



COURT OF APPEAL

NOTICE TO MEDIA

J.P. v. British Columbia (Children and Family Development)

The Reasons for Judgment in *J.P. v. British Columbia (Children and Family Development)* (CA43000; CA43392) will be released and posted on the Court's website on **Thursday, August 31, 2017. The Reasons for Judgment will be released in chambers at approximately 10:00 a.m. and will be posted on the Court's website at approximately 10:00 a.m.**

There will be a lock-up for media representatives prior to the release of the Reasons for Judgment. Only media representatives who have registered to attend the lock-up and have completed the undertaking will be permitted to enter the lock-up.

To register for the lock-up, please send an email to MediaLock-Up@courts.gov.bc.ca attaching a scanned and signed copy of the Media Representatives Undertaking no later than **2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 30, 2017.**

The Media Lock-Up will proceed as follows:

- 1) Media representatives are required to sign an undertaking not to engage in any external communications for the duration of the lock-up.
- 2) The lock-up will take place in Boardroom 205 at Robson Square (800 Hornby St., Vancouver). To reach Boardroom 205, use the North entrance on Smithe Street under the bridge (on the Provincial Court Side - directly across the street from 800 Smithe St).
- 3) Media representatives must
 - a) provide an original signed undertaking; and
 - b) produce a piece of photo identificationto be admitted to the lock-up.
- 4) The sign-in process for the lock-up will commence at 8:45 a.m. at which time, registered media representatives may enter Boardroom 205. To expedite the sign-in process, please have your photo identification and signed undertaking ready.

- 5) The lock-up room will be closed at **9:05 a.m. sharp** and copies of the Reasons for Judgment will be distributed. **No one will be permitted to enter or leave the lock-up.**
- 6) The lock-up will conclude when the registry confirms that the Reasons for Judgment have been released (approximately 10:00 a.m.), at which time the media representatives will be permitted to leave.