

13. HEAD OFFICE; QUORUM	13. SIÈGE; QUORUM
<p>(1) The location of the head office of the Tribunal shall be fixed by the Governor in Council, on the recommendation of the Minister after consultation with the Minister of Canadian Heritage, and the Tribunal may establish any other offices that it considers necessary.</p> <p>(2) Subject to subsections 14(2) and (4), three members constitute quorum for meetings or proceedings of the Tribunal, which may be held at such times and locations in Canada as the Tribunal considers desirable.</p>	<p>(1) Sur recommandation du ministre, faite après consultation par celui-ci du ministre du Patrimoine, le gouverneur en conseil fixe le siège du Tribunal; celui-ci fixe les bureaux dont il estime la création nécessaire.</p> <p>(2) Le Tribunal peut tenir ses réunions et audiences au Canada, aux dates, heures et lieux qu'il estime indiqués, le quorum étant, sous réserve des paragraphes 14(2) et (4), de trois membres.</p>

CORRESPONDING SECTIONS:

<p><i>SAA:</i> 13(1) 13(2)</p>	<p><i>CLC:</i> 13 12.02(2), 14(1)</p>	<p><i>PSLRA:</i> 26 27, 28, 31</p>
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COMMENTARY:

Subsection 13(1) was amended by S.C. 1995, c.11, section 40, to replace the reference to “Minister of Communications” with a reference to “Minister of Canadian Heritage”.

The head office of the Canada Industrial Relations Board must be in the “National Capital Region”; the PSLRA provides that the PSLRB’s head office is also located in the National Capital Region. The CAPPRT is currently headquartered in Ottawa, but no Order in Council to this effect has yet been passed. By virtue of subsection 13(2) the Tribunal is entitled to be a “travelling” tribunal, as it can hold its sessions anywhere in Canada it wishes.