

Smart Regulation Implementation Strategy (SRIS) CONSULTATION & ENGAGEMENT PLAN

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Background

In the March 2005 *Smart Regulation Report on Actions and Plans* the government undertook a review of the existing federal Regulatory policy. The Regulatory Affairs Division (RAD) of the Privy Council Office (PCO)

has been tasked with submitting a proposal on a government directive on how to improve the governance system for developing, implementing, reviewing and evaluating regulation by Winter 2006.

The Consultation and Engagement Strategy has various mechanisms for ensuring effective (timely, full and fair) opportunities for participating in the development of the Government Directive on Regulating, set for Winter 2006. To solicit advice and distribute information to the public, the strategy includes online public consultations, multistakeholder public consultations and reference group discussions.

