

New Lifesigns Legal Trends Report Now Available

BLG releases annual report on the latest health care trends in areas of Intellectual Property, Regulatory Affairs, Privacy and Capital Markets.

Toronto (June 3, 2019)— Borden Ladner Gervais (BLG) has released the sixth edition of [Life Sciences Legal Trends in Canada \(LifeSigns\)](#). This report showcases key insights from our Life Sciences Group, highlighting market trends and developments.

BLG's LifeSigns report covers notable trends in the areas of [Intellectual Property](#), Regulatory Affairs, [Privacy](#) and [Cybersecurity](#), as well as Capital Markets, and includes articles on topics such as amendments to the Canadian *Patent Act*, the import and export of cannabis, the modernization of food regulations and the introduction of third party rights in Canada.

"With the number of new legislative changes and amendments affecting the industry that have been introduced, our professionals have combined their insights to create this concise examination of areas that will most strongly impact clients. It's a need-to-know for industry leaders," said Mark Vickers, national leader of BLG's Life Sciences Group.

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