Parliamentary Committees

Committee of Institution

General consultation

Draft Bill entitled "An Act instituting same-sex civil unions and amending the Civil Code and other legislative provisions"

and

Consultation Paper entitled "For Equal Treatment: Civil Union"

The Committee on Institutions will hold public hearings beginning on 5 February 2002 in pursuance of a general consultation on the draft bill entitled "An Act instituting same-sex civil unions and amending the Civil Code and other legislative provisions", as well as on the consultation paper entitled "For Equal Treatment: Civil Union". Individuals and organizations who wish to express their views on this matter must submit a brief to the committees secretariat not later than 22 January 2002.

The Committee will select the individuals and organizations it wishes to hear from among those who have submitted a brief. Every brief must be accompanied by a concise summary of its contents, and both documents must be submitted in 25 copies printed on letter-size paper. Those who wish to have their brief forwarded to the press gallery must provide an additional 25 copies.

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