# STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY POLICY OF THE CONSEIL DE LA JUSTICE ADMINISTRATIVE

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The personal information transmitted is only communicated to other government agencies if this communication is required by law. This information is never transmitted to private organizations.

However, the <u>Rules regarding the compliant process</u> adopted by the Council provide that a complaint referred to the Council is forwarded to the person it concerns. Moreover, if an inquiry committee is set up as a result of your complaint, the confidentiality of the information gathered is no longer protected, since the inquiry is public.

### LINKS TO OTHER SITES

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