

National Security and Intelligence  
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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **2019 REPORTS OF NATIONAL SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE OF PARLIAMENTARIANS TO BE TABLED TODAY**

**OTTAWA** – The 2019 Annual Report of the National Security and Intelligence Committee of Parliamentarians (NSICOP) will be tabled in Parliament today Thursday, March 12, 2020.

The 180-page report contains the findings and recommendations of three extensive committee reviews completed in 2019:

- A review of diversity and inclusion in Canada’s security and intelligence community.
- A review of the government response to foreign interference.
- A review of the national security and intelligence activities of the Canada Border Services Agency, the first time the Agency’s activities have been independently reviewed.

A separate NSICOP report also is being tabled today, detailing the Committee’s examination of the collection, use, retention and dissemination of information on Canadian citizens by the Department of National Defence and the Canadian Armed Forces in the conduct of defence intelligence activities.

Classified versions of both reports were delivered to the Prime Minister on Aug. 30, 2019.

Public versions of the reports are expected to be tabled in Parliament at approximately 10 a.m. After tabling, copies will be available on the NSICOP website at <https://www.nsicop-cpsnr.ca/index-en.html>. Hard copies available National Press Theatre events detailed below.

Immediately following tabling, the Executive Director of the NSICOP Secretariat, Rennie Marcoux, and Secretariat staff will be available to answer journalists’ questions about the reports during a technical briefing at the National Press Theatre, 150 Wellington St., Ottawa, at 10:30 a.m.

**The Hon. David McGuinty, P.C., M.P., Chair of NSICOP, will deliver remarks on the reports at 11:30 a.m., to be followed by a Q&A session with gallery members.**

**NSICOP TECHNICAL BRIEFING**

**WHEN:** 10:30 a.m., Thursday, March 12, 2020

**WHERE:** National Press Building, 150 Wellington St., Ottawa

**NSICOP NEWS CONFERENCE**

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**WHERE:** National Press Building

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