



Quebec Court of Appeal

THE HONOURABLE JACQUES CHAMBERLAND

April 7, 2021

By email

English version

Mtre Martine Turcotte, Chair
Mr. Peter Griffin, Commissioner
Ms. Margaret Bloodworth, Commissioner

RE: 2020 Judicial Compensation and Benefits Commission
Request regarding a salary differential between
appellate judges and trial judges

Dear Madam Chair:
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Dear Mr. Commissioner:

On reading the Government of Canada's submissions (March 29, 2021), you will no doubt have noted that the figures mentioned on page 50 (paragraph 134) confirm the existence of a salary differential between appellate judges and trial judges in all the cases identified¹, namely, 4.75% in New Zealand, 13.86% in the United Kingdom, and 6.05% in the United States.

Respectfully submitted,

Jacques Chamberland, J.A.

c.c: - Mtre Christopher M. Rupar (Justice Canada)
- Mtre Pierre Bienvenu (Norton Rose Fulbright Canada)

¹The figures do not mention what the salaries of appellate judges are in Australia.