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**Special Committee announces the appointment of Michael Harvey as
Information and Privacy Commissioner for BC**

VICTORIA—Special Committee Chair Garry Begg has announced the appointment of Michael Harvey as Information and Privacy Commissioner for BC.

Mr. Harvey was appointed Information and Privacy Commissioner for Newfoundland and Labrador in 2019.

“I warmly welcome the appointment of Michael Harvey as BC’s next Information and Privacy Commissioner. As Commissioner for Newfoundland and Labrador, Michael has been a valued colleague and leader at the federal/provincial level, and he will bring that leadership to the British Columbia office,” said BC Commissioner Michael McEvoy.

The appointment is for a six-year term, effective May 6, 2024. Commissioner McEvoy will work closely with incoming Commissioner Harvey to ensure a seamless transition of the office.

To read the media release from the Special Committee:

https://www.leg.bc.ca/content/CommitteeDocuments/42nd-parliament/5th-session/ipc/SC-IPC_Report-Media-Release.pdf

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