

Resource Tourism Appeal Committee

Board Members

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1 – person/s that represents the interest of outfitters

2 – person/s that represent the interest of hunters or fishers

3 – person/s of the public who have experience in the outfitting industry or who hunt/fish or participate in ecotourism

Mandate:

The Resource Tourism Appeal Committee (RTAC) is established under the authority of The Resource Tourism Operators Act (RTOA) and is made up members that represent the interest of outfitters, hunters or fishers and public who have experience in the industry. The Committee is to provide an opportunity for the parties to an appeal to present evidence, make representatives with respect to a decision under appeal, and determine appeals.

Authority:

[The Resource Tourism Operators Act](#)

Responsibilities:

TBA

Membership:

The Committee will be consisting of no more than seven members appointed by the minister and shall designate one member to be the chair. The board shall consist of:

- persons involved in a group or association that represents the interests of outfitters;
- persons involved in a group or association that represents the interests of hunters or fishers;
- members of the public who have experience in the outfitting industry or who hunt, fish or participate in ecotourism.

Quorum:

TBA

Length of Terms:

The Act is silent.

Desirable Experience:

- have the ability to read complex written material, analyze written and verbal information in order to ascertain facts, and apply relevant legislation to this written and verbal information;
- must be able to communicate verbally and have the ability to ask questions using open ended, non-judgmental language;
- have active listening skills;
- be able to read and interpret policies/legislation and how it applies to the case;
- use plain language;
- adhere to a high degree of confidentiality; and
- have the ability to make decisions in a fair and unbiased manner;
- basic technology skill.

Time Commitment:

The Committee shall arrange a date for the hearing of an appeal and shall provide the appellant and the administrator with at least 14 days' notice of the date, time and place of the appeal hearing.

Meetings:

Frequency: As needed

Location: Virtual

Remuneration:

N/A