to join Seaside's wireless division not long after its founding.



Christopher Pape VICE CHAIRMAN

Board Member since 2014 Vice Chair since 2015 Secretary 2014

20 years in the wireless industry including Ericsson telecommunications, Rogers wireless, Virgin mobile and Clearnet (now Telus). At Canwisp, Christopher represents Routcom Inc. - a WISP operating north of the GTA.



Dan Risebrough Barnes BOARD MEMBER

CanWISP Board member since 2014 Chair 2016-2018 Secretary 2015

Dan is the owner and CEO of Ruralwave. Since its launch in 2003 Ruralwave has grown to a medium sized fixed wireless provider in South Central Ontario. Centred in Kawartha Lakes, Ruralwave operations include wholly owned delivery of Fixed Wireless, LTE, Fibre to the Home, and Cable services to rural communities. Dan is a nation voice and advocate for fixed wireless broadband services and one of the founding members of CanWISP.



Jennifer French EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

Board Member since 2019

Jennifer was been in the WISP industry for 5 years and is currently a Customer Service Representative at Lakeland Networks who generously donate her time to the CanWISP cause. Thank you Lakeland Networks.



Steven Cole BOARD MEMBER

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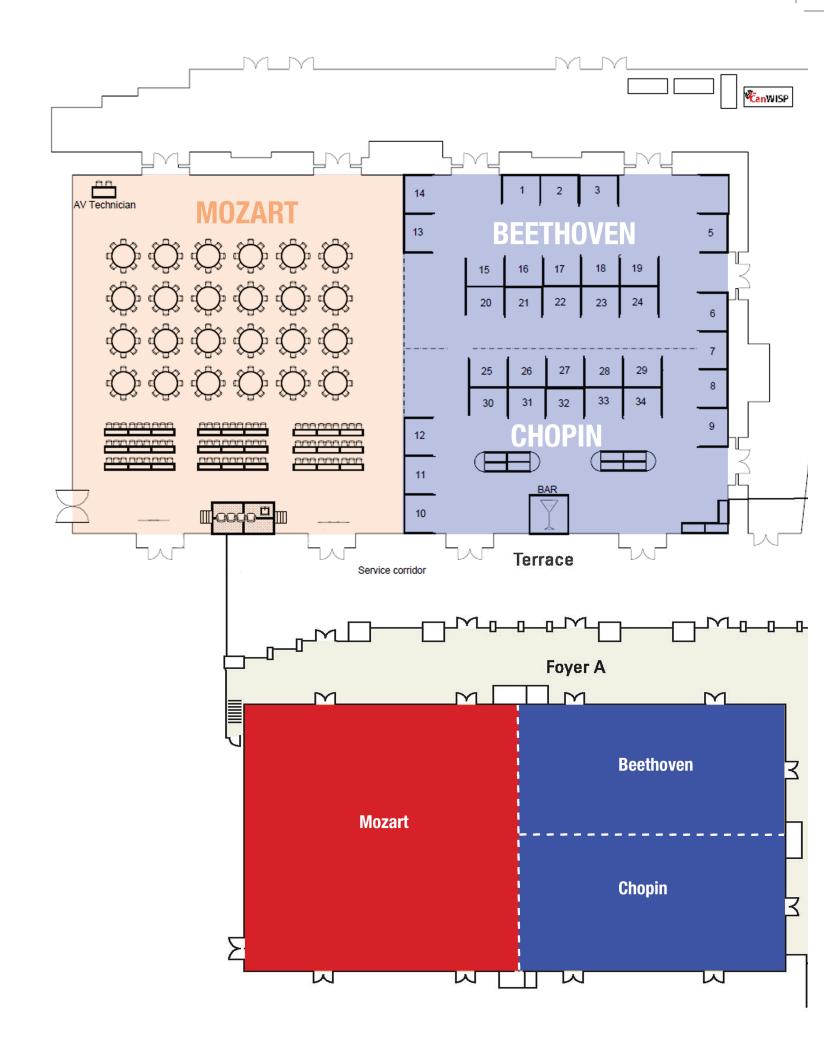
Steve is the President of Kingston Online Services which he founded 26 years ago.



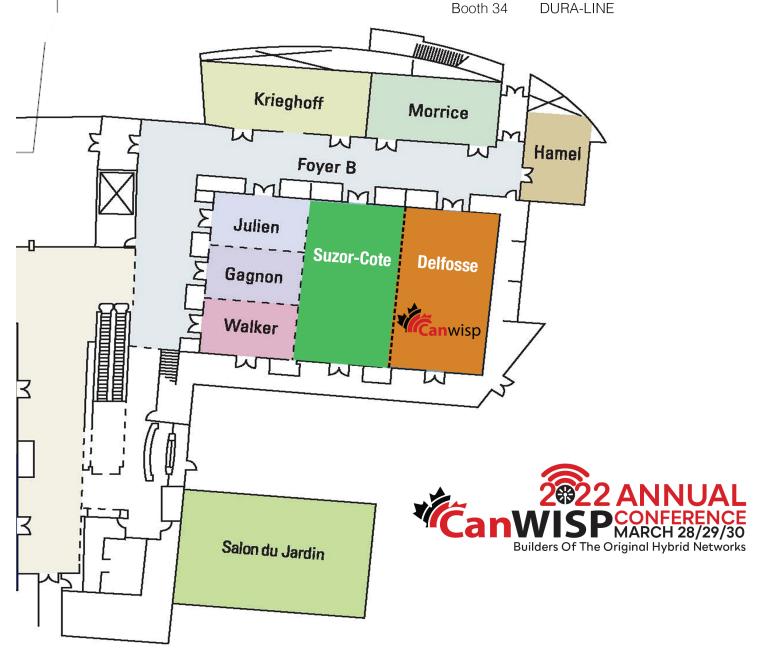
Brenda Bouchette BOARD MEMBER

Board Member since 2020

Brenda has worked in the telecommunications industry for 25 years, and in the WISP industry for 15 years, as a project engineer, wireless network designer, and regulatory policy analyst. Today, Brenda works with Tacit Law. Brenda lives in BC and does her best to take advantage of it.



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MONDAY - MARCH 28

MOZART

10:00 am - 12:30 pm Registration Open

12:30 pm - 12:45 pm Welcome & Introduction Andre Cleroux | Jonathan Black

12:45 pm - 1:15 pm Future of Broadband Funding

1:15 pm - 1:45 pm Panel: 50/10 Wireless Experiences

1:45 pm - 2:00 pm Future Mapping Introduction Tim Young

2:00 pm - 2:45 pm Quick Fire Presentations

BEETHOVEN /CHOPIN

2:45 pm - 3:45 pm Expo Hall and Coffee

4:00 pm - 5:45 pm Welcome Reception

SUZOR-COTE

2:45 pm - 3:45 pm Vendor Showcase Tarana

DELFOSSE

4:00 pm - 5:45 pm CEO Roundtable P1 Future Mapping (By invitation ONLY) Members Non-Members

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm Gala Dinner



Tim Young Consulting Strategist

Tim has over 30 years' experience in advising clients on organisational and market strategy across a wide range of sectors. He has worked with clients on large-scale projects ranging from sectoral reform (including telecoms regulation in the Middle East), through strategic mergers and acquisitions, to internal projects such as culture change, process or relational improvement.



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TUESDAY - MARCH 29

Breakfast - Registration Open							
State Of The Industry Jonathan Black							
Be A Smooth Operator How to identify and fix limitations in your sales to install process. Dr. Robert Klassen							
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Coffee Break							
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4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Reception



Dr. Rob Klassen Professor, Operations Management, Ivey Business School, Western University

Professor of Operations Management, and the Magna International Inc. Chair in Business Administration at the Ivey Business School, Western University, Canada. He also is the Interim Director of Ivey's Building Sustainable Value Centre.



DR. MICHAEL GEIST Professor, University of Ottawa

Michael holds the Canada Research Chair in Internet and E-commerce Law and is a member of the Centre forLaw, Technology and Society. He regularly appears in the Globe and Mail, is the editor of several monthly technology law publications, and the author of a popular blog on Internet and intellectual property law issues. Dr. Geist serves on many boards, including Ingenium, Internet Archive Canada, and the EFF Advisory Board.



WEDNESDAY - MARCH 30

MOZART

8:00 am - 9:00 am Breakfast - Registration Open

9:00 am - 9:30 am ARIN: Are Your IP Addresses Portable? Who controls the IP addresses your company depends on? Jon Worley

9:30 am - 10:15 am Panel - What's Next in Telecom? Moderator: Janet Yale, Peter Menzies, Monica Song, Christian Tacit

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10:15 am - 1:00 pm **Expo Hall and Coffee** 10:45 am - 11:45 am **Tacit Law**

12:15 pm - 1:00 pm Lunch Break

1:00 pm - 1:30 pm Brenda Bouchette Tacit Law

Spectrum and Auctions

1:30 pm - 2:15 pm Panel - Independent ISP Update

Moderator: Michael Lee-Murphy

(Editor,The Wire Report) CCSA: Jay Thomson CNOC: Geoff White ITPA: Jonathan Holmes BCBA: Bob Allen

CanWISP: Jonathan Black

2:15 pm - 2:45 pm Future Mapping Conclusions

Tim Young

2:45 pm - 3:00 pm Finale

Andre Cleroux, Jonathan Black

3:30 pm - 5:30 pm CanWISP AGM





Michael Lee-Murphy, Editor and reporter, The Wire Report

Michael is an Irish born, New England raised, Quebec-schooled reporter and writer. He became the editor of The Wire Report in 2021.



Jon Worley Senior Technology Architect, ARIN

Jon has been a member of the Registration Services team since 2004. He has experience with all ARIN policies and procedures for requesting, managing, and transferring IP addresses and AS numbers, including technical services such as ARIN's RESTful API. Jon has spoken about these topics as well as IPv4 depletion and IPv6 adoption at many ARIN events.



Janet Yale, ICD.D

Janet is an accomplished leader and senior executive with long years of management experience in the private, public and not-for-profit sectors. She served as the President and CEO of the Arthritis Society (Canada) from June 2012 to January 2020 after a long career in the telecommunications and broadcast sectors. In June 2018, she was appointed by the federal Ministers of Innovation, Science and Economic Development and Canadian Heritage to serve as Chair of The Broadcasting and Telecommunications Legislative Review Panel. The Panel released its Report "Canada's Communications Future: Time to Act" in January 2020



Peter Menzies Senior Fellow, Macdonald-Laurier Institute

Peter Menzies spent three decades as a working journalist and newspaper executive, most notably with the Calgary Herald where he served as its editor in chief and publisher. Over the course of his journalism career he worked briefly in the Parliamentary and Alberta press galleries and won both a National Newspaper Award and Association of Opinion Page Editors award for the detailed objectivity of his work. Following his newspaper career he spent close to 10 years as a member of the Canadian Radiotelevision Commission, including as Vice Chair of Telecommunications. Communications Future: Time to Act" in January 2020



Monica Song Partner, Dentons Canada LLP

Monica Song is a partner with Dentons Canada LLP and leads the communications and regulatory practices in the firm's Ottawa office. Monica practices primarily in the areas of communications law and public policy, with a particular emphasis on intersectional mandates with competitive and strategic implications associated with technological innovation and emerging industries.



Christian S. Tacit Founder, Tacit Law

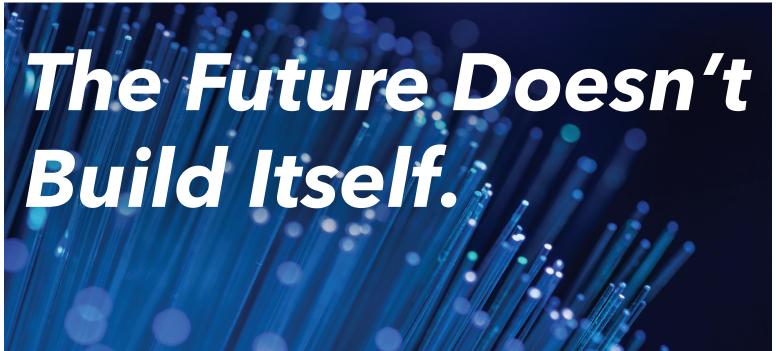
Drawing on over 41 years of technical, business and legal experience, Chris is the founder of Tacit Law, a boutique law firm that provides a broad range of legal and consulting services to clients in the information technology, communications, regulated industries, and broader commercial and not-for-profit sectors. In addition to providing traditional legal services, Chris assists clients with strategic planning, governance, risk management, business reviews, commercial transactions, as well as corporate and regulatory compliance. He is also very involved in Internet governance through various volunteer activities.





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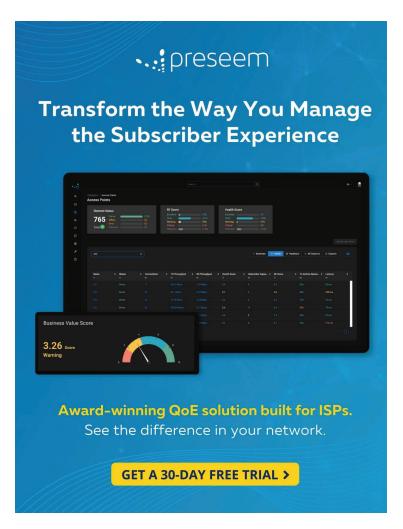
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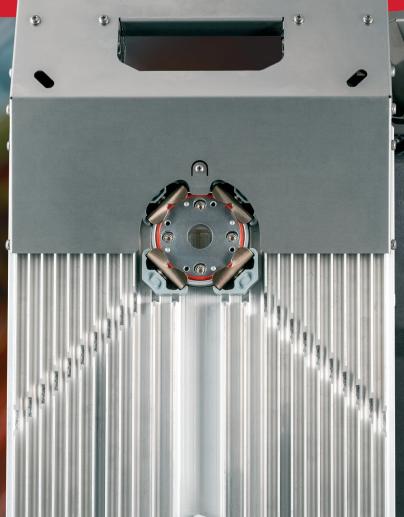




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To gain access to the program or if you have any questions, please contact Eric directly at:

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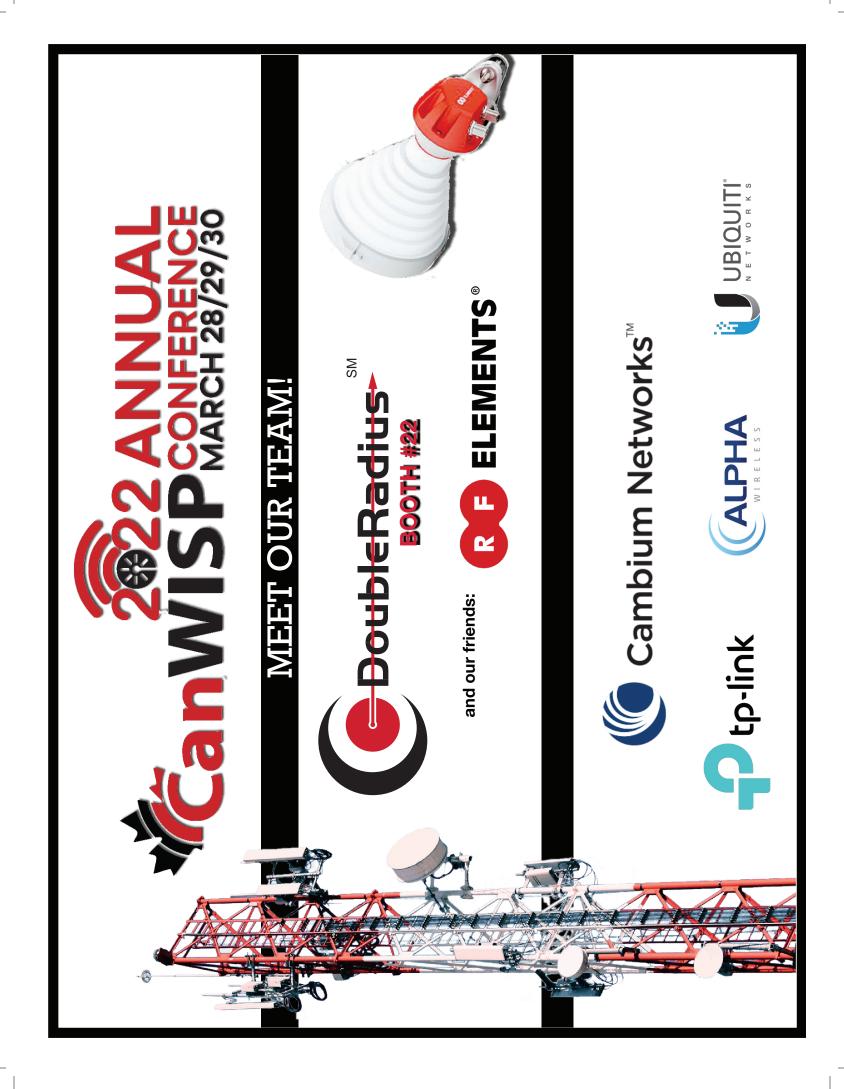
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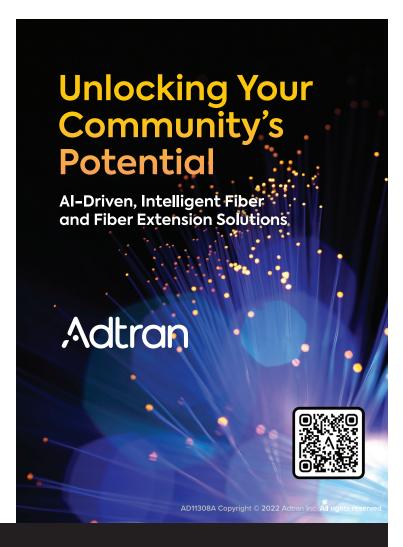
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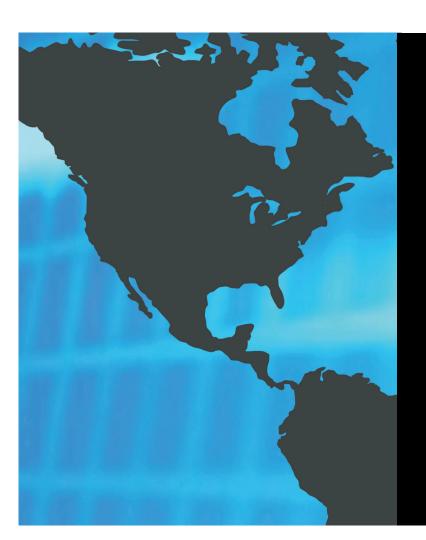


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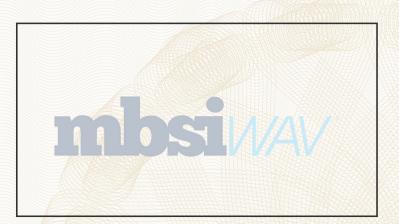
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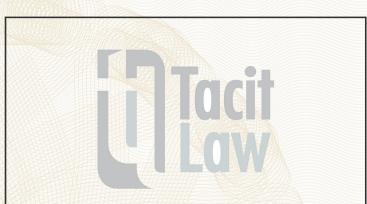


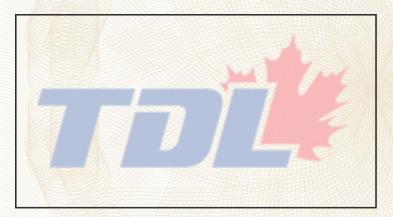




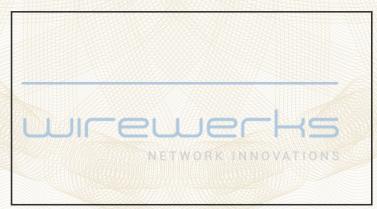
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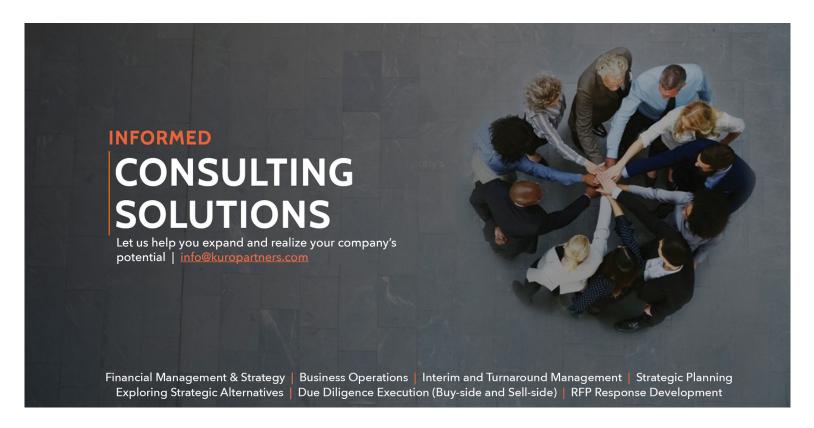




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