

Communications Rollout Summary

Nov. 14/16
Fall Economic
Statement

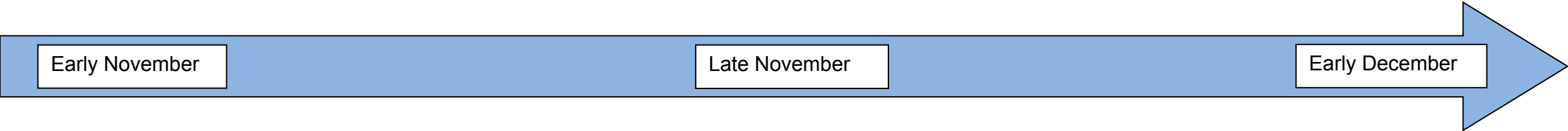
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Crown Employees
Collective Bargaining Act
(MOL lead)

(Timing TBD)
Release of report by the
External Advisory Panel on
Management and Non-
Bargaining Staff
Recruitment and Retention

Dec (TBC; likely Dec 5 -8/16)
Release of Auditor General
Annual Report

Dec 8
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Legend:

- Announcement
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Changes to the Crown Employees Collective Bargaining Act	Nov 2016 (TBC)	Issues note	TBC	Overview: The government made a commitment to change the Crown Employees Collective Bargaining Act during its collective agreement negotiations with OPSEU's Corrections Division. The key change is to remove the right to strike provision for this group and replace it with arbitration as a dispute resolution mechanism. Status: This legislation may be introduced as part of the Fall Economic Statement. Although MOL has responsibility for this legislation, TBS, as employer, would be the public lead on it in this case. Next Steps: Confirm timing; prepare reactive issues note.
Fall Economic Statement (MOF lead)	Nov 14	Updated issues notes	Notes were updated and shared with MO Nov 12	Overview: Ontario's Fall Economic Statement was presented in the Legislature Nov. 14 at 1pm, followed by Minister Sousa media availability at 2:15 in the QP Media Studio Status: Complete Next Steps: Monitor for any TBS-specific media coverage
Supplementary Estimates	Nov 16	Web posting	In development	Overview: Supplementary Estimates for 10 ministries will be tabled with the Fall Economic Statement. TBS has one week, per the legal requirement, to post the information to Ontario.ca. There are no supplementary estimates for TBS. The following ministries will be part of supplementary estimates: MIRR, CO, MEDEI/MRI, EDU, ENERGY, MOECC, MOHLTC, MMAH, TCU, and MTO. Status: Content and web pages in development Next Steps: Pending Fall Economic Statement.

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Launch of Transfer Payment Common Registration (TPCR) System	Nov 21/16	Comms snapshot Stakeholder products: • Memos • Email Notifications • Launch information posted on http://www.grants.gov.on.ca for Nov 15 (e.g. TPCR User Manuals) Internal products: • Launch info posted on https://intra.ontario.ca/tbs/common-registration for Nov 15 (e.g. General information regarding the TPCR) • Topical article • DM blog • HBN update	Comms snapshot with Minister's Office Topical article, DM blog in development Memos and web content complete	Overview: The Transfer Payment Administrative Modernization (TPAM) initiative will reduce administrative burden on transfer payment recipients (TPRs) and the OPS, improve oversight and decision-making, achieve better value for money and produce administrative efficiencies and savings for government. When implemented, streamlined processes and automation will reduce the overall cost of transfer payment (TP) administration. TPAM is a boulder initiative, comprised of four streams, the first being the Transfer Payment Common Registration (TPCR) system. The TPCR is a one window, online system that will track the full financial relationship between TPRs and the government. Status: Several products are completed. Other products (e.g. Topical article) are in development to support the November 21 launch. Next Steps: Continue to work with program area to finalize products
Reports by the Financial Accountability Officer	Fall TBC for the 5 reports	Messaging on PRRT report (if needed), Issues notes, Qs&As	TBC	Overview: The FAO is expected to release critical reports on: 1. Market Value of Provincial Assets (Fall 2016) 2. Health Care Sector Expense Trends (Fall 2016) 3. Fiscal Impact of Infrastructure Plan (Fall 2016) 4. Fiscal Impact of Program Review, Renewal and Transformation (Fall 2016) 5. Impact of Cap and Trade on Government's Finances (Fall 2016) Status: Pending release of reports Next steps: Pending release of reports

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Government-wide Data Catalogue and provincial agencies Data Catalogues publishing	Nov 2016 (TBC)	Web content Social media OPS Weekly (internal) Topical article (internal) Email to key stakeholders	TBC	Overview: List of all government data sets, whether open, restricted or under review. Status: Data Catalogue updating began online Aug 4, 2016 (TBS & MOL). Approximately half of ministries have published their inventories to date. Next steps: Tracking to have all inventories posted in November 2016 (TBC).
Launch of Open Information Catalogue – Phase 1 (TBC)	Nov 2016 (TBC)	TBD	TBD	Overview: The Open Government Office is working with CO Digital to develop an Open Information Catalogue which will serve as a platform to find government documents such as reports, publications, research, policies, etc. A phased approach is being proposed for the release of government information: - Phase 1: Corporate Directives (Q3 2016-2017) - Phase 2: Digital Government Publications (Q4 2016-2017) - Phase 3: Other “Open Information” documents (2017-2018) Status: A four corners meeting took place on September 29 to discuss the Open Information three-point plan, and the proposed catalogue. Next Steps: Awaiting approval of the three-point plan in order to proceed with finalizing the release of the information catalogue. Direction received will impact the approach /timing for creating a searchable database (i.e., proceeding with a phased approach may mean phase 1 would consist of a text-based landing page, moving to a searchable database as more information is published).
Release of report by the External Advisory Panel on Management and Non-Bargaining Staff Recruitment and Retention, led by Don Drummond	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC

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Release of Auditor General Annual Report	December (TBC, likely week of 5-8)	Issues Notes Qs&As	Due to: - DMO – TBC - MO – TBC	Overview: Auditor General of Ontario will release her Annual Report. Status: There are 5 areas of interest for TBS: - Value for Money Audit on IT General Controls (TBS lead) - Value for Money Audit on Supply Chain Ontario and Ministries Procurement Practices (MGCS lead, TBS implications) - Standing Chapter on Government Advertising Act - Standing Chapter on Public Accounts - Chapter on Accountability – 2016 focus on Public Appointments Secretariat Next Steps: Issues management products are in development with program areas. Initial meeting with CO planned for Nov. 16
Open Government Partnership Summit	Dec 7 – 9	Comm plan	Comm plan in approvals	Overview: The Open Government Partnership (OGP) Global Summit will be held in Paris, France from December 7-9. Subnational governments in the OGP's new pilot program will unveil their OG commitments co-created with the public. The minister will be invited to present Ontario's commitments at the summit. Additional potential communications opportunities include bi-lateral meetings, and possibly a press conference with other subnational governments (details being finalized with the OGP). Status: Consultations took place recently to develop open government commitments with the public. Workshops were held from October 24-26, with the Minister and Deputy Minister attending two sessions (Toronto on Oct. 14 and online Oct. 26). Next Steps: Finalize Ontario's open government commitments. Identify and finalize opportunities for Ontario's participation at the summit (confirm press conference and meetings with officials). Develop communications and event materials to support Ontario's involvement, and to prepare for the announcement of the province's new open government commitments.

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FOI Request TBS 002-15 (Association) Request for copies of the following reports; - ITS Infrastructure Tower Benchmarking: Final results prepared by Gartner Consulting 2012. - Progress Report: IT Rationalization, prepared by the Ontario Ministry of Government Services, I & IT Infrastructure Technology Services in 2013.	Decision issued June 11, 2015 Under appeal	N/A	N/A	Overview: Decision granting partial access disclosure sent June 11, 2015, (third party information withheld under s.17). Requester appealed the ministry's disclosure decision and filed an appeal with the Information and Privacy Commissioner (Appeal PA 15-440); the IPC issued a Mediation Report October 2015 and transferred the file to adjudication. TBS representations provided to IPC March 2016. TBS FOI received the IPC's order in this matter (PO-3663) on October 28, 2016. PO-3663 orders TBS to release information at issue in appeal PA 15 -440 no earlier than November 25 and no later than December 2, 2016. TBS Legal and the affected program area, OCCIO have been provided a copy of the order. Status: Next steps: - No action is required at this time. Parties have until November 25 to file for a Judicial Review (JR) of the IPC's order. - If no JR is filed by November 25, IMAPO will disclose the records in full to the requester as ordered.

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FOI request 017 -16 (Association) All memos, reports, slide decks and briefing notes re: public service commissioning related to social services type policies and programs (i.e. the types of programs under the purview of MCSS, MCYS and MTCU, including but not limited to employment/unemployment, social assistance, social housing). Time frame: fiscal year 2015-16.	Final Decision was sent Nov. 8, 2016	N/A	N/A	Overview: All memos, reports, slide decks and briefing notes regarding public service commissioning related to social services type policies and programs (i.e.: the types of programs under the purview of MCSS, MCYS and MTCU, including but not limited to employment/ unemployment, social assistance, social housing) for the fiscal year 2015-16. Request initially received by MCSS and transferred to TBS. Interim decision granting partial access and notifying requester of 60 day time extension (due to volume of records and number of consultations) sent Friday, September 9th. Status: CLOSED - Decision to withhold responsive records in full placed in the mail Tuesday, Nov. 08, 2016. - Records withheld in full under s.12 Cabinet Records - Portions additionally withheld under s.13 – Advice to Government, s.15 – Relations with Other Governments, s.18 – Economic and Other Interests - Portions of the records withheld as they are excluded from the provisions of the Act in accordance with s.65(6) – Employment/Labour Relations Next steps: N/A
FOI request 021-16 (Business – Lawyer) A copy of the final report of the Advisory Panel on Management and Non-Bargaining Staff Recruitment and Retention (the ‘Advisory Panel), chaired by Donald Drummond. A copy of any research reports provided to and/or created by the Advisory Panel.	Decision due Dec. 9, 2016	TBD	TBD	Overview: A copy of the final report of the Advisory Panel on Management and Non-Bargaining Staff Recruitment and Retention. A copy of any research reports provided to and/or created by the Advisory Panel. Status: In process Interim decision of ‘partial Access’ placed in the mail Thursday, Nov. 10, 2016 Interim decision letter also informs requester of a 30 day time extension, taken due to the large volume of responsive records to be reviewed (final decision due date is December 9, 2016) Next Steps: IMAPO continuing to review the responsive records.

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5 OPQs from MPP Lisa MacLeod to Minister Sandals	Cabinet Office Due Date November 16, 2016	Order Paper Questions	Pending with the Office of the Provincial Controller Division	Overview: 5 Order Paper Questions were submitted on October 6, 2016: 1. Will the President of the Treasury Board identify all members of the expert panel to review the pension accounting standards in Ontario? 2. Will the President of the Treasury Board provide the following information: a) When the expert panel to review pension accounting standards in Ontario was created and b) When it will be providing recommendations and/or a report? 3. Will the President of the Treasury Board make the results of the expert panel to review pension accounting standards in Ontario public? 4. Will the President of the Treasury Board report on how many third party consultants have been and will be contracted to review the financial statements and/or accounting of the province? 5. Will the President of the Treasury Board identify all third party consultants contracted to review the financial statements and/or accounting standards of the province? Status: With DMO/MO for review Next Steps: Finalized versions due to CO on November 16/16