



**Legislative Assembly
of
Saskatchewan**

For confidential consideration, please forward a letter of interest, your resume and references by 5:00 p.m. (CST), July 22, 2022, to:

Ombudsman Search Committee
Attention: Hanna Ly, Principal
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Please quote **Ombudsman2022** in the subject line of your email.

While we sincerely appreciate the interest of all applicants, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

**Ombudsman and Public Interest Disclosure Commissioner for the
Province of Saskatchewan**

Operating under the authority of *The Ombudsman Act, 2012* and *the Public Interest Disclosure Act* the position of Ombudsman and Public Interest Disclosure Commissioner is a statutory officer of the Legislature. As an officer of the Legislative Assembly, the Ombudsman is neither an employee of the government, nor responsible to any minister or member. The Ombudsman is accountable to the Assembly as a whole and the office's budget is reviewed and approved by the Board of Internal Economy.

The Office of the Ombudsman is responsible to improve the quality of public administration in provincial and municipal government in Saskatchewan through the impartial exercise of powers as set out in *The Ombudsman Act, 2012*. The Ombudsman promotes fairness in the design and delivery of services by the provincial government and to investigate complaints from the public who believe they have been adversely affected by a decision or action of a provincial government agency. The Ombudsman's jurisdiction extends to any government ministry, board, association and publicly funded health-care organizations and bodies. The Ombudsman's broad mandate also includes public education and awareness and serving as the Public Interest Disclosure Commissioner for the Province of Saskatchewan. In this capacity, they receive disclosures of wrongdoing from public servants, as defined in The Public Interest Disclosure Act and Regulations.

The Board of Internal Economy invites candidates with senior level experience in public program delivery, and who have demonstrated that they can work effectively within this type of transparency and scrutiny.

The successful candidate will possess exceptional negotiation, conciliation and mediation skills and be able to achieve acceptance and generate support/commitment from a wide range of stakeholders including government officials, program administrators, and the general public. Professional and personal credibility, established through career achievements and community involvement, will be essential to maintaining trust in the office and protecting its integrity. Knowledge of the Government of Saskatchewan program delivery and systems would be an asset. This opportunity will appeal to those with a background in law or legal proceedings.

To learn more about the role of Ombudsman and Public Interest Disclosure Commissioner and for further information about the position requirements, salary and benefits, please visit <http://www.legassembly.sk.ca/about/employment/>.