

Sheridan Scott, Commissioner of Competition (Canada)
Biographical Notes

Sheridan Scott is Canada's Commissioner of Competition, the head of the Competition Bureau.

As Commissioner of Competition, Sheridan Scott is responsible for the administration and enforcement of the *Competition Act*. She also leads the Bureau's participation in international fora such as the World Trade Organization (WTO), the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) and the International Competition Network (ICN). Commissioner Scott has been elected Chair of the ICN Steering Group and assumed this leadership role in February 2007.

Before joining the Competition Bureau in January 2004, Ms. Scott was Chief Regulatory Officer of Bell Canada. She was responsible for overseeing all activities involving the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC), the Copyright Board and the Competition Bureau.

From 1992 to 1994, Ms. Scott worked as Assistant Vice-president, Planning and Corporate Development and Vice-president of Planning and Regulatory Affairs at the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

From 1983 to 1992, she worked as Legal Counsel and Senior Legal Counsel at the CRTC, where she was involved in major hearings on long distance competition.

Ms. Scott is a member of the Law Society of Upper Canada. She obtained a law degree from the University of Victoria in 1981, after which she served as Law Clerk to the Chief Justice of Canada, the Right Honourable Bora Laskin