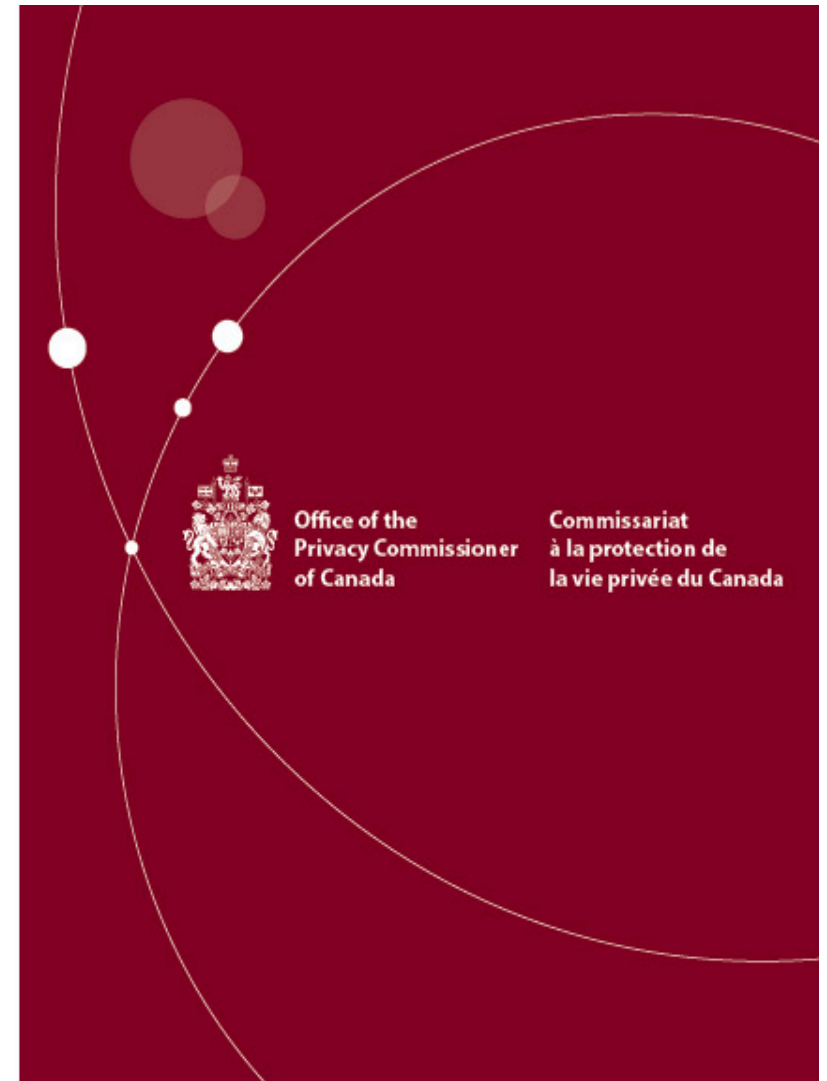


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Surveillance in Canada and around the world

- Better protection of privacy in the face of risks
- Importance of oversight and transparency
- Government surveillance and lawful access

Increasing Canadians' control over personal information





Economics of Personal Information

***Enhance the privacy protection and trust of
individuals so that they may confidently
participate in the digital economy.***

Reputation and Privacy



***Enhance digital literacy among
vulnerable populations***



Body as Information

Promote respect for the privacy and integrity of the human body as a vessel of our most intimate personal information.



Government Surveillance

Contribute to the adoption and implementation of laws and other measures that demonstrably protect both national security and privacy.



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Bill C-51

- Concerns remain unchanged
 - Appropriate thresholds lacking
 - Oversight insufficient



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Oversight

- Called for independent and effective review
- Commitment to Parliamentary review – a welcome development
- Need ability for expert examination of information sharing across organizations



Information sharing thresholds



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Bill C-13

- Concerns raised in 2014, with no amendments
- Immunity provision regarding voluntary disclosures
- Lack of reporting mechanism to provide transparency



Transparency reporting



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